Visiting Day Programme

We attract many visitors to the University on Visiting Days and as you look around it is easy to see why: set in a mediæval town, renowned for being the home of golf and for the sense of community which exists between town and gown alike, St Andrews is a unique combination of ancient, modern, local and global.

As the University reflects on a history spanning six centuries of innovation, education and research its fundamental aim remains the same as always, looking to the future and a focus we would like you to be part of.

We hope that you will find your visit to St Andrews to be both interesting and engaging and find a programme tailored to ensure you experience all that St Andrews has to offer. Our Visiting Days are organised by a diverse team including our current students, allowing you to gain a well-rounded impression of the academic and social opportunities available to you.

On any one of our Visiting Days you will have the opportunity to;

- Meet with experienced advisors and academic staff to learn more about your intended subject areas and the support available to you
- Take in a student-led university town tour
- Visit university halls of residence
- Find out about life beyond the classroom

Registration Opening hours: 9:00am to 12:00pm
Registration will take place in College Hall, St Salvators Quadrangle (No. 44 on Map). Upon registration you will receive a Visiting Day information pack which amongst other things will include your personal itinerary for the day which includes details of sessions specific to you. Lower College Hall will remain open to visitors throughout the day where Admissions staff will be available to offer information and advice.

Please check the programme carefully before travelling to St Andrews in order to ensure you make the most of your day.

General Information
Prior to a Visiting Day, you can contact a member of the Admissions team on +44 (0)1334 462367 or email visitingdays@st-andrews.ac.uk. Please quote your booking reference number in all correspondence.

On the day, staff and students will be on hand to answer your questions, give directions and provide any other information you may require. Our Student Ambassadors are easily identifiable as they will usually be wearing the University's characteristic gowns or ambassador clothing and will be on hand to help you find your way around.

Parking
Parking in and around the town of St Andrews is limited and we strongly recommend, where possible, for visitors to use public transport. University parking is available, however, please note that spaces fill up very quickly and therefore we cannot guarantee to accommodate all our visitors. Available parking locations can be found on the University Map.

Disability/Special Education Needs
If you have a disability or special education need, you can arrange to meet a Disability Adviser in our Student Support Services by telephoning: +44 (0)1334 462720 or emailing: disability@st-andrews.ac.uk.

Luggage
For Security reasons and for your personal safety, under no circumstances can personal luggage be left in a University building during a University Visiting Day.

Friends and Family
Family and friends are actively encouraged to accompany you to a Visiting Day. However, please note that due to space restrictions in certain venues, we cannot guarantee that there will be room to accommodate your friends/family as priority will be given to prospective students and applicants.
Visiting Day at a glance  (see below for more details)

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**Information Hall:** 9:00am to 12:00pm, Lower College Hall (No. 44 on Map)

Representatives from across the University will be available throughout the morning to provide information and answer any questions you may have about the University of St Andrews, student life and Admissions.

**University Walking Tour:** Every 10-15mins from 9:15am to 12:15pm, Lower College Hall (No. 44 on Map)

These tours last approximately 60 minutes with the last tour leaving at 12:15pm. The majority of our tours take you around the central streets and main University buildings of St Andrews. The tour will incorporate information on the University’s history as well as student life and university traditions before concluding at one of our Halls of Residence.

**Accommodation:** Part of the Walking Town Tour (see above)

Accommodation tours include a visit to a bedroom, as well as the dining and communal areas. Please note that whilst you cannot choose which Hall of Residence you will be allocated this tour is designed to give you a brief insight into an example of the wide range of residential accommodation available to our students.

**Saints Sport:** Tour 10:00am 10:30am 11:00am 11:30am 12:00pm 12:30pm, Sports Centre (No. 5 on Map)

Sport is a vibrant and integral part of life here in St Andrews. To find out more, visitors are encouraged to attend one of six sports centre visitor sessions. During your visit Saints Sport staff will talk you through the vast array of sporting opportunities available to students and give you a tour of the sports centre facilities. The talk and tour combined will last approximately 35 minutes.

If you are unable to make the tour times and have any spare time during the afternoon, the Sport Centre has an open door policy where you can come along at any time, take a look around and ask our friendly staff any questions that you may have. Wednesday afternoon is sports afternoon and you may get to see some of our teams in action.

**Enhance Your Prospects:** Talk 11:00am, School II (No. 45 on Map)

Gaining a degree from St Andrews is an internationally recognised accomplishment, but there is more to be achieved than the degree itself. To find out more about how St Andrews can help improve your employability, you are warmly invited to find out about Career and Study Abroad opportunities available at the University of St Andrews. Visitors should note that the first half of the talk will concentrate on Study Abroad with the second half detailing career opportunities. This talk will last approximately 50 minutes.

**Bachelor of Arts International Honours (William and Mary):** Talk 12:00pm, School II (No. 45 on Map)

The University of St Andrews is delighted to offer you the opportunity to find out about our exciting new Joint degree programme with the College of William & Mary in Virginia, USA. Students spend two years at each respective institution and graduate with a BA International Honours degree awarded by both universities. This talk will last approximately 45 minutes and provide an overview of the degree structure, admission requirements and answer any questions you may have.
An Introduction to St Andrews: Talk 12:15pm and 1:15pm
These sessions are held in various venues across the University and will cover important topics relating to admissions, academic structure and accommodation as well as student support and advice. At the end of the talk there will also be opportunity to ask questions. Talks will last approximately 45 minutes.

Academic Departmental Talks: Talk 2:15pm and 3:15pm
St Andrews offers a broad based education which encourages you to experiment intellectually and gain experience in a wide range of subjects in Arts, Science or Social Sciences before specialising in you chosen field of study.

Department visits take place at 2:15pm and/or 3:15pm. Visitors are encouraged to visit a maximum of two academic departments on any one Visiting Day. These sessions provide an opportunity for you to meet with an academic member of staff and learn more about your intended subject area(s) and last approximately 35 minutes to an hour.

Music Talk 3:15pm (by appointment only)
Music is an important element in the lives of many students at St Andrews. Recognising this, we offer a range of facilities and opportunities for students to expand and develop their musical skills and interests during their time here.

During your visit to St Andrews, you will have the opportunity to meet with representatives of the Music Centre who will be able to provide information about the facilities and activities on offer to students. You will also be able to attend a subject talk at 3.15pm which will give you the opportunity to hear about the music modules that you can take as part of your degree.

Choral Workshop with University Choral Scholars, Thomas Wilkinson, University Organist and Director of Chapel Choirs Workshop 3:45pm (9 April only)
This is an opportunity for aspiring choral singers to rehearse alongside the Choral Scholars of the University, led by the University Organist. You are welcome to attend, no matter what your level of choral experience. Singing in the historic surroundings of the University's Chapel is a wonderful way to spend an hour of your day in St Andrews. The workshop will last approximately 45 minutes and is by appointment only.

If you are interested in attending a Choral Workshop at the University, please contact a member of the Admissions team on +44 (0)1334 462367 or email visitingdays@st-andrews.ac.uk

MUSA Opening Times: 10:00am to 5:00pm   (12:00am to 4:00pm - 12 March 2014 only)
The University’s Museum (MUSA) is open to the general public and visitors and their guests are encouraged to visit the museum and discover the history and collection of Scotland’s first University.

Let us know what you think
To complete our online survey and let us know what you thought of your visit to St Andrews, please visit;  https://surveys.st-andrews.ac.uk/vdspring2014

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