



New College AT A GLANCE

Community. Vibrant. Welcoming. Beautiful. Supportive

Looks like a castle but it's definitely a home.

Lovely people and fantastic student support.



Number of undergraduates: 420

Location:

In the heart of the city - just two minutes from the Radcliffe Camera - but with large, peaceful grounds.

Accommodation:

New College offers accommodation for first, second, and fourth years. Around 70% of our rooms are en suite and they are all decided by ballot - if you happen to have a smaller room in first year, you'll be among the first to choose your room in second year.

All our first years are housed together in Holywell Quad so they can get to know each other, and first year rooms are let for 60 days per term so you don't have to pay for them when you're back at home or on holiday. Rooms are £23.04 per night plus insurance.





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Accessibility: The nature of our old buildings does make access to some areas difficult, but major spaces in the College - such as in the Hall, JCR, MCR, Lecture Room 6, the Chapel - are all now accessible by wheelchair and further interventions are planned for the Library and Holywell Lodge. Our new Kimber Wing accommodation (on the main College site) gives a very high specification of adjustment for students with disability. The objective was to achieve 'best practice', both in terms of design and fit-out, and we believe that this has been achieved. Details can be found at www.new.ox.ac.uk/new-college-best-practice. The College's Disability Lead is Tutor for Welfare Jonathan Black, while our Disability Coordinator is Academic Registrar Freyja Madsen.

Information about catering: We have two sittings for dinner and our students can choose whichever they prefer. The first is an informal, self-service dinner in Hall. The second is a formal sit-down dinner where gowns are worn. These formals happen every day except Saturdays. We provide vegetarian, vegan, and Halal options, as well as catering for a number of allergy requirements. We host alternating guest nights for the JCR and MCR (undergraduates and graduates) every Friday, where students can bring up to four guests and are served a special meal. We also host themed dinners each Thursday. These themes could be suggested by students or to celebrate special or cultural events, such as Diwali, Eid, LGBTQ+, or Burns Night. The Dining Hall is run on a not-for-profit basis so that costs for students are kept down. Our breakfasts and lunches are pay-as-you-go so you only pay for what you eat. A typical full English breakfast or lunch would normally cost around £5, while dinner is £7.52 and our special Guest Nights are £18.45. We also have a coffee bar (and real bar in the evenings), which serves a variety of snacks, sandwiches, and drinks.

College societies: Our students are very active and organise regular social events, from Welfare teas to 'Bops' (College club nights). We have lots of sports teams and a thriving MADD community (Music, Art, Drama, and Dance), as well as a number of smaller societies such as our Essay Society.

Other College facilities: New College is fortunate to have its own dedicated sports ground just a few minutes' walk from the main College site, including tennis and squash courts, as well as football, rugby, and cricket pitches. Our Clore Music Studios offer a variety of dedicated music rooms with pianos - again, just a short walk from the main College site.