



# Homerton College

## Residential accommodation

Homerton College, Hills Road, Cambridge CB2 8PH



## 1 July to 25 August 2012

- single bedroom
- private shower room/toilet
- breakfast every day
- evening meal Monday to Friday
- on site laundrette
- non-smoking residence
- minimum age 16

### Homerton College university residence

Homerton College is part of the University of Cambridge and is located on Hills Road. It is located within walking distance or a short bus ride of Bell International College Cambridge, on a direct city bus to Cambridge City Centre.

The residence is used by Homerton university students during the academic year and by Bell students during the summer. Accommodation is in comfortable single study bedrooms with private shower room/toilet.

Homerton students are expected to make their own beds and keep their rooms tidy. Rooms are cleaned once a week and bed linen is provided weekly, and you will need to bring your own towels. Homerton has its own pay as you go laundrette with washing machines and dryers.

### Meals

Breakfast every day and evening meal Monday to Friday are included at Homerton. Students can buy lunch at Bell International from Monday to Friday and make their own arrangements for weekend lunches and evening meals.

Homerton is **non-smoking** and smoking is not allowed anywhere in the Residence.

### Cambridge

Cambridge is a beautiful historic university city, with cinemas, art galleries, theatres, cafes and bars, restaurants, pubs, the market place and many shops.

Homerton College Residence is located close to Cambridge Leisure Centre, where there is a cinema, bowling, shops, mini supermarket, gym, cafes, hotel, club and bar. It is on a direct bus route from Bell International College to the City Centre. In the centre of Cambridge there is also Parkside swimming pool and sports centre and the Grafton Shopping Centre with many shops, 8 screen cinema and several cafes and restaurants.

Cambridge is famous for its wonderful architecture and college buildings and students can enjoy the delights of punting on the River Cam, shopping or sightseeing around the many university colleges.

### Residential Supervisors

Bell has Residential Supervisors on site to ensure the safety and welfare of students outside of school times and during the night.

### Students aged 16 and 17

*Important Special Rules*  
– please see next page for full details

### Lessons and facilities at Bell Cambridge

Lessons are at Bell International College, Cambridge, located in an elegant manor house in its own extensive gardens in a residential area of Cambridge. Sports facilities include football field, tennis court, basketball and volleyball courts.

### Transport

Homerton College Residence is within walking distance of Bell International College and on a direct bus route to either the city centre or to Bell. Students can buy a weekly Megarider Bus Ticket for £13 and use this as many times a day as they wish.

## Accommodation Fees

### £295 a week

*single study bedroom with shower room/toilet*  
*breakfast every day*  
*evening meal Monday to Friday*

For further information, please contact:

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# Homerton College Rules

*We want all Bell students to enjoy their stay at Homerton University College Residence.*

*Bell students are guests of Homerton College and must respect their rules. Students should behave well towards other students and to staff, to ensure security and the good reputation of Homerton College and Bell International.*

## Your Room

You will be given a room on arrival. Please note that you cannot change your room unless arranged by Bell. Please do not remove any of the furniture or items in the residence. Please tell us if something is broken or missing in your room.

## Cleaning

Your room will be cleaned once a week and you will have clean linen to make your own bed every week. Students are responsible for keeping their bedroom and shower room clean and tidy. Please respect your fellow students by keeping communal areas clean and tidy.

## Fire Alarms

All rooms in College have fire notices. Fire alarms help ensure safety of all residents. When a fire alarm sounds everyone must leave the building by the fire escape indicated.

The fire alarms are tested on Thursday mornings 0900-1030 and it is not necessary to leave the building between these times.

**Only activate the alarm if there is a fire.** It is an offence to interfere with safety equipment, and any student who does not follow the Fire Alarm Policy or who interferes with safety equipment (including the covering of smoke detectors in bedrooms and other areas of the Residence) will be expelled immediately from the Residence.

## Smoking and Open Flames

Smoking is a serious fire hazard. Smoking is not permitted anywhere throughout the College buildings. Candles, incense sticks, hubble bubble pipes or any other open flames are not permitted.

## Behaviour

Students should show consideration and respect for others, and will be asked to leave Homerton if their behaviour is considered to be inappropriate, bullying, abusive, violent, disruptive or disturbing to others. Possession of knives or weapons is not allowed.

## Guests and Noise

*Students are responsible for the behaviour of their guests and ensuring that they follow the rules. All guests must leave the residence by 2300 (see also **Rules for Students aged 16 and 17**).*

**Students and guests must not enter the bedrooms of students aged 16 and 17.**

*There is a Common Room (called Homerton Buttery) where students can meet friends and visitors on site, and this is open in the evenings and at weekends.*

Students should show respect and consideration to others at all times and must be especially considerate:

*Sunday – Thursday 2200-0700  
Friday and Saturday 2200-1000*

You must not make any noise which could disturb others in or around the Homerton College site. This includes TVs, music players, radios, musical instruments, shouting, etc.

## Insurance and Damage

Students are responsible for the cost of damage to rooms or facilities. Homerton and Bell cannot be held responsible for loss or damage to students' possessions. Students are advised to keep their doors locked at all times and not to leave valuables in communal areas. Please note that anyone caught stealing in the Residence will be reported to the Police.

## Drugs

The possession, use, distribution or sale of any drugs is illegal in England. Any student found in possession of illegal drugs will be expelled immediately from the Homerton Residence and from Bell International College. We also reserve the right to search your room if we suspect that you may possess any illegal drugs and remove anything of concern.

## Alcohol and Tobacco

The legal age to buy alcohol and tobacco in the UK is 18 and it is against the law for anyone to buy alcohol for students under 18.

# RULES for Students aged 16 and 17

Students aged 16 and 17 are considered to be children in the UK. There are special Bell Rules for students under 18 living at Homerton Residence, and Bell has a special duty of care towards them. At Homerton we have Residential Supervisors on duty 24 hours a day, who are responsible for the supervision and safety of students and for ensuring that students follow the rules.

**Students aged 16 and 17 should:**

- behave responsibly at all times
- sign in and out as they leave and return to Homerton
- return to Homerton by 2330 each evening\*
- not allow any other student or visitor into their bedroom
- not enter any other student's bedroom
- not consume alcohol, purchase alcohol or bring alcohol on site
- not cause any disturbance or make any noise after 2200
- not smoke in any part of Homerton site

*\*in exceptional circumstances if students aged 16 and 17 wish to return to Homerton after 2330 or to be away overnight, Bell must receive **written permission from parents in advance of the student's arrival***

**Any student who breaks the Homerton Rules will be asked to leave the residence immediately and will also have to pay 2 weeks' accommodation fees.**

*Please remember that respect for other students and staff, as well as the residence building and neighbours, is essential.*

*We very much hope you enjoy your stay with us.*

## Emergency Telephone number

Please note the Bell 24 hour emergency telephone

**01580 879100**