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**KING'S**  
UNIVERSITY



**Welcome Guide**

**2023-24**

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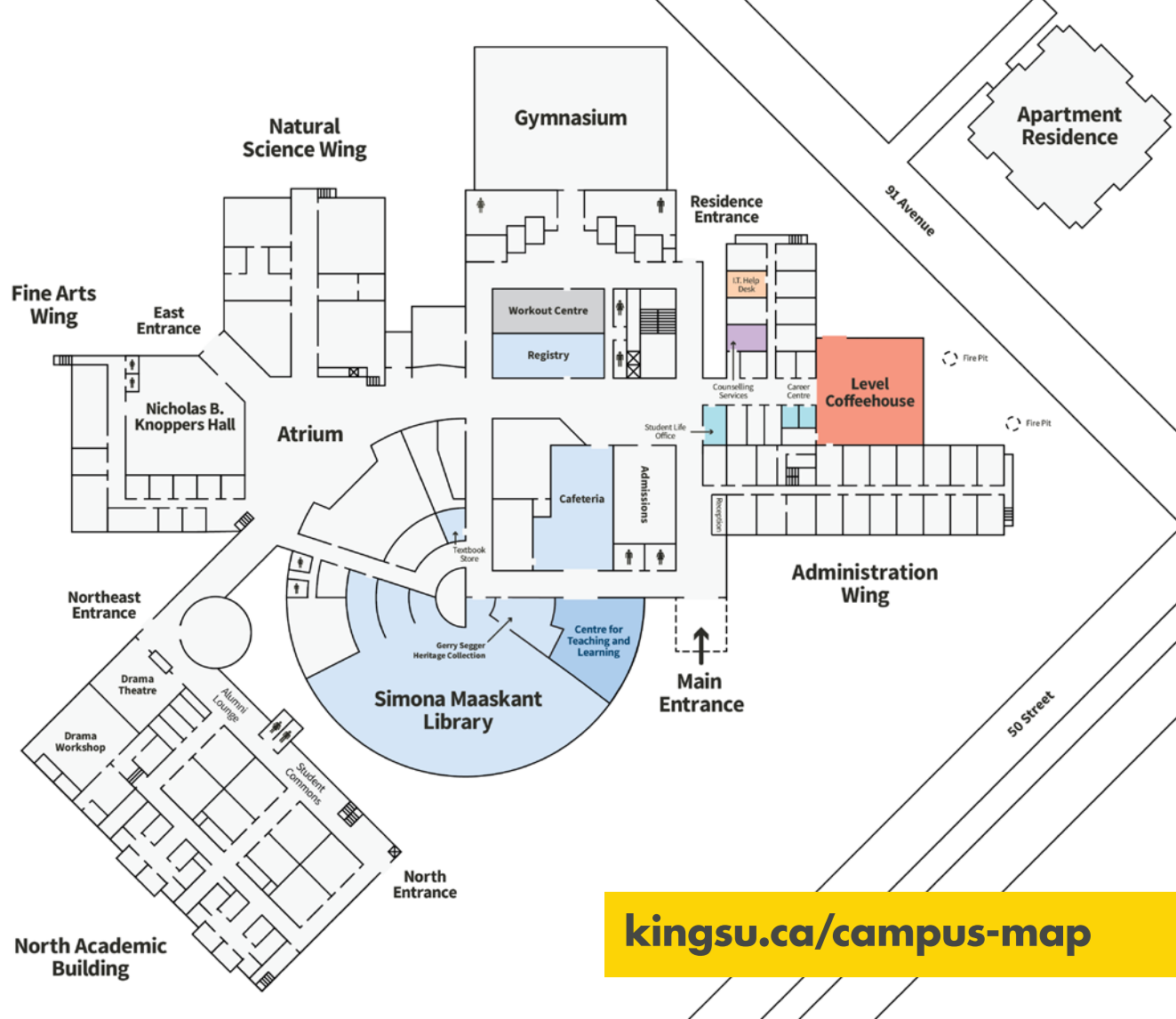
**Waiting is the  
hardest part.**

# Welcome to King's

We are so excited that you have made the decision to come to King's. You will love it here! Our 20-acre campus features everything you need for an amazing university experience: research labs, a recital hall, soft-seat drama theatre, student commons, athletics and fitness facilities, beautiful naturalized spaces, large residence units — the list goes on.

Small class sizes, quality instruction, and undergraduate research and internship opportunities are the foundation of an education at King's. Our programs inspire and equip students to succeed and make a difference in an ever-changing world.

King's is an authentic, inclusive environment where faith and academics come together and lifelong friendships are formed. See you next semester!



[kingsu.ca/campus-map](https://kingsu.ca/campus-map)

## Campus Services

**HOURS OF OPERATION** (Building hours 7 a.m. – 11 p.m.)

Academic Support	Mon – Fri 9 a.m. – 1 p.m.		
Cafeteria	Mon – Fri 7:30 a.m. – 7 p.m.	Sat 11 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.	Sun 10 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.
I.T. Help Desk	Mon – Fri 9 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.	Sat 7 a.m. – 11 p.m.	Sun 7 a.m. – 11 p.m.
Level Coffeehouse	Mon – Fri 8 a.m. – 5 p.m.		
Library	Mon – Thu 9 a.m. – 9 p.m.	Fri 8 a.m. – 6 p.m.	Sat 12 p.m. – 9 p.m.
Registry	Mon – Fri 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.		
Student Life Desk	Mon – Fri 8:30 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.		
Textbook Store	Seasonal 9 a.m. – 5 p.m.		
Workout Centre	Daily 7 a.m. – 11 p.m.		



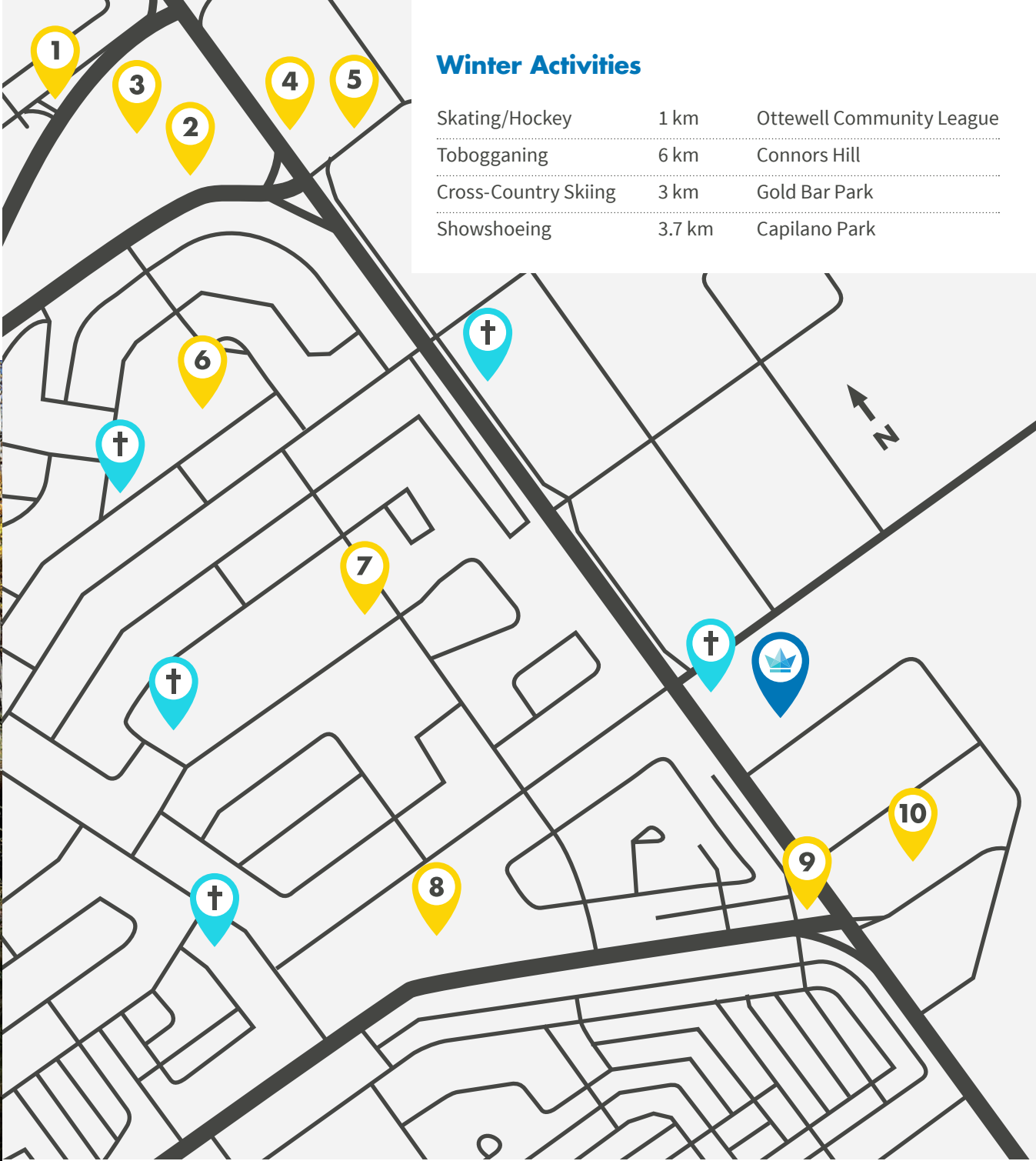
# Around the Corner

King's is surrounded by beautiful green spaces and the friendly neighbourhood of Ottewell. Nearby you'll find the Gold Bar and Mill Creek ravines with densely-treed multi-use trails, and the North Saskatchewan River valley, North America's largest stretch of urban parkland. For cozy cafés, unique shops, or restaurants and pubs to visit with friends, historic Old Strathcona is just a short bus or bike ride away.



### Did you know?

Did you know you could qualify for a free City of Edmonton Leisure Access Pass? Visit the City of Edmonton website to find out how you can get free access to pools, rec centres, and city attractions.



### Winter Activities

Skating/Hockey	1 km	Ottewell Community League
Tobogganing	6 km	Connors Hill
Cross-Country Skiing	3 km	Gold Bar Park
Showshoeing	3.7 km	Capilano Park



The King's University

- 1 Starbucks, Subway, Marble Slab Creamery, Mary Brown's Chicken
- 2 Fit4less
- 3 Walmart, Safeway, Boston Pizza, Five Guys, Mucho Burrito, Oodle Noodle, Tim Hortons
- 4 McDonald's, Canadian Tire, Mark's

- 5 Pho King, Dollar Tree, Red Swan Pizza
- 6 Running track, tennis courts
- 7 Batting cage, BMX track, baseball diamonds, basketball courts
- 8 Anvil Coffee House, Rexall, No Frills
- 9 7-Eleven, Simply Donair, Royal Pizza
- 10 Paintball Action Games





### Go Eagles!

Watch for game day announcements on the digital screens around campus and come out to support our amazing student athletes.

## Fall Semester

Fall on campus means gathering a few friends around a fire, sipping on pumpkin spice lattes, and looking ahead to the new year. As you begin your time at King's, here are some opportunities to get involved and make connections on campus.

### Students' Association Kick-Off

Kick off the year with a BBQ hosted by King's Students' Association. Gather some friends and enjoy the afternoon!

### Concerts & performances

Enjoy the arts at King's with annual drama productions and choir concerts, student recitals, and weekly musical showcases.

### Club, volunteer, and church fairs

Get connected by joining (or starting) a club and attend on-campus church and volunteer fairs to get involved, develop your interests, and grow in your faith.

### Research Symposium

Discover the fascinating research that happens at King's every day as professors and students share their work with the community.

## Orientation

### Online Orientation

Whether you're curious about how to contact your academic advisor, purchasing textbooks, or simply want to find opportunities to get involved, you will find all of your answers through King's self-guided online orientation.

### Welcome to Campus

Meet your Connect Group and spend the day on campus meeting your faculty, getting acquainted with campus services, and capping off the day with a BBQ and some outdoor fun! There is also a separate parent track organized by our parent relations office.

### Connect Groups

All first-year students are automatically assigned to a first-year Connect Group when they register for classes. Connect Groups let you encounter new people and new experiences at university. They provide the opportunity to draw connections between classes, tackle assignments with friends, and get involved in campus activities.

### First-Year I.S. Retreat

After a couple of weeks of making new friends and settling into the semester, head to the lake with your Connect Groups for canoeing, swimming, games, and more. The retreat also serves as your introduction to Interdisciplinary Studies (I.S.)—King's semi-annual, campus-wide conference that explores relevant cultural and political topics. The retreat fulfills your first-semester I.S. credit.





# Welcome to Residence

If you haven't applied to live in residence yet — do it today!  
In addition to being affordable and fun, studies have shown that living on campus improves your grades.

You'll be a short walk from classrooms and labs, academic resources, and campus amenities like the Level Coffeehouse, Workout Centre, cafeteria, and student lounges. Most of all, you'll have great opportunities to connect with other students and form life-long friendships.

First year students are guaranteed a space in the Tower Residence if you apply and pay your residence deposit by June 15.

Visit [kingsu.ca/residence](https://kingsu.ca/residence) for more information.

## Residence Amenities



Our residences are equipped with high speed wifi for your studying – and streaming, and gaming – needs.



Your residence fees cover all utility costs – heat, water, electricity – one payment, and you're good to go!



Residence offers you easy access to the Workout Centre, gymnasium, and other great campus amenities.



There is a free lot and street parking available on campus; plug-in spots are \$100 per semester.



Bedroom

## Ideas for packing

- 1 Bedding, blankets, sheets
- 2 Extension cord and power bar
- 3 Pillows
- 4 Bedside table
- 5 Bedside lamp
- 6 Clothes hangers
- 7 Wall art
- 8 Plants
- 9 Textbooks and personal books
- 10 Decorations and personal items
- 11 Laptop and headphones
- 12 Backpack
- 13 Desk lamp
- 14 Sticky notes
- 15 Notepad
- 16 Pens, pencils, Sharpies, highlighters
- 17 Paper and printer
- 18 TV
- 19 Video game console
- 20 HDMI cable
- 21 Lamp or hanging lights
- 22 Comfy chairs
- 23 Storage bins
- 24 Bathmat
- 25 Bath towels
- 26 Hand towels
- 27 Toiletries



Workspace



Hangout space



Washroom



# Preparing for your first year

Find everything you need to get started at King's by visiting your student portal.

[kingsu.ca/current-students](https://kingsu.ca/current-students)

## Confirm your place at King's

Pay your non-refundable tuition deposit to confirm your place at King's! After you've paid your deposit, stand by to receive a student ID number and email address. You will then be able to register for classes.

**Fall entry:** Tuition deposit due by June 15 (or within two weeks of receiving admission).

**Winter entry:** Tuition deposit due by November 30 (or within two weeks of receiving admission).

## Apply for student loans

We recommend that you apply for student loans and grants at least six weeks before the semester begins to give your funds enough time to come in. Government loan applications open in mid-June; we recommend that fall semester students apply no later than mid-July and winter semester students by mid-October

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**TIP!** If you have questions about student loans and grants, contact the Registration and Student Finance office. Find them at the Current Students Contact page.

## Check your textbook list

The fall semester booklist is released in mid-August, and the winter booklist is available in mid-December. Many students wait until the first week of class before purchasing textbooks so that they can clarify with professors which books and editions they require for their courses.

## Complete online confirmation

In late August, log in to CrossRoad from the Current Students Action page to confirm your courses, pay your tuition and fees, verify your contact information, and upload a Student ID picture. Watch your King's email for more information. Winter confirmation will open in late December. Once you have completed this step, you are officially a student of The King's University!

## Apply for scholarships & awards

In addition to any automatic admissions scholarships you may qualify for, you can apply for competitive scholarships and awards through King's Scholarships and Awards Application. The next round of scholarship applications opens **February 1, 2023**, and the deadline to apply is **March 31, 2023**.

Use our interactive scholarship tool and net price calculator at the link below to find awards applicable to your situation. View awards you have already recieved at any time using your CrossRoad account. You can accept your awards when you pay your tuition deposit. The deadline for accepting awards is **June 15**.

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**NOTE!** You need to pay your tuition deposit and register in **at least four classes per term** to receive scholarships, and **at least three per term** to receive bursaries.



### Remember!

Register for the \$50.00 Academic Success course (UNIV 150) when you choose your other courses.





# Build your schedule

## Log in to CrossRoad

(from [kingsu.ca/current-students](https://kingsu.ca/current-students))

Register for classes, create your schedule, check grades, view program requirements, and more. You will need to pay your tuition deposit and receive a student ID number before you can register for classes. Student ID numbers are distributed starting in April of each year.

## Program advisor report

(from the registration tab on CrossRoad)

From your advisor report you can see which requirements in your program remain outstanding. Use the ‘possible choices’ tab to discover course options that meet these requirements.

## My online registration

(from the registration tab on CrossRoad)

Choose the academic term you wish to add classes to and click the drop down menu to find available courses. Select your desired courses and click “make changes” to add them to your schedule.

## Choose your courses

(from the ‘Make Changes’ dialogue box)

Using information from your advisor report, add classes that fit your schedule by making course selections one at a time. If classes interfere with a previous course selection you have made, you will be alerted.

## Display course/fee sheet

(from the ‘My Online Registration’ page)

This will give you a broad, unofficial overview of your course selections and fees. This may not take into account all scholarships and awards you are entitled to. Payment is required in advance of online confirmation at the beginning of each term.





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## KINGSU.CA/CURRENT-STUDENTS

- ▶ Get ready videos
- ▶ Announcements and news
- ▶ Book appointments
- ▶ Access your application status
- ▶ Important dates and events
- ▶ Class cancellations
- ▶ CrossRoad login
- ▶ Registration information
- ▶ Online set up information

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## ATHLETICS.KINGSU.CA

- ▶ Workout Centre
- ▶ Scores
- ▶ Game day reports
- ▶ Schedules
- ▶ Rosters and coaching staff

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## KINGSU.CA/CAMPUS-LIFE

- ▶ Residence options
- ▶ Campus ministries
- ▶ Student involvement opportunities
- ▶ Clubs information
- ▶ The Level Coffeehouse
- ▶ Student publications

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## KINGSU.CA/SERVICES

- ▶ Student counselling
- ▶ Accessibility services
- ▶ Centre for Career & Calling
- ▶ Academic advising & support
- ▶ International students

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## SHOP.KINGSU.CA

- ▶ King's apparel
- ▶ Program hoodies
- ▶ Accessories



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