



CREATE YOUR STUDENT ACCESS CARD

To help you prepare for life at NWU, we've made it possible to submit the information for your student access card before you arrive on campus. By providing your details in advance, you can skip the queues when collecting your card. Follow the steps below to create your NWU student card.



You will need your 8-digit NWU student number e.g. 12345678



Follow the link below to create your student access card. Choose the "Prospective Student" option

[Click here](#)



Upload a colour ID photo (head and shoulders only) of yourself, clearly showing your face.

Please ensure:

- Only YOU are in the image, with no friends or family.
- Your eyes, nose, and mouth are clearly visible.
- Do NOT apply any filters or other creative effects.



You're done!
Your information has been captured and sent to Campus Protection Services.



Review a preview of your student access card to check that your details, such as name, surname, and university number, are correct. Once you are satisfied, submit the information.

PLEASE NOTE

By completing this process, you are not guaranteed registration at NWU. The student access card shown here is for illustrative purposes only and is NOT your final student access card. Your official student access card will only be issued once you have successfully registered with NWU and arrived on campus.



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