

## WELCOME TO BRISTOL UNIVERSITY

### AOCOMMODATION

The University has nine Halls of Residence\*. Most of the rooms are single although there are a few double rooms. Students are required to keep their room, clean and reasonably tidy. They also have to share responsibility with other residents for keeping kitchens and bathrooms clean.

There is a big opportunity to make friends and join in social activities with over 2,000 students on the site. All students are encouraged to contribute to the life of the community. In each Hall there are teachers who offer guidance and support whenever it is needed. All Halls are mixed and contain students from different countries and from different faculties.

Catering Halls\* provide breakfast and evening meal from Monday to Friday and some meals at weekends. Students always enjoy eating there.

### TRANSPORT

The Halls are about two mile5-'from the University and are on a regular bus route. In addition, the Students' Union organises an evening bus service between the Union and the Halls. The University is within walking distance and many students use bicycles. Car parking is difficult and students are discouraged from bringing a car to Bristol University.

### SPORTS FACILITIES

The University has a good range of sports facilities, including squash courts, a swimming pool and numerous tennis courts. Each Hall has several sports teams providing the opportunity to become involved in competitive and friendly sports at all levels. In addition to this, the Athletic Union has over 50 clubs which offer a wide range of sporting activities both competitive and recreational.

### COMPREHENSION: ( ....16.pts)

#### A . ARE THESE SENTENCES TRUE OR FALSE? JUSTIFY:(8pts)

1. Students can have a room of their own at the Halls.

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2. Catering Halls offer lunch to students.

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3. Students can use their own cars easily.

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- 4 Students can do three types of sports.

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#### B. ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS:(6pts)

1. Why is it easy to have friends at Bristol University?

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- 2.In what way does the Students' Union help with transport?

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- 3.How does the Athletic Union encourage sports activities?

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#### C. WHAT DO THE UNDERLINED WORDS IN THE TEXT REFER TO? (1pts)

1. They (p1) .....2, there (p3).....

#### D. FIND IN THE TEXT ONE WORD THAT MEANS THE SAME AS:(1pts)

advice (paragraph 2)..... several (paragraph 5).....

**VOCABULARY** (6pts)

**Complete the sentences with the right phrasal verbs: (3PTS)**

- 1. I had the fish on the line, but Just as I was getting it out of the water, it fell back in and.....
- 2. I know it is hard to find a job these days, but don't ..... .. keep trying and sooner or later You will get one.
- 3. Next year we will ..... .. finding new markets overseas of our Product.

**B-Put the words in the list in the correct form and suitable placed (3PTS)**

Appear—honest—polite — approve — agree.

- 1-The way he talked to his teacher was totally .....
- 2- It was too late to stop the news to ..... in national news papers.
- 3- Everyone was able to see that he used .....Tricks to succeed in the competition

**GRAMMAR** (8pts)

**A- Complete the sentences with the Present Simple or the Present Progressive of the Verbs in brackets. (3PTS)**

- 1- I Can't talk to you right now because I ..... (drive) to work.
- 2- ..... you and your friends .....(go) to the music festival this weekend?
- 3- .....Christopher .....know) Emily's husband ?
- 4- That laptop .....(belong) to Amanda, but Helen -..... (use) it at the moment.
- 5- I .....(see) my dentist tomorrow because I've got a terrible toothache.

**B ) Read the text and complete the blanks with the Past Simple or the Past Progressive of the verbs in the box. (5PTS)**

decide	drive	wake up	shine	arrive	
start	disappear	have	come	phone	

When I (1) ..... this morning, the sun (2).....  
As I (3) .....breakfast, my friend Julie (4).....  
me and we (5) .....to go for a picnic in the park.  
However, as soon as we (6) .....at the park, the sun(7)..... behind some dark  
clouds and it (8).....to rain. So Julie's mother (9).....and (10).....  
us home.

### III. WRITING: 40pts)

**Imagine that you have an English-speaking friend who lives in another town. Write a note to your friend, telling him/her your news.**

This image shows a full page of blank handwriting practice paper. It features multiple rows of horizontal lines designed to guide letter formation. Each row consists of three parts: a solid top line, a dashed middle line, and a solid bottom line. The rows are evenly spaced across the entire page, providing a template for practicing consistent letter height and placement. There is no text or other markings on the page.

Good luck!

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