

# Exeter Cares: Working in Collaboration

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Explore your bags!!! And say hello to the person next to you.



## **Exeter Cares**



- Work to support students facing particular challenges due to their personal or family situation has been relaunched under the banner Exeter Cares.
- A collaboration between the Access, Participation and Outreach team, the Students' Guild and the Wellbeing team.
- Exeter Cares provides:

A range of pastoral and financial support Social networking events Termly newsletter Mailbox

### Meet the team



Rachel Farmer, Welfare Consultant, Widening Participation, Wellbeing Services



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# Exeter Cares Community



Student groups included under Exeter Cares are:

- Mature learners
- Care Leavers
- Care Experienced
- Estranged Students
- Student Carers
- Asylum Seekers and Refugees

We appreciate that some students will only engage with specific aspects of Exeter Cares



#### **EXETER CARES**

provides a range of financial and wellbeing support as well as social networking events throughout the year and the production of a termly newsletter.

#### ESTRANGED STUDENTS

- · 365-day accommodation
- Estranged Student Bursary
- Additional external counselling
- · Named wellbeing contact
- · Paid internship opportunities
- · Named student guild advisor

For further info visit the Estranged Student webpage.



#### WE SUPPORT STUDENTS WHO ARE...

Mature learners Student Carers

Care Leavers Care Experienced

Estranged Students Asylum Seekers and Refugees



Contact us: exeter-cares@exeter.ac.uk

#### CARE EXPERIENCED AND CARE LEAVERS

#### **Care Experienced**

- · 365-day accommodation
- · Named wellbeing contact
- Paid internship opportunities
- · Named student guild advisor

#### Care Leavers

- 365-day accommodation
- · Private therapeutic support
- · Named wellbeing contact
- · Tuition fee waiver
- Care Leavers Bursary (covers summer accommodation costs)
- Paid internship opportunities
- Named student guild advisor

#### STUDENT CARERS

- Students complete a self-referral form
- Student Carers Bursary
- · Named wellbeing contact
- Support with mitigation and deferrals of assignments and exams
- · Paid internship opportunities
- Student Carer's policy applies
- · Named student guild advisor

For further information visit the student carer webpage.



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#### REFUGEES AND ASYLUM SEEKERS

- University of Sanctuary
- Sanctuary Scholarship (eligibility criteria applies)
- · Partial tuition fee waiver (home fees applied)
- English language development programme
- · Named wellbeing contact
- · Named student guild advisor



For further information visit the refugee and asylum seeker webpage.

#### **MATURE STUDENTS**

- Mature Student Scholarship (eligibility criteria applies)
- Returning to learning support
- Peer support programmes
- Paid internship opportunities
- · Named student guild advisor

For further information visit the mature student webpage.







For further information visit the Care Leaver webpage which also provides a full definition of the difference between care experienced and care leaver.

# Sense of belonging



For many students that are part of the Exeter Cares community they can often feel lonely and isolated at times especially outside of term time.

To create this sense of community we are offering:

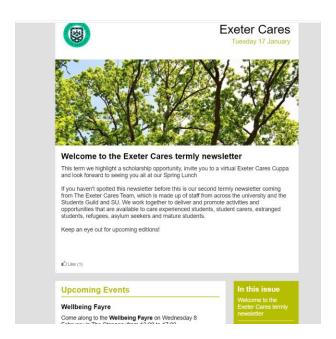
- •Exeter Cares Cuppa's in person & online
- Social events throughout the year (all campuses)
- Access to Christmas day lunch
- Celebrating national awareness campaigns
- •Paid for 'Give it a Go' activities outside of term time.
- Newsletters

# Termly Newsletters



We are producing termly newsletters for our Exeter Cares Community.
The 2nd edition has just been circulated with separate editions for Exeter and Penryn

Used to highlight specific opportunities and events available both internally and externally via other organisations.





Thank You

Any questions

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