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# PROSPECTUS 2026

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## ABOUT THE UNIVERSITY OF YORK

**Founded in 1963, University of York is a leading Russell Group UK** research university with a global reputation for excellence in teaching, research, and innovation. With over 600 courses spanning 40 plus Schools, Departments, and Centres, the University serves a diverse community of 20,000 plus students from over 150 countries (28 percent of the students are from outside UK). Rooted in values of excellence, equality, and opportunity, the University offers unmatched career development support, top-tier sports facilities, and a dynamic public engagement program, making the student experience truly world-class.



As per the latest UK-wide research assessment, 35 percent of the university's research is rated as world-leading, and 48 percent is recognized as internationally excellent. The university is recognized as an ambitious, dynamic, and research-driven institution dedicated to advancing life-saving discoveries, new technologies, and cultural innovations to address some of the world's most urgent scientific, social, and environmental challenges.

# “OUR STRENGTHS ALIGN DIRECTLY WITH INDIA’S”



The University of York is regarded as one of the UK’s best, with an outstanding reputation across the world.

We’re one of only four UK universities — alongside Oxford, Cambridge, and Imperial College London — to achieve both a top-ten ranking for research and the highest Gold standard for teaching\*, in recent national evaluations.

We are proud to be able to use this expertise and knowledge to collaborate internationally and create global solutions to local problems.

We were recently recognised as seventh in the world for our ability to develop international collaborations that tackle the UN’s Sustainable Development Goals.

India is one of our highly valued strategic partner countries, where we are actively seeking to enhance our engagement across education, research, enterprise and government relations.

Many of our strengths align directly with India’s priorities, including food security, digital technologies, tackling climate change, and green energy.

It struck me just how similar India’s approach to the G20 Presidency last year – ‘Vasudhaiva Kutumbakam’, One Earth, One Family, One Future – is to the University of York’s founding mission to be a university established first and foremost to ameliorate human life and conditions.

It is this mission for public good that I have returned to the forefront of the

University’s latest strategy which focuses our activity on developing both global citizens and impactful research.

The University of York has, for several decades, valued its partnerships with universities, research institutes, enterprises, government agencies and diplomatic missions across India.

These collaborations have led to the enhancement of talent in conservation, better allocation of health resources, better outcomes for patients with leishmaniasis, improvements to the resilience of edible oil crops, and more.

And now, we prepare to take our next step in that direction, in announcing our plans to open the University of York’s first international campus in Mumbai, where we will build a research-intensive university offering outstanding student education, embedded in local industry and dedicated to the extraordinary dynamism of Maharashtra. And in doing so, we further reinforce our commitment to being a University for Public Good – a university committed through our teaching and our research to bring benefit to our society; committed to opening up access to university to all those with the talent to succeed; and committed to collaboration for public good across international boundaries. We could not be more excited about the future of our campus, in this brilliant city.

**Charlie Jeffery,**

Vice-Chancellor and President

\*Gold in the Teaching Excellence Framework 2023 and Joint 10th in the *Times Higher Education* ranking of the most recent Research Excellence Framework (REF 2021)

## RANKINGS

- In the top 8% globally, ranked joint 154th out of 2,191 institutions in the Times Higher Education World University Rankings 2026
- We're 169th out of 1501 institutions in the QS World University Rankings 2026.
- In the QS World University Rankings 2025 by Subject, covering 1,758 institutions across 55 specific subjects, we're ranked 75th in the world for Arts and Humanities

## VISION

University of York's vision is to be a world-leading university, renowned for its transformative research, innovative teaching, and positive global impact. It aims to drive forward knowledge, creativity, and solutions to address some of the world's most pressing challenges, while fostering an inclusive and supportive environment that empowers students, staff, and communities to succeed. The university identifies four core principle, as illustrated below, which speak to its moral compass and guides its actions in its endeavours to provide quality education.



## MISSION

The university has outlined four strategic aims, grounded in the core principles mentioned above, which will pave the way for bold and distinctive actions.

### 1. Curiosity driven and action-oriented research:

- Foster discovery, inspire teaching, and forge international partnerships while recognizing students as both recipients and drivers of new knowledge.
- Engage with industry for impact and income.

### 2. Providing an education that empowers:

- Develop innovative pedagogies and curricula.
- Teaching and learning underpinned by technology.
- High quality, flexible, inclusive and accessible lifelong learning journeys.
- Widen access locally and globally, and eradicating achievement gap - increasing access to digital knowledge and resources.



### 3. Local commitment on a global scale:

- Choose partnerships and collaborations that inspire our teaching and innovate our research.
- Expanding local and regional partnership opportunities.

### 4. Creating a community without limits:

- Support freedom of inquiry and expression.
- Create the right environments to work and study – including embracing digital solutions and tools and creating a collaborative and innovative campus.
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## OBJECTIVES

The University aspires to achieve the following key overarching objectives through enablers such as robust digital and physical infrastructure, strong financial autonomy and agile and aligned structures and processes:

- Tackle modern complexities by promoting interdisciplinary approaches and innovative solutions to global challenges.
- Transforming education by making learning more inclusive and accessible to students from all backgrounds.
- Unleashing the power of a diverse community by fostering a sense of belonging.
- Building mutually beneficial partnerships that expand and share knowledge for local impact on a global scale.



## WHY UNIVERSITY OF YORK MUMBAI?

- **Global York, Local Mumbai** – World-class UK degree, in India's financial and innovation hub.
- **World-Class University, Close to Home** – York Mumbai students study a UK degree with the same academic rigour as York, enriched with Mumbai's industry network.
- **Think Global, Learn Local** – Study and collaborate with peers across York, Europe, and Mumbai.
- **Career-ready from Day One** – Placements, live projects, built-in internships & employer-led teaching. While the students study an internationally-developed curriculum, they'll also benefit from the campus's strong connections to Indian industry – internships at major companies, live projects with startups, networking events with business leaders in Mumbai etc.,
- **York Strengths, Mumbai Edge** – Proven employability framework + Indian industry links.
- **Expert Faculty & Facilities** - International faculty and state-of-the-art learning facilities ensures that you get an education on par with the UK campus in terms of quality and academic rigour.
- **One Degree, Three Campuses** – Mumbai, York, Greece. Collaboration with York and European campus students, global alumni network, and international mobility options.
- **Community & culture** – Student life in Mumbai mirrors York's vibrant community, with societies, volunteering, cultural festivals, and opportunities to connect with peers abroad.
- **Holistic growth** – York Strengths & York Award ensure personal and professional development, preparing graduates for leadership in a global context.
- **Value-Based Education, Real Impact** – Study at a university that stands for public good and innovation – be inspired to create real-world impact through your education.
- **Education with Purpose** – York is a "University for Public Good," and the Mumbai campus carries that mission – educating students to be skilled professionals and conscientious global citizens who will positively impact society.



Representative image of the home campus.

# COURSES OFFERED AND INTAKE

## Undergraduate courses

Course	Student Intake
BA (Hons) Business and Management	30
BSc (Hons) Economics	30
BSc (Hons) Computer Science	30
BSc (Hons) Computer Science with Artificial Intelligence	30
BSc (Hons) Computer Science with Cyber Security	30
BA (Hons) Business of the Creative Industries	20

## Postgraduate courses

Course	Student Intake
MSc Artificial Intelligence	30
MSc Management	30
MSc Finance	30

# ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA AND SELECTION PROCESS

## Undergraduate Courses

### Eligibility criteria for UG Programs

Course	A-levels	<u>Indian Std 12</u> CBSE / ISC / Indian State Boards**	IB Diploma	English Language Requirements
BA (Hons) Business & Management	ABB (GCSE Maths C/4)	75% overall + 50% Maths in Std X	32 pts overall; HL Maths/Bus/Econ 5	75% from Standard XII* / IELTS 6.5 overall with 6.0 in each component
BSc (Hons) Economics	ABB (Maths preferred)	75% overall; Maths preferred in XII	32 pts overall; HL Maths 5	75% from Standard XII* / IELTS 6.5 overall with 6.0 in each component
BSc (Hons) Computer Science	ABB incl. Maths	75% overall; including 80% in Maths	32 pts overall; HL Maths 5	75% from Standard XII* / IELTS 6.5 overall with 6.0 in each component
BSc (Hons) Computer Science with AI	ABB incl. Maths	75% overall; including 80% in Maths	32 pts overall; HL Maths 5	75% from Standard XII* / IELTS 6.5 overall with 6.0 in each component
BSc (Hons) Computer Science with Cyber Security	ABB incl. Maths	75% overall; including 80% in Maths	32 pts overall; HL Maths 5	75% from Standard XII* / IELTS 6.5 overall with 6.0 in each component
BA (Hons) Business of the Creative Industries	ABB	75% overall	30 pts overall; HL English 5	75% from Standard XII* / IELTS 6.5 overall with 6.0 in each component

\* Standard XII English accepted from all Indian boards. If stipulated grades have not been met, then applicants will need to consider taking IELTS or any of the other approved tests.



## Selection Criteria for Undergraduate students:

- The selection of undergraduate students is on the basis of their academic performance (Class X and Class XI marks), personal interview and achievements in extracurricular activities.
- Shortlisted candidates will be invited to appear for the personal interview following a competitive evaluation of their academic record. Submission of an application does not guarantee an interview call, as only a select number of applicants will be shortlisted for this stage of the admissions process.
- For candidates with an outstanding academic record, the personal interview may be waived, and admission can be offered solely based on academic performance. Class X scores will serve as a key criterion in assessing academic merit.

## Evaluation criteria:

### i) Academic performance:

- The university has outlined four strategic aims, grounded in the core principles mentioned above, which will pave the way for bold and distinctive actions.
- Curiosity driven and action-oriented research:
- Foster discovery, inspire teaching, and forge international partnerships while recognizing students as both recipients and drivers of new knowledge.

### ii) Personal Interview:

- Shortlisted applicants will be invited for a structured personal interview conducted by a panel from the Admissions Committee.
- The interview will evaluate:
  - Communication and articulation
  - Alignment with the university's values and offerings
  - Motivation, resilience, and future aspirations

### iii) Extracurricular Activities:

- Applicants are encouraged to submit documented evidence of their participation and achievements in:
  - Sports
  - Debates, quizzes, and public speaking
  - Clubs (cultural, academic, or interest-based)
  - Community service or social initiatives
  - Creative or entrepreneurial pursuits

## Postgraduate Courses

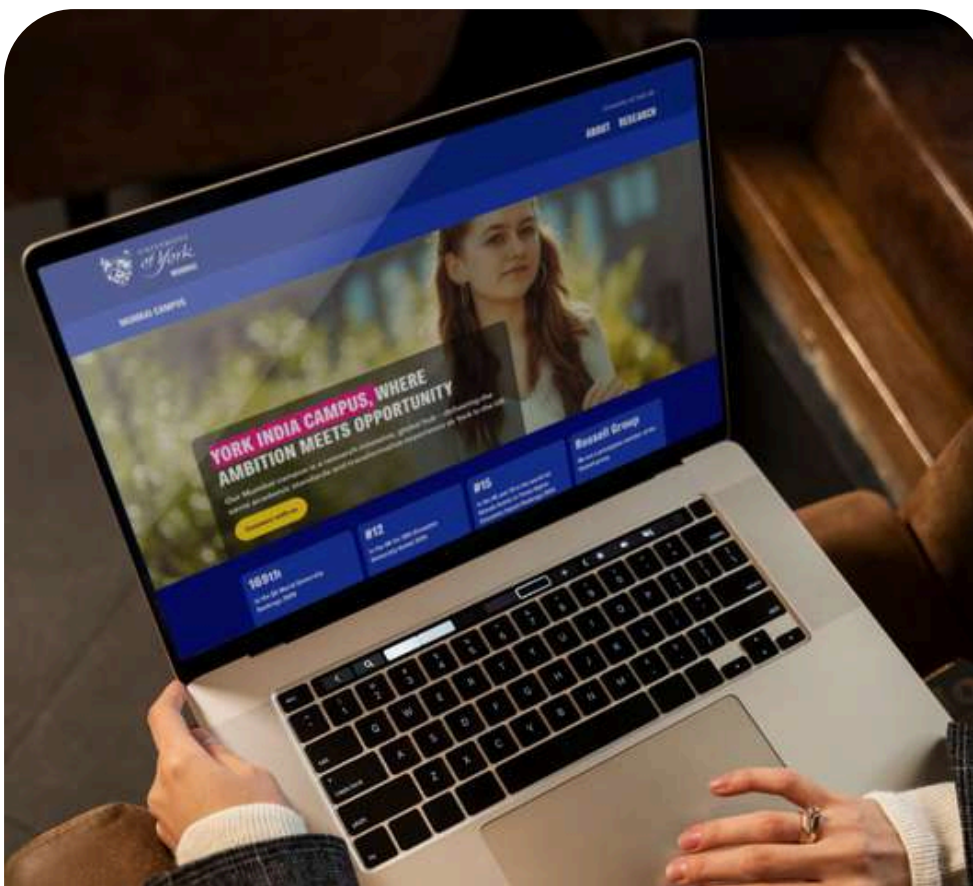
### Eligibility criteria for PG Programs

Course	Undergraduate Degree Requirements	English Language Requirements
MSc Finance	Bachelor's degree with above 60% in UG and containing one quantitative element module. Such quantitative subjects would include economics, finance, mathematics, statistics, engineering, physics.	75% from Standard XII* / IELTS 6.5 overall with 6.0 in each component
MSc Management	Bachelor's degree with above 60% in UG	75% from Standard XII* / IELTS 6.5 overall with 6.0 in each component
MSc Artificial Intelligence	B.E. / B.Tech / B.Sc / BCA in relevant field with minimum 60% overall	75% from Standard XII* / IELTS 6.5 overall with 6.0 in each component

\* Standard XII English accepted from all Indian boards. If stipulated grades have not been met, then applicants will need to consider taking IELTS or any of the other approved tests.

## Selection Criteria for Postgraduate Students:

- The selection of postgraduate students will be based on their academic performance (Undergraduate marks), personal interview, letters of references, statement of purpose and achievements in extracurricular activities.
- Candidates in their final year of Undergraduate Studies are also encouraged to apply. Merit will be assessed based on marks obtained up to the last declared semester/year of the UG programme, and final admission will be subject to submission of the complete and qualifying degree results as per the minimum eligibility criteria defined in the above section.
- Shortlisted candidates will be invited to appear for the personal interview following a competitive evaluation of their academic record and other relevant criteria. Submission of an application does not guarantee an interview call, as only a select number of applicants will be shortlisted for this stage of the admissions process.
- The University reserves the right to waive off the interview process (for programs where applicable) for candidates possessing an exceptional score in CAT / XAT / MAT / NMAT / GMAT / CMAT examinations.



## FEES AND SCHOLARSHIPS

The fees and scholarships information here is for students starting in the 2026/27 academic year

### Annual tuition fees

Course	Domestic Students (INR)	International Students (INR)
BA (Hons) Business and Management	1,250,000	1,400,000
BSc (Hons) Economics	1,250,000	1,400,000
BSc (Hons) Computer Science	1,250,000	1,400,000
BSc (Hons) Computer Science with Artificial Intelligence	1,250,000	1,400,000
BSc (Hons) Computer Science with Cyber Security	1,250,000	1,400,000
BA (Hons) Business of the Creative Industries	1,250,000	1,400,000
MSc Artificial Intelligence	1,650,000	1,850,000
MSc Management	1,500,000	1,700,000
MSc Finance	1,600,000	1,800,000

Note: Tuition fees may increase up to 5% for subsequent academic years. Students will be notified of any increase accordingly.

## **Domestic or international fees?**

The level of fee that you will be asked to pay depends on whether you're classed as an Indian (home) or international student.

### **Domestic Students:**

Domestic students are applicants who are Indian nationals and currently residing in India, applying for undergraduate or postgraduate programs at the University of York, Mumbai Campus.

**Please note:** In order to be considered as a domestic student, the applicant will need to both be an Indian citizen and be residing in India at the time of application.

### **Eligibility & Criteria:**

- Must meet the minimum academic qualifications specified for the chosen program, as outlined.
- Should have completed the relevant qualifying examinations from recognized boards in India (e.g., CBSE, ICSE, State Boards).
- Must fulfil any program-specific eligibility requirements, such as subject prerequisites or minimum marks.

### **Application & Selection Process:**

- Applications are submitted through the University's official admissions portal within the prescribed deadlines.
- Domestic applicants are evaluated based on academic merit, entrance test scores (if applicable), and holistic criteria including extracurricular achievements, personal statements, and interviews where required.
- Shortlisted candidates receive an offer letter subject to verification of documents and fulfilment of eligibility criteria.



## **International Students / Foreign Nationals / OCI / PIO**

International students are applicants who are Foreign Nationals; Non-Resident Indians (NRI); Overseas Citizens of India (OCI), or Persons of Indian Origin (PIO) and residing outside of India, seeking admission to undergraduate or postgraduate programs at the University of York, Mumbai Campus.

### **Eligibility & Criteria:**

- Must meet the minimum academic qualifications specified for the chosen program, as outlined.
- Must satisfy any program-specific eligibility requirements, such as subject prerequisites or minimum grades.
- English language proficiency must be demonstrated through recognized tests such as IELTS or TOEFL, unless exempted under the University's guidelines.

### **Application & Selection Process:**

- Applications are submitted through the University's official admissions portal within the prescribed deadlines.
- Applicants are evaluated based on academic performance, standardized test scores, personal statements, and interviews where applicable.
- Shortlisted candidates receive an offer letter subject to verification of documents and fulfilment of eligibility criteria.

### **Please note:**

- Foreign Nationals are required to possess a valid Student Visa issued by the Government of India for the duration of their study in the country.
- Domicile is the primary factor when it comes to deciding fee status and as such, Indian nationals residing overseas at the time of their application, where the primary residence has been outside of India will be considered as an international student.

## Scholarships

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At the University of York, Mumbai, scholarships are designed to recognise and reward academic excellence while also supporting students with genuine financial need. The scholarship policy will reflect our commitment to equity, inclusivity, and enabling access to high-quality education for talented students from diverse backgrounds. More details will be published in due course.

## REFUND POLICY

The University of York, Mumbai, is committed to ensuring transparency, fairness, and student welfare in all financial matters. This Fees Refund Policy for the Academic Year 2026–27 has been framed in accordance with the University Grants Commission (UGC) Notification on Fee Refund and Non-Retention of Original Certificates (2024).

### i) Application Fee

The application fee of INR 5,000 is non-refundable under any circumstances. Applicants are advised to verify eligibility criteria, program details, and deadlines prior to making payment.

### ii) Tuition Fee

The refund of tuition upon withdrawal of admission shall be governed by the timelines specified below, as per UGC 2024 guidelines and institutional best practices.

Time of Withdrawal of Admission	Percentage of Refund of Fees
15 days or more before the formally notified last date of admission	100% (a deduction of an amount not more than 5% of the fees, subject to a maximum amount of INR 1,000/- as processing fees)
Within 15 days before the formally notified last date of admission	90%
Within 15 days after the formally notified last date of admission	80%
Between 16 to 30 days after the formally notified last date of admission	50%
After 30 days from the formally notified last date of admission	No refund

In cases where a student has been granted a scholarship or fee waiver and subsequently withdraws, the refundable amount shall be calculated after adjusting such concessions.

All eligible refunds will be processed within 15 working days from the date of receipt of a complete withdrawal application.

### **iii) Admission Fees**

The admission fee of INR 50,000 paid by the student at the time of confirming admission shall be refundable on cancellation of admission by the student.

### **iv) Security Deposit**

The security deposit of INR 50,000 collected at the time of admission is fully refundable at the time of graduation or upon withdrawal from the University, subject to clearance of all dues, return of university property (if applicable), and completion of exit formalities.

## **Mode of Refund**

All refunds shall be made directly to the bank account provided by the student/parent at the time of withdrawal application. No refunds will be issued in cash.

Refunds shall be processed only after the student submits a duly signed withdrawal request along with necessary documentation.



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