

UNIVERSAL GYM

Terms & Conditions

These terms and conditions set out the rights and responsibilities of students and staff participating in the BUCS UNlversal Gym Scheme (the “**Scheme**”). By registering for and using the Scheme, you agree to abide by these terms and conditions

1. Eligibility

- The Scheme is open to current students and staff of participating BUCS institutions. Institutions must opt into the scheme, so please ensure that your institution is partaking prior to applying for a UNlversal Gym membership.
 - You need to have the required gym membership at your institute of study, to apply for a UNlversal Gym membership.
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2. Membership Access

- Membership grants reciprocal gym access at any participating institutions across the UK. All institutions part of the scheme can be found on the BUCS website.
 - Access is subject to individual institutional operation requirements, opening hours, and availability of facilities at the host university gym.
 - Certain services (e.g., fitness classes, premium facilities, personal training) may incur additional charges at the host site.
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3. Booking and Attendance

- You must book your UNlversal Gym session via BUCS Play prior to arrival at the institution.
 - Entry may be refused if you fail to book prior to arrival.
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4. Code of Conduct

- You must comply with the health and safety regulations, gym etiquette, and membership rules of each host facility.

- Respect for staff, other members, and facilities is mandatory. Misconduct, including abusive behaviour, misuse of equipment, or breaching local policies, may result in suspension or termination of your UNlversal Gym access.
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5. Health & Safety

- You are responsible for ensuring you are fit to participate in physical activity.
 - Any pre-existing health conditions should be disclosed to both your institute of study and at arrival at a UNlversal Gym in line with their policies.
 - The Scheme and participating gyms are not liable for injuries sustained through misuse of facilities or failure to follow safety instructions.
 - You may be asked to complete a Health Commitment Statement at your first visit; please ensure you speak to the front of house to confirm on arrival.
 - You may be asked to undertake an induction or familiarisation session on your first visit to a new facility
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6. Data & Privacy

- Personal data collected for registration will be shared between your institute of study, BUCS, and the UNlversal Gyms that you book sessions at, strictly for administration of the scheme.
 - All data will be handled in accordance with BUCS GDPR Policy and relevant university policies.
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7. Fees & Payment

- Access to the Scheme is included within the appropriate gym membership at your institute of study. Please speak to your gym membership team at your institution to ensure you purchase the associated membership.
 - The minimum requirements for institutions to partake in the Scheme is to offer gym sessions for UNlversal Gym members outside of their term time. Availability and dates may vary from across institutions, so please ensure you check all available sessions via BUCS Play.
 - Additional services e.g. gym classes may come at an extra charge, directly through the institution that you are attending.
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8. Suspension & Termination

- The Scheme reserves the right to suspend or withdraw access in cases of:

- Breach of these terms and conditions
 - Misuse of facilities or misconduct
 - Non-compliance with health and safety policies
 - No refunds or compensation will be provided in such cases.
 - If you fail to comply with the terms and conditions, your institute of study will be notified.
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9. Liability

- Neither BUCS nor UNlversal Gyms accept liability for loss, theft, or damage to personal property.
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10. Amendments

- BUCS and reserve the right to amend these Terms and Conditions. The terms and conditions will be reviewed annually, in line with the membership.
 - Members of the Scheme will be notified of significant changes via their institute of study.
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11. Acceptance

By registering for and using the BUCS UNlversal Gym Scheme, you confirm that you have read, understood, and agreed to these Terms and Conditions.