INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATION PROGRAMME

WELCOMING STUDENTS FROM EGYPT
The International Foundation Programme (IFP) is an access programme for international students. It provides an opportunity to gain a prestigious University of Reading degree or pursue undergraduate studies at other highly ranked universities.
Sara Mattar
Egypt

Sara Mattar is now in her final year as an undergraduate at Reading studying Consumer Behaviour and Marketing.

Why did you choose the IFP at Reading?
I felt I was really young to go into the first year of a degree and I thought the IFP would give me an experience to be around people who are similar to me. I felt like the IFP was preparing me to enter first year as I was moving to another country.

How was your experience on the IFP?
The IFP helped us with support and coursework, how to submit an essay, how to handle exams, and they provided us with lots of activities and events like ice-skating.

Why did you choose Reading for your undergraduate degree?
I thought that Consumer Behaviour and Marketing would be better than just Marketing. As the University was highly ranked and not a lot of universities offer this course, I thought it would be different graduating with this dual Marketing degree.

What is your favourite thing about the IFP and the University?
The best thing about the IFP is the variety of cultures. You get to make friends that you would never have expected to make, from different countries.

There are three things that I love about the University of Reading: the campus, how close it is to London, and that there are over 100 societies and clubs where you can try anything.

Find out more about student life on the IFP: reading.ac.uk/ifp
REASONS TO CHOOSE THE IFP AT THE UNIVERSITY OF READING

- Access to over 250 undergraduate courses: www.reading.ac.uk
- Progress to degrees in Business, Finance, Accounting, Science, Law, Architecture and many more
- A university owned foundation programme with 35 years’ experience
- 96% IFP pass rate*
- Reading is ranked 205th worldwide and 29th in the UK** with 150 years of history
- Only 30 minutes from London by train
- Meet friends from a diverse mix of nationalities and cultures
- Choose to start in either September, January or July***
- Study subject modules relevant to your degree
- Teaching is by expert University of Reading lecturers
- Reading IFP is recognised by many leading UK universities****
- IFP Country Scholarships available: reading.ac.uk/ifp
- Live on an award-winning campus in our University halls of residence
- Access to all the University’s academic, welfare, social and sports facilities

Find out more from our IFP videos: reading.ac.uk/ifp

*Nearly 100% of students pass the programme and around 80% gain access to their chosen degree at Reading.
**QS World University Rankings 2020
***September and January IFP entry points; July and September International Foundation and Language Programme (IFLP) entry points
****Reading is part of the University Pathway Alliance enabling IFP students to progress to a number of high ranking UK universities.
### POPULAR DEGREES AVAILABLE TO IFP STUDENTS*

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*IFP students can choose from over 250 undergraduate degrees at the University of Reading and these are some of the most popular. For a full list see [reading.ac.uk](http://reading.ac.uk)
PROGRAMMES AND ENTRY POINTS

The International Foundation Programme (IFP):

• **IFP September (9 months):** for all degrees* including Business, Law, Sciences and the Built Environment degrees

• **IFP January (7 months):** for Business, Law and Built Environment degrees with the exception of Architecture and Architectural Engineering.

The International Foundation and Language Programme (IFLP):

• **July (11 months):** 8 weeks of English language before joining the September IFP

• **September (11 months):** 11 weeks of English language before joining the January IFP

The four-year LLB Law with International Foundation Year (M1Q3):

• For students who do not have the qualifications for direct entry onto the three-year LLB Law course.

See [www.reading.ac.uk/ifp](http://www.reading.ac.uk/ifp) for programme details, fees and entry requirements

*Except Film theatre, art and design degrees.*
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