

Terms and Conditions

For the 'Move in ready bundle' – worth over £1000

What's included

- £250 laundry voucher
- £35 - 16-25 rail card voucher
- £450 term Flexible Meal package (£600 value)
- £200 Tesco voucher
- £35 Hoodie Voucher (SU shop)
- £30 Event Essex voucher for friends or family to visit / stay for move in

1. Eligibility

- 1.1 This offer is only available to new undergraduate students starting in October who will be studying full-time at the University of Essex during the 2026-2027 academic year.
- 1.2 This is not available to students studying with the University of Essex International College, South Essex College, Students studying with Essex Online, ARU, Performers College, North West University, or any other educational institution other than University of Essex.
- 1.3 Students holding a firm, insurance, conditional, unconditional, deferred or confirmed offer from the University of Essex prior to the start of the Clearing admissions period (1st July – 19th October 2026) are not eligible for this offer, even if they apply for accommodation during the promotional period.
- 1.4 Students whose place was confirmed before the start of the Clearing admissions period are not eligible, even if they apply for accommodation during the promotional period
- 1.5 Eligibility will be determined by the University's admissions records, whose decision will be final.
- 1.6 Applications for accommodation must be completed between 1st July and midnight on 19th October 2026. Submission of an accommodation application during this period alone does not confer eligibility; students must also meet the Clearing admission eligibility criteria set out in these Terms and Conditions
- 1.7 Students must obtain a full academic year accommodation contract with university-owned or managed accommodations.
- 1.8 This offer is open only to new applicants who have not previously applied for accommodation at the University of Essex
- 1.9 Applicants must move in between 29th September – 31st October 2026

2. Essex Food – Flexible Meal package

- 2.1 When you arrive and register at the University, you will receive an email to sign up to our Essex Food Rewards App to access your weekly meal allowance
- 2.2 The Flexible meal package is available for the first academic term from 12th October – 20th December
- 2.3 You will be able to use your weekly allowance of £60 per week to purchase food and drink in any of our participating Essex Food outlets Monday to Sunday.
- 2.4 You will have the freedom to choose what meals you would like to eat and when it is most convenient to you. This includes breakfast, lunch, dinner and snacks.
- 2.5 The Catered Meal allowance renews each week. Any unused balance from the previous week cannot be refunded or carried over to the next week
- 2.6 The Accommodation Catered Meal Package is loaded automatically onto your Essex Food Rewards App. When purchasing your meal simply scan your App at the till point and your allowance will be deducted.
- 2.7 If your purchase goes over your weekly allowance you will need to pay the remaining difference at the point of purchase
- 2.8 Please note: Essex is a cashless campus. We are unable to accept banknotes or coins. The meal allowance shown on your Essex Food Rewards App cannot be exchanged for cash/change. We accept debit/credit card, Google Pay, Apple Pay,

3. Vouchers

- 3.1 The Tesco, Event Essex, SU Shop and Railcard Voucher cannot be exchanged for cash
- 3.2 Additional retailer or provider terms may apply

3.3 Expiry dates may apply depending on the provider

4. Laundry Vouchers

4.1 The Laundrettes on campus are operated Circuit Go. Students will need to download the Circuit Go App to upload the £250.00 Voucher as credit to use

4.2 Unused credit cannot be exchanged for cash

5. General Terms

5.1 This offer is valid only for university-owned or managed accommodations.

5.2 The offer is subject to availability and may be subject to change without prior notice. UECS reserves the right to amend or waive any of these Rules or cancel the offer at any time.

5.3 The Offer is non-transferable and cannot be combined with any other promotions or discounts.

5.4 The University of Essex reserves the right to cancel any application that does not meet the terms and conditions outlined in this document

5.5 The move in ready bundle will be available to you after you arrive and register. Most benefits will be available within at key collection, but please allow up to 10 days from your move in date for full delivery.

6. Data Protection

6.1 By participating in this offer, you consent to UECS processing your personal data for the purposes of administering the move in ready bundle

6.2 For any queries regarding this offer, please contact askthehub@essex.ac.uk.