



Exeter College

# AT A GLANCE

## Welcoming. Cosy. Sociable. Central. Easy-going

*I've met some of my closest friends at Exeter, and I can safely say the College is more than just a pretty face! Come with an open mind and your authentic self, and let the university experience shape itself (on a pretty nice backdrop, too!).*  
Eniola

*Having now started my degree in English and French at Exeter, I can say that I've thoroughly enjoyed my time here so far. While there is a jump between A-Level work and degree-level work, this also comes with some perks, like the freedom to choose what you want to study and getting to know your subject in further depth. One of the best things about Oxford is the tutorial system, as it means you get to talk to your subject tutors one-on-one or in very small groups, and therefore have a very personal and immersive university experience. I've also found that learning is really collaborative at Exeter. I can have conversations with others on my course here where we bounce off each other and grow together instead of being competitive.*

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Sarita



**Number of undergraduates:** approx. 350

### **Location**

Located right in the heart of Oxford, Exeter College is close to departments, libraries, shops, cafes, and a short walk from Gloucester Green coach station and Oxford Train Station. The college is cosy and welcoming, with a beautiful garden and a great view of the Radcliffe Camera. Our newest site, Cohen Quad, is a short walk from the main site and offers students state of the art facilities and contemporary living spaces.

### **Accommodation,**

Accommodation for three years of your course; a range of en-suite and non-ensuite rooms, and first-year students have the chance to select a room preference before arriving. The standard rent term tends to be 174 days per year. The college is working to enhance the financial support available to students living in college accommodation. For up-to-date information, please see [www.exeter.ox.ac.uk/financial-support](http://www.exeter.ox.ac.uk/financial-support).





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**Accessibility:** The college disability support co-ordinator meets with new students who have declared a disability to us, to discuss requirements and ensure the college makes all reasonable adjustments. We also have a number of accessible rooms for undergraduates and it is possible to request an en-suite bedroom.

**Information about catering:** One canteen-style sitting each evening at the main college site, 17.30-19.00. Vegetarian options are available at each service (often vegan, too). We have meat-free Mondays, Halal and Kosher meals can be made available to students who request them with a day's notice. Formals are twice weekly, on Wednesday and Sunday. There is a shared JCR kitchen in the JCR. Students at CQ have refrigerators in their rooms and share a large communal kitchen per floor (1:30 students). Most eat at the on-site Dakota Café! Exeter House grads have shared kitchens in their flats. Each year we offer a special formal for Burns' Night (with a ceilidh, a piper, traditional speeches and toasts and ceremonial haggis entrance), Diwali (with fireworks, dancing, traditional music and food, sweets and rangoli), Chinese New Year (traditional food and music, Chinese tea, sweets and poems) and two special dinners at Christmas: one formal, one where students wear Christmas jumpers. Breakfast: £2.10, lunch £3.45, dinner £6. Formals are currently £16.20 for 3 courses + wine or soft drink.

**College societies:** Exeter has a very active music, arts and drama scene, and our students take part in the annual Turl Street Arts festival. The student-run festival, held annually since 1997, sees Exeter participate in a programme of plays, concerts, talks and exhibitions with Exeter's sister colleges along Turl Street: Lincoln and Jesus (and, from 2017 onwards, Brasenose, too). Exeter is renowned for its integrated community that spans all year groups – an atmosphere partly fostered by the sporting spirit within the College. College sport can also provide a stepping stone for getting involved in University-wide sports teams. The College has a great range of facilities including an on-site gym, football and rugby pitches only a short walk from College, and a well-equipped boat club for anyone who wants to try rowing. All members of the JCR also possess a heavily subsidised membership to the University's excellent sports complex on Iffley Road.

**Other College facilities:** We have a small college gym with a weights room, running machine, and rowing machine. The College also has a music room, and is very active in music, arts, and drama as well as sports (and many other activities!). There is a college cafe at Cohen Quad, as well as the Hall and college bar on the main college site.

