

# STARTING INFORMATION

## Foundation Learning - Gateway

### Welcome to Gateway at Brighton MET

#### Course details

- Develop life skills with a goal to become more independent and forward plan to either progress onto a mainstream course, or into Employment.
- Opportunity to continue studying Maths and English towards a FS or GCSE qualification by the end of your journey on Gateway.
- Roughly 16 hours on program learning.

Welcome to Brighton MET! We are delighted that you have been successful and will be joining us in September 2025. This is a great opportunity to develop your academic and professional skills, ready for whatever your next step might be.

This is a fresh start from school, and one that we are thrilled to be working together with you on.

#### What to bring on your first day

A pen/ pencil would be great.

This includes getting you set up on the computer network and getting your badge sorted.

Money (Cash or card) to be able to buy lunch from the cafeteria here at the East Campus.

#### Kit list / uniform

There is no uniform at MET as we want to encourage you to develop independence and individuality.

We are looking forward to you adding to the Inclusion community here at MET.

#### Summer tasks-

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We would like you to start thinking ahead to joining us at MET. Write down (on paper or a phone) 3 things that you are excited for when you join us in September and 3 that you are worried or nervous about.

## Other?

The first week will be a whirlwind, with lots of new students all descending on the campus at the same time.

It will feel very different from school which may be scary to start with, but you will grow to love the more adult way of working.

## Contact details

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