Silent Study and PC Labs

Group Study

For when you want to work in groups or discuss your coursework:

Library
- No booking required
- Floor 1: 200+ seats
- Floor 3: 300+ seats
- Booking required
- Floor 1: 5 group tables with wall mounted monitors, PC and laptop connectivity
- Floor 2: 4 group study rooms with a networked PC, smartboard, projection facilities, and purpose-built furniture
- Wifi and power sockets in all areas
- Book your space at http://hw.ac.libcal.com/
- Food is permitted in the cafe area only. Drinks with secure lids permitted in all areas.

Learning Commons
- Over 200 seats offering a variety and choice of learning and study settings.
- State-of-the-art digital learning and study facilities
- A convenient accessible location.
- A support service during core hours

Watt Study Hub
- Booking required
- The Wardlaw room: 4 group study tables each for 6-8 people
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Healthy and Considerate Study
To ensure a pleasant study environment for all, eating in the Library is only permitted in the cafe area.

Research has shown that taking regular breaks from work/study can improve productivity and physical and mental health and we would encourage you to take regular breaks away from your desk. The University provides a range of catering outlets across campus for you to choose from. See www.hw.ac.uk/ student-life/campus-life/edinburgh/ catering.htm

If you plan to be away from your study area for more than a quick break please take your belongings with you.

For healthy lifestyle and study tips see www.hw.ac.uk/students/health-wellbeing.htm

Need a break, some refreshment, or somewhere else to study?

Central catering areas
- From cafés to food courts – take your choice.
- All catering areas have wifi
- Find out more at www.hw.ac.uk/student-life/campus-life/edinburgh/catering.htm

PG Centre
- For postgraduate taught and research students only.
- Seminar rooms, study and social zones.
- Find out more at www.hw.ac.uk/student-life/campus-life/edinburgh/centre-for-postgraduates.htm

Crush Areas
- Located across campus within each School.
- Study and social areas often with vending machines nearby

Student Union
- Study in the relaxed atmosphere of the union
- Offering a mix of seating, bars and catering
- All areas have wifi.
- Bookable committee rooms: www.hwunion.com/services/room-booking

Keeping up to date
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PG Centre
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- Booking required
- 10 bookable individual study rooms
- 10 PCs in teaching room (when not used for teaching)
- Floor 3: 10 PCs in teaching room (when not used for teaching)
- Wifi and power sockets in all silent areas

PC Labs and MFDs
- There are over 480 PCs across campus for student use.
- 13 open access PC labs around campus.
- Locate the labs and check opening hours, printing, scanning and copying facilities (MFDs) and availability at www.hw.ac.uk/is/it-essentials/availability/edinburgh.htm
- Food not permitted in the PC Labs. Drinks with secure lids permitted.

Library
- Ground floor: 72 silent study seats
- Floor 2: 160+ silent study seats
- Silent PC lab with 10 PCs
- 10 bookable individual study rooms
- Floor 3: 10 PCs in teaching room (when not used for teaching)
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**Wifi across campus**

Wifi is available all over campus allowing you to use your own devices (make sure you access the Eduroam network). Many areas have sockets so that you can keep your devices charged.

For further information and details of wifi printing, see [www.hw.ac.uk/is/it-essentials/wifi.htm](http://www.hw.ac.uk/is/it-essentials/wifi.htm).

If you need further advice, please contact the ITHelpDesk ithelp@hw.ac.uk.

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**Exam Study**

The University opens up extra rooms during the busy exam period and also during semester if a room is not in use for teaching.

Find out which rooms are available at [www.hw.ac.uk/studyspace](http://www.hw.ac.uk/studyspace) and look out for the posters on room doors.

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**Study and PC Lab Locations**

For further details, opening hours, room availability: [www.hw.ac.uk/studyspace](http://www.hw.ac.uk/studyspace).

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**Study Space on Campus**

It’s easy to find lots of great places to study around Edinburgh Campus - whether you want to study alone or in a group, in silence or in quiet discussion, during the day or at the evenings and weekends. This guide will help you find a spot that suits you and how you want to work.

For further details, opening hours, room availability and booking: [www.hw.ac.uk/studyspace](http://www.hw.ac.uk/studyspace).