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Christmas closure, wellbeing, exam guide and more

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This is yourUWE Bristol.

Christmas is only days away, so we'll keep this edition of *yourUWE Bristol* short – with just a few reminders about our Christmas closure and advice for those of you with exams in January.

We've also included the official UWE Bristol digital Christmas card (above), designed by Jordan Pledge, one of our Graphic Design students. Congratulations Jordan!

We're looking forward to welcoming you back to UWE Bristol in 2017. Have a great Christmas break!

UWE Bristol Christmas closure

Just a reminder that we'll be closed for Christmas from 17:00 today, Thursday 22 December 2016 until 08:30 on Tuesday 3 January 2017.

The libraries on Frenchay, Bower Ashton and Glenside campuses will be accessible with your student card. Security staff and Accommodation Resident Assistants will be available if you have any problems on campus.

[Full details about the Christmas closure](#)

Wellbeing support

Our [Wellbeing Service](#) will be closed from 17:00 today, Thursday 22 December 2016 until 08:30 on Tuesday 3 January 2017.

If you need to talk to someone over the Christmas break, you can call [NHS 111](#) or [The Samaritans](#) on 116 123 - both are available 24/7, every day of the year.

We also have a number of online [self-help resources](#) that you might find useful.

Staying in Bristol? Local services over Christmas

Shops and services

Most services, shops and supermarkets will have different operating hours over the Christmas period, and will be closed completely on Christmas Day (Sunday 25 December).

Check shop opening hours online before heading out, and stock up on food before the shops shut!

Public transport

Bus and train timetables are usually different over the Christmas period, with almost no transport available on Christmas Day.

Make sure you check before you travel – Travelwest have a good [overview of Christmas bus services](#) which you can search using your route number.

If things go wrong over Christmas

If something happens over the Christmas holidays which might affect your ability to do an assessment, don't panic.

Our [Information Points](#) can help you as soon as they re-open (from 08:30 on Tuesday 3 January 2017). They'll be able to advise you on the best course of action – whether it's submitting an Extenuating Circumstances application or something else. Call them on 0117 32 85678.

If you have an exam, you can also talk to a [Student Support Adviser](#) at the Exhibition and Conference Centre.

Ready for your January exams?

Take a moment to double-check your exam dates, times and locations on [myUWE](#).

Our [exam essentials guide](#) has everything you need to know - like what to bring (and what not to bring!) to your exam.

Read the guide over Christmas so you're ready to go in January - but also make sure you take regular breaks from revision and find time to do something you enjoy, too.

Changes to the Stoke Lane one-way system

The direction of the Stoke Lane one-way system was reversed on Monday 12 December. Traffic now flows northbound (uphill) towards Frenchay Campus.

The change has impacted bus services - check [full details about the change](#) and download the [Travelwest Bus Checker app](#) to keep up-to-date.

Make sure you allow plenty of time to get to campus – particularly if you have exams in January.

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CHRISTMAS WITH AHMD



Staying here over the holidays? Ahmd, your Students' Union President, invites you to spend Christmas with him:

I'll be on campus Christmas Day and would love to see you. We'll have food (nibbles) and games, so whether you want to get into the festive spirit or just want the company, come along!

Join me at The Students' Union bar on Frenchay Campus between 12:00 - 16:00 (Sunday 25 December). Let me know if you're coming on our [Facebook event](#).

I hope you all enjoy a well-deserved Christmas break - happy holidays!

Let me know if you're coming

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Frenchay:

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Just a reminder that we'll be closed for Christmas from 17:00 today, Thursday 22 December 2016 until 08:30 on Tuesday 3 January 2017.

Frenchay Library will be accessible with your student card. Security staff and Accommodation Resident Assistants will be available if you have any problems on campus.

[Full details about the Christmas closure](#)

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- [Sainsbury's East Filton opening hours](#)
- [Asda Filton \(Abbeywood Retail Park\) opening hours](#)

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Glenside:

UWE Bristol Christmas closure

Just a reminder that we'll be closed for Christmas from 17:00 today, Thursday 22 December 2016 until 08:30 on Tuesday 3 January 2017.

Glenside Library will be accessible with your student card. Security staff and Accommodation Resident Assistants will be available if you have any problems on campus.

[Full details about the Christmas closure](#)

City Campus:

UWE Bristol Christmas closure

Just a reminder that we'll be closed for Christmas from 17:00 today, Thursday 22 December 2016 until 08:30 on Tuesday 3 January 2017.

Bower Ashton Library will be accessible with your student card. Security staff will be available if you have any problems on campus.

[Full details about the Christmas closure](#)

Gloucester:

Christmas closure at Alexandra Warehouse

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You can find lots of online guidance and resources through our [Students' page](#) while we're away. The [Information Point](#) will be ready to help when we return.

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