

Relaxing

- Mindfulness Meditation at St Benet's Chaplaincy
 This is a simple way of meditating and can be helpful in coping with the stress of daily life. Sessions are free and open to all QMUL students and staff. For more info on dates visit: faith.gmul.ac.uk/mindfulness-staff-students
- The Medicinal Garden Located behind Beaumont Court The Medicinal Garden includes plants which were historically used in medicine.
- Mile End Hospital Garden
 Access through a gate behind Mucci's.
- Mile End Park

 A beautiful green space covering over 70 acres with a number of places to explore and relax during the day.
- Local Walks
- Whitman Road through Mile End Park
- Bancroft Road to Meath Gardens

Learning

- Tower Hamlets Local History Library and Archives
 Located on Bancroft road this library contains a wealth of
 information about the local area. Access to the archives
 requires pre-registration. Events range from history walks
 and talks to printmaking workshops.
 ideastore.co.uk/local-history-whats-on
- The Art Pavilion, Mile End
 A gallery space located in Mile End Park which is used for arts events ranging from exhibitions and craft fairs to poetry readings. For information on current exhibitions check:
- whitechapelgallery.org/first-thursdays/galleries
 - Archives display Mile End Library
 With documents dating from the 17th Century, the Archives are definitely worth a visit. Items from the archives are regularly exhibited at Mile End Library, ask a member of staff for more information. If you want to see something that isn't in the exhibition you can book a visit: archives@qmul.ac.uk

Listed buildings

- Queens' Building
 The Grade II listed Queens' Building is home to the elegant Octagon. Built in 1887, the Octagon was originally a library, designed by Victorian architect ER Robson and inspired by the Reading Room at the British Museum.
- People's Palace
 Originally opened in 1887 by Queen Victoria, the People's
 Palace was built to provide cultural activities to the people
 of East London. In 1931 the Queen's Hall was completely
 destroyed by a fire. The Palace was rebuilt and reopened

in 1936. Queen Mary purchased the Palace in 1954.

Clock Tower
The Clock Tower was built in 1890, for the benefit of the people of East London by Herbert Stern Esq, in memory of his father.

Keep Active

- **Cycling**Santander Cycles can be h
- Santander Cycles can be hired from Clinton Road or Queen Mary's docking stations on Mile End Road. There are several cycle routes through the parks and along the canal.
- Qmotion
 Qmotion is the sport & fitness centre for QMUL. The facilities accommodate a range of activities from group exercise classes through to performance training.
 qmsu.org/qmotion
- Free fitness classes at Mile End Park
 Classes range from yoga to box fit. To book visit:
 ourparks.org.uk/borough/mile-end-park
- Outdoor Gym Equipment in Mile End Park
 Free to use, located in the North of the park.

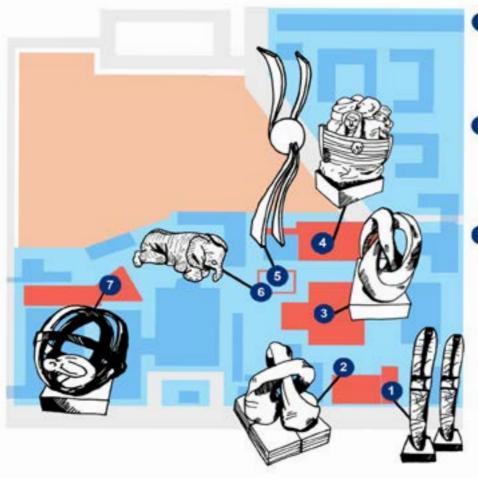
The Mile End Campus Sculpture Trail

1 Law -Clay sculptures Peter Hayes

2 ArtsTwo -Unknown sculpture

3 Library -'Linked Forms 2' 1985 Designed by Merle Freund

4 Bancroft Building -1991 J.M. Sells



5 Library Square -'Knowledge' 2003

2003 Wendy Taylor

6 Library Square -'Elephant in the

> Room' 2017 Designed by Chierol Lai

7 Graduate Centre - 'Mentis'

2017 Designed by Hannah Stewart



Our Community Foundation is a Sport Leadership & Workforce Development Programme run by the Students' Union. Since 2013, we have provided a platform for students to make a positive difference in the local community of Tower Hamlets. As well as supporting the community, we aim to enhance the student experience and increase employability.

Students can engage in a number of ways by facilitating physical activity with local schools and sport clubs, tackling issues through our Social Cohesion Sport Programme and supporting our Sports Camp during school holidays. All students can benefit through our Leadership Academy with rewards such as certificates, clothing, and funded sport qualifications.

www.qmsu.org/communityfoundation

Students' Union



Get Active is our recreational sports programme available to Queen Mary students, staff, and alumni. Whether you want to try something new or continue with one of your favourite sports with no commitment required, Get Active is the best place to do so in a fun, social and relaxed environment. We offer turn up and play sessions, structured courses, one-off events and much more! No specialist equipment or clothing is required to take part.

Get Active is a great way to stay fit, meet new people and make new friends, so get involved and give it a go!

www.qmsu.org/getactive

Students' Union

Contact us: Student Life

Student Experience Queen Mary University of London Mile End Road London E1 4NS

While understanding that Queen Mary University of London has taken reasonable safety precautions when selecting appropriate Wellbeing activities for students outside the campus, they cannot be held liable or personally responsible for any injuries, losses and damages that may occur while attending, exercising or participating in these external activities.

OMUL Useful Contacts

Student Support Contacts

my.qmul.ac.uk/services-and-support/ student-support-contacts

Advice and Counselling Service

Emotional, psychological, financial and student welfare support. welfare.qmul.ac.uk
Twitter: @QMUL_ACS
Student Health

Chaplaincy and Pastoral Support

Weekday NHS medical Service, health and wellbeing events www.studenthealth.qmul.ac.uk
Twitter: @QMStudentHealt

Music

Concerts, performances, music making and music tuition. www.music.qmul.ac.uk
Twitter: @QMUL_Music
Facebook: @QMULMusic

Have some extra time?

Why not visit:

Tower Hamlets Cemetery Park

A local nature reserve, look out for free guided walks by botanists and local history experts.

Tower Hamlets Cemetery Park Southern Grove, Mile End, E3 4PX

Stepney City Farm

A three acre working farm, seasonal farm-grown produce on sale and accessible tours available. Stepney Way, E1 3DG

Victoria Park

It has a large lake with three islands and boats to hire. Grove Road, E3 5TB

V&A Museum of Childhood

The museum where children, young people and families can imagine, play and design.
Cambridge Heath Road, E2 9PA

All are within walking distance from Mile End Campus and are free.



Wellness Trail
Mile End Campus



