THE COMPLETE GUIDE TO
Heriot-Watt University
Key Facts and Figures

Including university league table rankings and international information
League Table Rankings

The main University League Table ranks 127 UK universities across 10 key measures of importance to students. Universities are also ranked in 70 subject tables.

Follow the link to see the full University League and Subject Tables.

Rising 5 places in the main 2018 University League Table (and 10th for Facilities Spend). Heriot-Watt ranks 4th in Scotland. The university has three Scottish campuses (Edinburgh, Orkney and the Scottish Borders), and is also located in Malaysia and Dubai.

University League Table Rankings

29th out of 129 UK universities
2018 University league table ranking

Performance by Measure

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Top Universities in Scotland

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See the University League Table rankings for all universities in Scotland

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### Student Mix

#### Student population
- Small: <5,000
- Medium: 5,000–10,000
- Large: >10,000

#### Level of study
- Undergraduate: 68%
- Postgraduate: 32%

#### Mode of study
- Full Time: 85%
- Part Time: 15%

#### Where students come from
- UK: 69%
- EU: 9%
- Other: 22%

#### Student gender
- Male: 59%
- Female: 41%
Take it Further

Links for Next Steps

The Complete University Guide website contains lots of useful advice and information to help you choose the best course and university for you. We can help you all the way through your university application: from choosing and applying, to results day and beyond.

The University League Tables give you an indication of how a university compares to others: overall and by subject. But the league tables don't tell the whole story. You can find outstanding courses delivered by universities that are not top of the tables; and not all courses offered by the top universities are the best. A university lower down the ranking table may offer great expertise or excellent facilities for a specific subject.

To create your own list of possible universities, make sure you consult their profiles and all the tables of interest to you, and follow our advice on choosing a course, and a university. Click on the links below to find out more.

Researching and Choosing

Choosing the right course
Choosing a university
Our interactive course search tool

Applying to University and Results Day

Your university application and UCAS deadlines
Writing your personal statement
How to prepare and what to do on results day
Successful application through Clearing
University tuition fees and finance
Gap years

Advice for

Care leavers
Dyslexic students
Parents, guardians and carers

Your Health and Happiness

Sport at university
Complaints at university
Sexism on campus
Mental health at university

Preparing to Go to University

Where to live
Insurance
Managing your money
Staying safe
Part-time work
Saving money on travel
Freshers' week

If you have a question about anything relating to going to university, our team of experts can help: Ask us a question.