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YOUR JOINING INSTRUCTIONS

Welcome to Buckinghamshire New University!

We are looking forward to you joining our **MSc Cyber Security** course.

At BNU we pride ourselves on the support we offer our students to succeed in their academic learning and creating graduates ready for employment. This information pack has been created by the BNU Welcome Team and your course leader, Rafid Al-Khannak, to provide you with information that you will need for a successful start at BNU. Please read it carefully before you join us.

STARTING AT BNU

If you are an International student on a Student Route visa, you need to enrol onto your University course **in-person**, by visiting our High Wycombe campus on **27th, 28th or 29th December**. Please arrive at 10.00 or 13:00 so that we can check your documents.
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Once you have enrolled, you will join our Induction programme in-person at our High Wycombe campus on the 3rd, 4th and 5th January 2024. This means that the next date and time you must attend University is Wednesday 3rd January at 9.00am.

ENROLMENT

International Students
You need to pre-enrol online and show proof of ID in-person to complete your enrolment process. Please see our website for full details.

You will need to bring the following documents with you:
- Evidence of your Secure English Language Test (e.g. IELTS)
- Passport
- UKVI Visa decision letter
- Biometric Residence Permit (BRP) if already collected
- Qualification documents
- Signed offer letter

Photograph
You will need to email us a head and shoulders photograph of yourself before you start at BNU. This photo should be in a JPEG format and sent to students@bnu.ac.uk with the subject line "Student ID." Please include the following information in your email:

- Your student ID (if you know it)
- Your full name (include all forenames and surname)
- Your date of birth
- The name of the course you will be starting

ABOUT YOUR COURSE

Our MSc in Cyber Security focuses on technical and management security areas, technologies, trends and polices in the security sector. It is designed to incorporate guidance from the Communications Electronics Security Group (CESG), a group within the UK Government Communications Headquarters (GCHQ), as well as Institute of Information Security Professionals and Information Security Skills Framework (IISP).

There will be opportunities to expand your knowledge both inside and outside of the lecture theatre. Students have previously visited sites of historical importance, including Bletchley Park, to learn more about the history of computing and how it impacted the world.

You will learn modern technical tools such as:

- Network and software security
- Artificial intelligent systems security
- Cloud computing systems security
- Mobile systems security

You will also develop:

- management skills in business continuity and disaster recovery
- cyber security assurance and risk management
- research techniques.

We are proud to have a partnership with Amazon for running Amazon AWS Academy at BNU, helping you gain industry standard knowledge and skills and further enhance your career prospects. This forms part of our undergraduate module, Cloud Computing, and allows you to have full access to all Amazon web services resources, materials, labs, online assessments and exams preparations.

You will be able to practice the technology provided by the world cloud leader and undertake a free Amazon AWS official certification MOC exam and gain a 50% discount on Amazon AWS (Cloud Architecture) official certification exam *(optional for students)*. For further information, please contact Dr Rafid Al-Khannak.

IT SERVICES

When you receive your enrolment email it will include all the information you need to access the digital services at BNU, including setting up your IT account and accessing MyBNU to access all university systems and information. To find out more about the IT services available to you, visit our web pages and see our quick start guide.

ACCOMMODATION

At BNU we have a range of accommodation options available to both undergraduate and postgraduate students. Please email accommodation@bnu.ac.uk for further details.

DISABILITY AND INCLUSION SERVICE

The Disability and Inclusion service can help you to get the most from your experience at university in an inclusive learning environment. We provide a range of services to support disabled students including:

- Screening for specific learning difficulties, mental health issues and autism
- Discussing reasonable adjustment recommendations for teaching and exams
- Help accessing external support funding such as the Disabled Student's Allowances (where eligible)

If you think that you have a disability and might need some support, please contact us to find out what help is available. You can use the links below to book an appointment:

- Online appointments
- Appointments at our High Wycombe campus
- Appointments at our Uxbridge campus
- Appointments at our Aylesbury campus

Alternatively, please contact the Disability and Inclusion service via inclusion@bnu.ac.uk with any questions.

YOUR STUDENTS' UNION

When you enrol at BNU you will automatically become a member of Bucks Students' Union and will have the opportunity to enrich your student experience by taking part in a diverse and exciting range of free activities, opportunities and events thanks to our unique Big Deal offer. Your Union will represent your views and support you every step of the way - explore our website at https://www.bucksstudentsunion.org/ to find out more about what's on offer?

If you have any general questions before you start please contact welcome@bnu.ac.uk or for course specific questions please get in touch with Dr Rafid Al-Khannak via rafid.al-khannak@bnu.ac.uk.

We look forward to welcoming you soon!

The BNU Welcome Team

We will consider any request for accessible formats that may be required. Please send your request to welcome@bnu.ac.uk.

HIGH WYCOMBE CAMPUS

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Campus map labels

- Student Village
- Hughenden Avenue
- Hamilton Rd
- A4128
- Oxford Road
- West Wycombe Rd (A40)
- Priory Avenue
- High Wycombe
- Amersham Road (A404)
- Halls of Residence
- Baker St
- Brook St
- Bridge St
- Desborough Rd
- Bus Station
- Eden Shopping Centre
- Suffield Rd
- Desborough Avenue
- Lily's Walk
- Abbey Walk
- High St
- Crendon St
- A40
- High Wycombe Campus
- Queen Alexandra Rd
- Marlow Hill (A404)
- Main Entrance

Regional map labels

- A404 to Amersham
- A4128 to Great Missenden and A413
- A40 to West Wycombe and Oxford
- A4128
- A404
- High Wycombe
- A40
- A40 to Beaconsfield and Chalfont
- A404
- To M25 London and Uxbridge Campus (Jct 1)
- M40
- 4
- High Wycombe
- To Oxford
- To M4 Jct 8/9

Address and travel information

Queen Alexandra Road
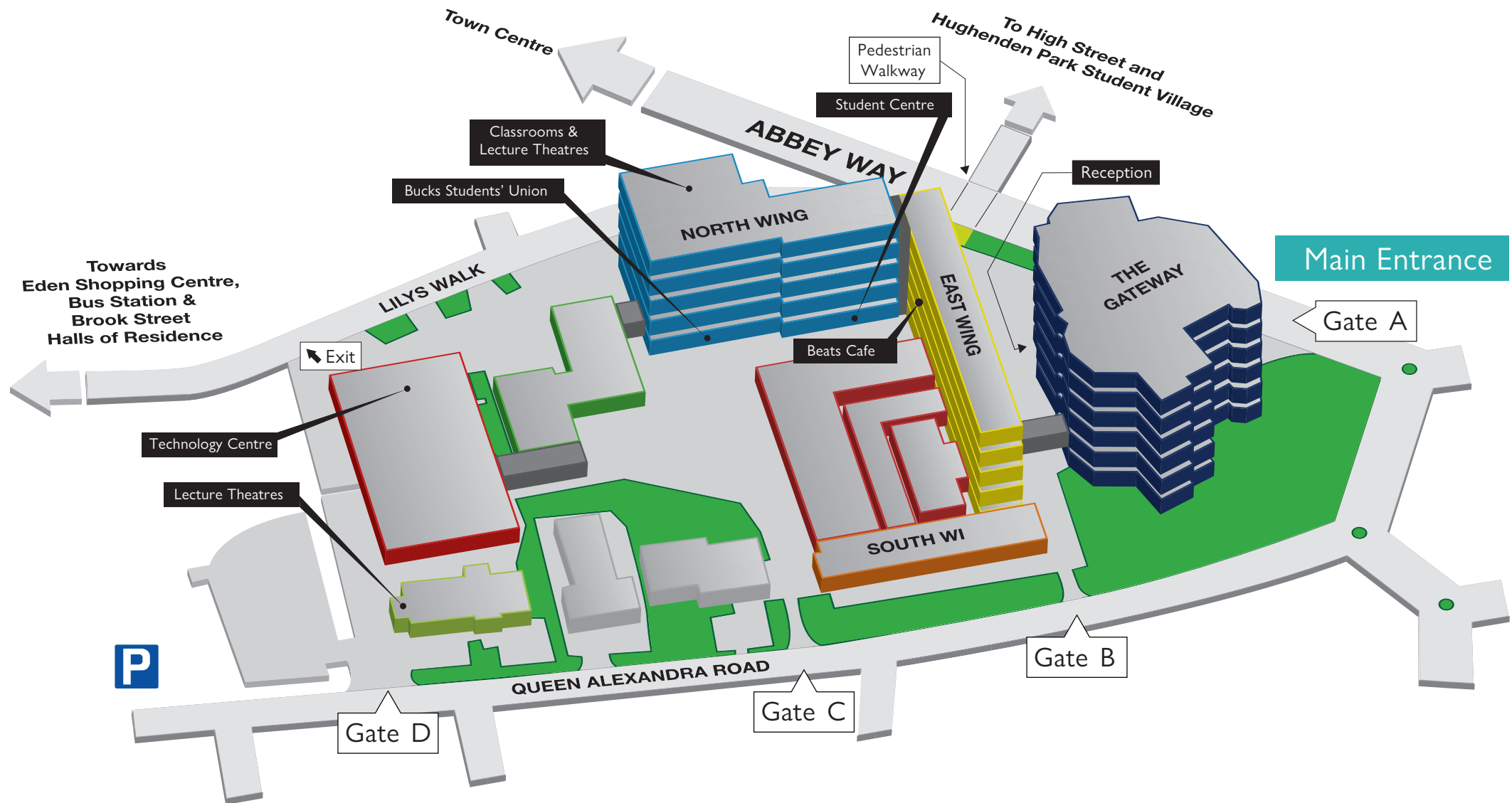High Wycombe
Buckinghamshire HP11 2JZ

By rail
Chiltern Railways from Marylebone to High Wycombe. The campus is approximately a quarter of a mile from the station.

By bus
The campus is a few minutes' walk from the bus station.

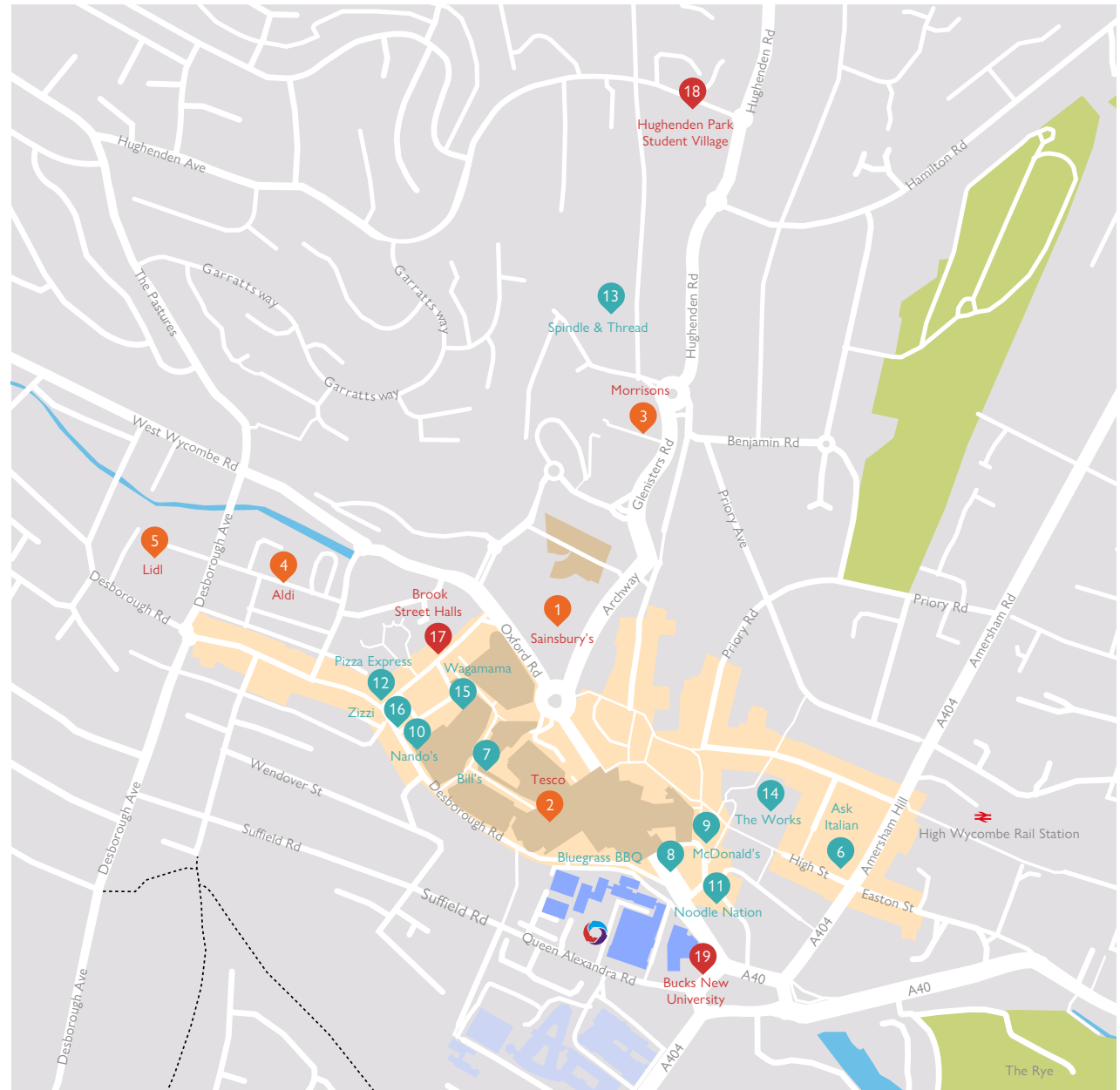More information can be obtained from Traveline on 0871 200 2233

HIGH WYCOMBE CAMPUS

Town Centre

To High Street and
Hughenden Park Student Village

Pedestrian Walkway

Student Centre

Classrooms &
Lecture Theatres

Reception

Bucks Students' Union

ABBEY WAY

NORTH WING

Main Entrance

Towards
Eden Shopping Centre,
Bus Station &
Brook Street
Halls of Residence

LILYS WALK

THE GATEWAY

Gate A

Exit

EAST WING

Beats Cafe

Technology Centre

Lecture Theatres

SOUTH WI

Gate B

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Gate D

QUEEN ALEXANDRA ROAD

Gate C

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HIGH WYCOMBE VISITOR INFORMATION

SUPERMARKETS

1. Sainsbury's Superstore
2. Tesco Superstore
3. Morrisons
4. Aldi
5. Lidl

RESTAURANTS

6. Ask Italian
7. Bill's
8. Bluegrass BBQ
9. McDonald's
10. Nando's
11. Noodle Nation
12. Pizza Express
13. Spindle & Thread
14. The Works
15. Wagamama
16. Zizzi

UNIVERSITY LOCATIONS

17. Brook Street Halls
18. Hughenden Park Student Village
19. Bucks New University Main Campus

High Wycombe Campus
Queen Alexandra Road
High Wycombe
Buckinghamshire HP11 2JZ

Aylesbury Campus
Walton Street
Aylesbury
Buckinghamshire HP21 7QG

Uxbridge Campus
106 Oxford Road
Uxbridge
Middlesex UB8 1NA

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