

**GROUP TRAVEL** 

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## Accommodation

The University of Exeter provides the ideal base for a group visit to the city of Exeter and surrounding Devon. Our self-contained Streatham campus offers a range of accommodation, set in the back-drop of 300 acres of woodlands and gardens. With extensive catering and sports facilities, our experienced team can tailor an event to your needs and will be on hand before, during and after your stay.

#### **Bedrooms**

- Standard rooms with single or twin beds, a wash basin and shaver point, with shared bathroom facilities on each floor.
- En-suite single and double rooms with private shower, wash basin and toilet.

All rooms are furnished with a bed, wardrobe, desk and chair. Bed linen and towels are provided, along with tea and coffee making facilities.

Accessible rooms are available in Birks Grange and Holland Hall.

### Birks Grange (No 66, ref 5B on campus map)

- 360 double en-suite rooms (18 are accessible rooms)
- Located on Cowley Bridge Road on the edge of the campus, in pleasant, well-maintained grounds
- Less than 10 minutes walk to the centre of the campus and 20 minutes to the city centre
- Facilities include a TV room, bar, open plan lobby and snooker/pool table; full catering; Birks Grange. Premier shop and laundry room (in accommodation block A)
- Meals are provided in the first-floor dining room in the central facilities block.

## $Holland \; Hall \; (No \; 62, \, ref \; 4D \; on \; campus \; map)$

- 400 double en-suite rooms (11 are accessible rooms)
- Located on Streatham Drive on the West of the campus adjacent to Mardon Hall
- Facilities include a glass-fronted dining room, a social space with a
  cash bar (available for private hire only), and a large balcony area,
  all with panoramic views over the Exe valley. Laundry facilities are
  situated in F Block.

#### Pennsylvania Court (No 36, ref 6L on campus map)

- 177 double en-suite rooms (none of these are designated accessible rooms but there are many ground floor rooms available)
- Located in landscaped grounds on St Germans Road on the eastern side of the campus, in close proximity to the city centre
- Laundry facilities are available in accommodation block A
- Meals are provided in Lopes Hall, situated opposite Pennsylvania Court

### Mardon Hall (No 58, ref 5E on campus map)

- 77 rooms 48 single standard and 29 twin standard (none of these are accessible rooms)
- Located on Streatham Drive on the West of the campus adjacent to Holland Hall and with magnificent views over the Exe valley
- Less than 10 minutes walk to the centre of the campus and 20 minutes to the city centre
- Facilities include a ground floor common room with television
- Meals are provided in Holland Hall, located next door to Mardon Hall

MARDON HALL

Limited coach parking is available on campus free of charge upon request.





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# Accommodation prices

Our rates are based on groups of 15 or more people.

Type of room	Rate per room per night (Ex VAT)	Rate per room per night (Inc VAT)
Single En-Suite (Private shower, wash basin and toilet)	Bed and Breakfast: £32.46 Room only: £27.92	Bed and Breakfast: £38.95 Room only: £33.50
Double En-suite (Private shower, wash basin and toilet)	Bed and Breakfast: £50.42 Room only: £41.63	Bed and Breakfast: £60.50 Room only: £49.95
Single Standard (Wash basin and shaver point, with shared bathroom facilities on each floor)	Bed and Breakfast: £25.42 Room only: £18.75	Bed and Breakfast: £30.50 Room only: £22.50
Twin Standard (Wash basin and shaver point, with shared bathroom facilities on each floor)	Bed and Breakfast: £37.08 Room only: £30.42	Bed and Breakfast: £44.50 Room only: £36.50

All rooms are furnished with a bed, wardrobe, desk and chair. Bed linen and towels are provided, along with tea and coffee making facilities.







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## Food and Drink

Our experienced award-winning chefs will cater for all your needs, be it a hearty hot meal or a cold buffet. We can provide for special dietary requirements including high and low carbohydrate meals.

All group rates include a full English breakfast. We also offer packed

lunches, evening meals, barbeques, meals for children, formal gala dinners and buffet lunches. Below are some of our sample menus, but we are flexible to your needs so please talk to us if you have something particular in mind.

# Group Travel Sample Lunch Menus

Self Service Buffet Style 2 course lunch. £14.95 per person inc VAT

MENU I

Chicken Korma with Rice

Vegetable Korma with Rice (v)

Selection of Cold Meats

(Honey baked Ham, Roast Beef and Smoked Turkey)

Red Peppers stuffed with Feta Cheese and Pine Nuts (v)

**Buttered New Potatoes** 

Selection of Seasonal Salads

Chocolate Fudge Cake

Basket of Fresh Fruit

Yoghurt

Selection of Teas and Coffee

MENU 2

Spaghetti Bolognaise

Spinach and Cream Cheese Pasta (v)

Coronation Chicken

Peppered Smoked Mackerel

Broccoli and Stilton Quiche (v)

Parsley New Potatoes

Selection of Seasonal Salads

Lemon Tart with Double Cream

Basket of Fresh Fruit

Yoghurt

Selection of Teas and Coffee

# Group Travel Sample Dinner Menus

Self Service Hot 3 Course dinner. £22.75 per person inc VAT

Self Service Hot 2 Course dinner (Main Course and Dessert only), £15.65 per person inc VAT

#### MENU I

Cream of Vegetable Soup with Croutons (v)

Farmhouse Pâté with Toast

Chicken Breast with Mushroom

and White Wine Sauce

Salmon Fillet with Watercress Sauce

Mushroom Stroganoff with Rice (v)

Selection of Potatoes and Seasonal Vegetables

Raspberry Meringue Nest

Fresh Fruit Salad

Selection of Teas and Coffee

#### MENU 2

Cream of Leek and Potato Soup (v)

Smoked Chicken Salad

with Mango and Tarragon Dressing

Braised Beef with Button Mushrooms and Onions

Poached Haddock with Spinach and Cheese Sauce

Saffron Risotto with Roasted Aubergines (v)

Selection of Potatoes and Seasonal Vegetables Profiteroles with Coffee Sauce

Fresh Fruit Salad

Selection of Teas and Coffee







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# Food and Drink

## Catering Prices

Type of meal	Rate per person (Ex VAT)	Rate per person (Inc VAT)
2 course hot lunch	£12.46	£14.95
Packed lunch	£7.08	£8.50
2 course dinner	£13.04	£15.65
3 course dinner	£18.96	£22.75

## Meeting Rooms

Event Exeter has an extensive selection of meeting rooms offering varying capacities and layouts. Comprehensive Audio Visual and IT resources are available throughout, with on-site technicians available and

most areas offering free Wi-Fi access. Our venues are ideal for study groups or informal group gatherings and are set amongst the green back-drop of the Streatham campus.

## Grounds

The University of Exeter's Streatham campus is acknowledged as one of the most beautiful and botanically interesting of any UK university. The university grounds have retained a Green Flag status for the past 2 years

and are ranked among the best parks and green spaces in the country. Our grounds are well-maintained and well-managed, with a self-guided tour available.

## Sport

We have excellent sports facilities both on and off campus. The Streatham Campus Sports Park underwent an £8million redevelopment project in 2012, adding to the already extensive sporting facilities to include:

- Six covered all-weather outdoor tennis/netball courts
- Developments making Exeter Tennis Centre one of the largest of its kind in the UK
- A resurfaced Olympic standard, water-based hockey pitch
- A new 3g rubber crumb multi use games area

Future plans for further development are already underway. Facilities can either be used on a casual basis or pre-booked to meet your requirements (groups of 15 or more people must pre-book). Our event co-ordinators will be happy to work with you to create a package ideal for your needs.

## **Sports Tours**

The combination of the fantastic sports facilities and on site accommodation makes Exeter the ideal location for a sports tour. Working in collaboration with Exeter Sport, we are able to offer facilities to suit you, whether you are a professional team, social team, youth team or school group. We can also offer you that something extra, whether it's a clip n' climb experience, paintballing, Science and Performance testing or Physio support – we can create a package suitable for your needs and budget.







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## Our location

Exeter is a vibrant, cosmopolitan city with many attractions and things to do, from shopping – a mixture of local independent shops, designer boutiques and major high street stores – to historical landmarks such as the magnificent St Peter's Cathedral, medieval architecture and underground passages. Miles of stunning coastline and beautiful countryside surround Exeter, making it a great destination for people of all ages and interests. Dartmoor National Park provides an inspirational, rugged landscape offering amazing scenery and the space for activities such as walking, cycling and canoeing.

The Jurassic Coast World Heritage Site, stretching from Dorset to East Devon, covers over 95 miles of spectacular coastline scenery, which has been carved over thousands of years by sea level changes and ice ages. The area was awarded World Heritage status by UNESCO in 2001 because of its unique landscape.

#### Lots to see and do

- Enjoy a garden tour of the campus (pre-booking required)
- Discover one of the oldest cities in England with Exeter's Red Coat Guides
- Take to the water and canoe down the River Exe
- Travel around the miles of coastline, sandy beaches and rock pools that Devon has to offer
- Explore the dramatic Jurassic coastline on foot, bicycle or by boat
- Take a walk or pony trek through the rugged moorland and tumbling streams of Dartmoor and Exmoor
- Enjoy a guided tour of Powderham Castle, one of the oldest family homes in England

# Getting here

Exeter is easy to reach, with strong transport links connecting the city both nationally and internationally. The main bus station is just 1 mile from the Streatham campus with the Stageoach 'D' and 'H' bus services running to the campus and through the city centre regularly, making getting about quick and easy.

### By road

The M5 and M4 link Exeter directly to London, the Midlands, South Wales and the North.

London to Exeter: 3½ hrs
Midlands to Exeter: 2½ hrs
The North to Exeter: 4½ hrs

## By train

Exeter St David's Station is only a ten minute walk to the Streatham Campus.

London to Exeter: 2½ hrs
Midlands to Exeter: 2½ hrs

• The North to Exeter: 4 ½ hrs

## By air

Exeter International Airport is located approximately 6 miles from the city centre and has regular flights within the UK and

to European and International destinations.

These outstanding transport connections coupled with Exeter's pivotal location within the county of Devon, make it the perfect base for a visit to the South West.





