

MA ILLUSTRATION AT FALMOUTH

WELCOME TO MA ILLUSTRATION AT FALMOUTH.

Your offer

Please remember that if you have been made a conditional offer to study at Falmouth, your place is subject to meeting those conditions. If you need to ask us anything about your offer, get in touch with our Admissions team on 01326 213730, use Live Chat on our website or email admissions@falmouth.ac.uk.

First week of term

The MA Illustration: Authorial Practice course is situated on the top floor of the Illustration Building (adjacent to the Fox Cafe) on the Falmouth Campus.

Your first day of attendance will be **Monday 25 September 2017**. Please come to the **MA Illustration Studio** for a **10am** start.

Both full-time and new part-time students will need to be available for the whole of the Induction Week from Monday 25 to Friday 29 September, unless you have made previous arrangements with us. There will be a number of inductions to various aspects of the course during the first week and you will be given a presentation of our recent MA Show.

You will also receive a full introduction to Falmouth, including Falmouth and Penryn campus tours, and be issued with your Falmouth University student handbook. This Induction Week sees the first of a series of sessions which form an introduction to practice as research, including an overview of the study requirements of the MA.

As part of the induction you will be asked very briefly to talk about your work, your ambitions for its development and your interests in authorial illustration generally. This will be very informal and you won't need to bring any examples of your work. The intention is to make everyone aware of the various approaches, skills, backgrounds and interests of each individual's practice and to help the group recognise any particular shared areas of interest and to nurture collaborations. Our students come from diverse backgrounds, so this exchange of knowledge and expertise will be valuable to all.

You can download a copy of the [Penryn Campus map](#) or the [Falmouth Campus map](#) from the Contact page of our website [here](#).

MyTimetable

<https://mytimetable.falmouth.ac.uk/> available from 14 September 2017

This is the link to MyTimetable, your online academic calendar which shows all scheduled learning activities and your course timetable. It will be available from 14 September 2017, however, timetables can be subject to change. To keep up to date, we recommend that you export the feed to your chosen device (mobile, tablet, laptop or desktop). An induction will be offered on the use of MyTimetable during Freshers 2017. Students have access to their

individual student timetables, once they have completed their online enrolment and IT induction.

Pre-course preparation

Essential

Please bring with you some general art equipment: pens, pencils, brushes, scissors, cutting edge, ruler, scalpel, any specific items of equipment you enjoy working with. There is a very good art shop on campus, so you can always obtain extra things there once you have arrived. You probably will already own these kinds of items of equipment, but if you were to buy them all it would be approximately £80.

First Semester

The busiest days weekly are Tuesdays and Wednesdays. This year we are planning to deliver workshops every week up until Christmas. These will, where possible be delivered on Mondays, Tuesdays or Wednesdays. Occasionally we may have to run a workshop on a Thursday or Friday due to availability of visiting lecturers.

Studio

There is an A3 scanner in the studio, cutting mats, an Epson printer and a collection of authorial illustrated books, graphic novels and comics for your exclusive use. Please don't take these out of the studio without permission. There are also enough plan-chests to allow each student a drawer.

Tuition fees (per year)

2017-18 full-time UK/EU: £8,000

2017-18 full-time International: £15,000

Enrolment and Student Terms & Conditions

You'll get an email two weeks before the start of term telling you how to enrol online. You'll need to enrol before the first day of term to officially register as a student of Falmouth University and receive an undergraduate student loan.

When you enrol, you'll need to agree to and comply with the University's Student Terms & Conditions. These Terms & Conditions are important and we encourage you to read them carefully, before enrolling. You can find them under 'Student Terms & Conditions' on our [website](#).

Over the next few weeks we'll email you more important information about your course and life at Falmouth. If you're going to be away or out of contact, make sure you ask someone to check your emails and reply on your behalf.

We know all of this can seem overwhelming and preparing for your course can involve a lot. So we're here to help. If you have any questions at all, just get in touch with Admissions on 01326 213730, use Live Chat on our website or email admissions@falmouth.ac.uk.

Finally, we wish you an enjoyable and creative time before the course starts and we're looking forward to welcoming you to Falmouth in September.

Yours sincerely

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