

Hatfield Profile

According to HESA, the number of international students studying at the University of Hertfordshire in Hatfield in 2022-2023 was 17,095 – a 29% increase compared with 13,230 in 2021-2022, and a 76% increase compared with 9,725 in 2020-2021.

Friends International's aim is to welcome international students studying in Hertfordshire and partner in International Student Ministry with churches and student organisations in the area.

Through international student events including international cafés, international bible studies and local links with families who provide hospitality among others, international students have opportunities to meet with Christians.

Churches that have links with the student work, and with which Friends International seeks to partner, include: Home Church (which meets on the campus), the Kings Community Church, Forest Town Church, Gracemead Church, Evangelical Baptist Church and St John's Church. Further afield are Spicer Street Church and Ridgeway Church which are based in St Albans.

Friends International is now seeking a Team Leader to set up and oversee a new Centre in Hatfield to build on these links and expand the international student ministry amongst students studying in Hatfield.

(To be read in association with the more general Friends International staff worker and centre team leader job descriptions.)





