Welcome to Nijmegen
Fun guide to studying in Nijmegen, the Netherlands
Hello!

We are very happy that you chose Radboud University.

Are you already excited to start your new study and life in Nijmegen? Do you want to learn more about your new university and home town?

In this booklet you will find a lot of information, as well as tips and tricks on how to make life as a Radboud student as comfortable and fun as it can be!

In Nijmegen, a lot of cultural and social events and sports activities are organised throughout the year.

Enjoy reading all about it in this booklet! We hope you can use it as a truly helpful guide that gets you even more excited about coming to our beautiful city and university.

Looking forward to welcoming you in Nijmegen, on behalf of Radboud University

Radboud International Students | Student Life and International Mobility

Follow us on Instagram for updates, useful information and other matters regarding student life!

@ radboudinternationalstudents

“The walk of the town that runs through the city, has allowed me to discover many side streets and beautiful perspectives of the city centre I had never seen before”

Carlijn, BA Business Administration
“The Vierdaagse feesten (“Four Days Marches”) are my favourite time of the year, the whole city feels like one big festival and everyone is in a happy mood. I always spend a lot of time at the festival at the Waal beach. It's the perfect mix of live music, food and drinks, and a great atmosphere. When you live in Nijmegen, you have to experience this amazing week at least once in your life”

Lisa, Master Environment and Society Studies
Info about the university

We have put together this list of pages with QR codes, so you can easily find all the information you need on our website.

**After you have been admitted**
As an international student, you will need to arrange a number of things before your arrival in Nijmegen.

**After you have arrived**
Are you coming to study at Radboud University? Then of course you want to get off to a flying start.

**Practical matters**
With all information regarding registration at the municipality, about the residence permit, a tuberculosis test and the biometrics.

**Dutch health care system**
The Dutch medical care system might be different from your system back home. Therefore, read up on the Dutch healthcare system in the Netherlands.

**Insurances**
When studying in the Netherlands, it is essential that you obtain the appropriate insurance.

Finances

**Dutch bank account**
As soon as you have moved to the Netherlands, it can be very practical to open a Dutch bank account and receive a debit card. In the Netherlands payment is usually made by debit card (pinpas) and in cash with Euros.

**Cashless campus**
Please note that on campus, you cannot pay with cash. You can only pay with your debit card.

**Working as an international student**
As an international student in the Netherlands, you may want to take a part-time job to cover your living expenses or to get to know Dutch society in a different way. Read here how you can work alongside your studies. Please note that it might not be easy to combine study and work. And it is not always possible to find a part time job. So make sure you have enough money to live on.
Transport

A bike is THE mode of transport for the Dutch, but there are other great options as well.

Bikes

Rent a bike

**Long term**
- Student Mobility Bike, [Student Mobility bike](https://www.ns.nl/en/studentmobility)
- Swapfiets, [swapfiets.nl/en-NL](https://www.swapfiets.nl/en-NL)

**Short term**

Buy a bike

Where can I find a bicycle repairman?

- Wheels tweewielers, St. Annastraat 42, 024 323 01 58
- BikeWerk Nijmegen, Bloemerstraat 125, 024 323 16 05
- AFAC (Algemene Fiets Afhaal Centrale), Hulsenseweg 2, 024 737 01 26
- Bike Totaal Jos van Hees (on campus), Geert Grooteleplein 22, 024 361 90 09
- De Concurrent, Van Trieststraat 23, 024 323 18 19
- Rijwielhandel Evers Janssen, Kan can Oostzaat 2A, 024 355 20 15

Public transport

How does public transport work? Which card do I need to use?

**OV Chipcard: travel pass for train & bus**
- There are different types of OV chip cards. If you already have a personalised OV-chipkaart, you can buy and upload a subscription to your card with discount. A personalised card is only possible with a Dutch bank account. For all train subscriptions take a look at [www.ns.nl/en/nswlex/webshop#bestelling/producten](https://www.ns.nl/en/nswlex/webshop#bestelling/producten)
- Anonymous cards that you can top up can be purchased at the BRENG service desk at the central train station and at service counters of the train companies while going from one city to another. So check carefully which train company you are travelling with and make sure you pick the right check-in pole before you go on the platform and the right check out when you leave the train station.

**Nijmegen Bus Discount pass**

Nijmegen municipality offers its residents with a low income a special discount pass, that can be uploaded on a personal OV card. It will only cost you 15 Euro’s a year to travel in off peak hours. You can download the flyer with more detailed information on [www.ru.nl/raadboudinternational/nijmegenbuscard](http://www.ru.nl/raadboudinternational/nijmegenbuscard)

**Traveling by train**

**Train tickets**

You can buy a ticket via the NS app with credit card or iDeal. You can also buy a paper ticket at the ticket machine, but you will have to pay 1,00 Euro extra. For more information check out the NS website [www.ns.nl/producten/en/meestkaartjes-toeslagen](http://www.ns.nl/producten/en/meestkaartjes-toeslagen)

Please note: It is not possible to buy a ticket on the train.

**Group tickets**


**Student Mobility Card/OV-Chipkaart**

With the Student Mobility Card you can get a 15% discount in off peak hours on public transport. For more information: **Student Mobility card**

- With this card you also receive the online ISIC card. The ISIC card is the only internationally accepted student identity card.
- At the university library and the Central Student Desk there is also a loading dock for the OV chip card. You will need a Maestro bank card to be able to use it.
- There is an OV Service & Ticket Office at the central train station in Arnhem.

**Planning your trip**

For train schedules, go to
- [www.journeyplanner.9292.nl](http://www.journeyplanner.9292.nl)

**Checking in and out on the train**

Checking in and out at the Dutch Railroad company (NS) is mandatory. This is possible with an OV-chipkaart, but it is also possible to buy special (discount) (paper) tickets, but remember to always check in before you go on the train and out when you leave. Otherwise you will be fined.

**Two train companies**

Please note that there are two kinds of trains in the Netherlands: NS (yellow) and Arriva (red or blue). Sometimes you need to switch trains and train companies while going from one city to another. So check carefully which train company you are travelling with and make sure you pick the right check-in pole before you go on the platform and the right check out when you leave the train station.

**Traffic rules**

What are the traffic rules of the Netherlands? You can also have a look at Road signs and regulations for cycling in the Netherlands.

**Travel information**

These digital magazines contain lots of basic travel information [www.naardecampus.nl/reisopties/international-students/](http://www.naardecampus.nl/reisopties/international-students/)
Useful Apps & websites

Info on student life
Student Life website
On this website you will find lots of information on living in Nijmegen as a student. Get to know everything about student associations and organisations, you name it!

Apps for students
Here you will find an overview of all Radboud University apps for students.

Public Transport
NS Reisplanner
The app by NS, the most important train transport company in the Netherlands, allows you to check up-to-date travel information, such as timetables, departure times, platforms and prices. Also, it shows you if there is a delay or engineering work is planned.

9292
9292.nl/en
Another important public transport app is 9292. Type in your current location and your destination, and the app will exactly tell you how to travel. It shows many means of transport, such as bus, train, tram and metro.

Maps
Google maps
Find local businesses, view maps and get driving directions.

Maps.me
With this app you can download maps of cities and countries, including Nijmegen, and check it off line.

Weather
Buienradar
www.buienradar.nl
We all know that the Dutch weather can have all four seasons in one day. Be prepared! Check the current weather and the weather forecast using this app. It shows you a map of the Netherlands that can be zoomed into and it will tell you whether it is going to rain.

Buienalarm
A more precise app that predicts rain is this one! Tell the app your location and it will exactly show you whether or not it is going to rain, and if so, how much it will rain. It’s available for free in all app stores.
Student wellbeing

Student support
Radboud University offers support to students whom, for whatever reason, need help to successfully complete their studies. Check out all available support at the following page.

Wellbeing Week
Radboud University also organises a Wellbeing Week every year with an interactive and hybrid programme. You can acquire new information and inspiration, on subjects like focus, energy management and relaxation.

Create your own social network
Important for your wellbeing is building your own social network, here are our tips:

• ESN Nijmegen
  Student organisation that connects international and Dutch students by organising fun activities.

• Student Chaplaincy
  Organises activities and welcomes anyone, regardless of their beliefs, gender, sexual orientation, etc.

• Meet and Eat
  Get to know other students over an affordable dinner, every Wednesday at the Student Chaplaincy.

• Radboud Sports Centre
  Discover over 80 different activities and connect with other students at the Student Chaplaincy.

• Goin’
  An app which focuses on connecting students in a meaningful, ethical way. RU students can use the code: 49615.

• Social Dutch
  Free Dutch courses for all international RU students, through Radboud into Languages.

• Study association
  Becoming a member of a study or student association is a great way to expand your social network.

• Perplex
  This study cafe is a great place for international students to study and relax

• Radboud International Students
  They offer and inform international students about social activities. You can also become a mentor during the Orientation Weeks.

Sports events

Several sports events are organised in Nijmegen during the year. You can participate in all the events listed below if you sign up in advance (check the deadlines!).

On Campus
Radboud Sports Centre
Sports Centre • www.ru.nl/rsc
You can do all sorts of sports and compete in competitions at the Radboud Sports Centre.

Dutch championship running up the stairs of the Erasmus building
trappenloop.hoosjeatletiek.nl/?lang=en
Organised by Nijmegen Student Athletics Club ‘t Haasje (‘the little hare’) a unique competition running up the stairs of the Erasmus building which has 20 floors!

Campus Run
Once a year, you have the opportunity to run competitively over the campus! The Campus Run is a run of approximately 4 km. For more information, send an email to: bestuur@nssr.nl.

In Nijmegen
Batavierenrace
www.batavierenrace.nl/english
The Batavierenrace is the largest relay race in the world and also the largest student event of the Netherlands. It is usually organised in April or May. The route covers 175 km, going from Radboud campus to Enschede, and is divided into 25 stages (17 men’s stages and 8 women’s stages). Afterwards, the biggest student party, with over 12,000 visitors in the Netherlands takes place on the campus of the University of Twente.

March
Stevensloop
City centre • www.alfalavalstevensloop.nl/
This is a city run, starting and finishing in the centre of Nijmegen. The Stevensrun has something for everyone, with distances of 5km, 10km and half a marathon.
Running courses
If you would like to go for a run in Nijmegen by yourself there are a few courses/spots that we recommend:

• The river Waal: You can go for a run next to the river Waal and cross the Waal by passing bridge ‘De Oversteek’, and/or bridge ‘De Waalbrug’.
• Goffertpark: Goffertpark is Nijmegen’s biggest park; perfect if you would like to go for a run while escaping the traffic.
• Ooijpolder: Ooijpolder is a beautiful nature area with tracks varying from 5-12 km.
• Heumersoord: A nice, green area nearby the university campus.

Cycling routes
Nijmegen is also well known for its cycling routes. For example to the Millinger Tea Gardens. This is a beautiful oriental-Mediterranean garden, hidden in the Ooijpolder in Nijmegen. The garden is opened every day from 10 – 18, millingertheetuin.nl
For more tips on cycling routes please check: www.mapmyride.com/nl/nijmegen-gelderland

“I love walking at the Waalstrand, it is a beautiful place!”
Anouk, Premaster Business Administration
Cultural and social events

On Campus

**Cultuur op de Campus (Culture on Campus - CODC)**
*www.ru.nl/cultuuropdecampus*
CODC organises live music, cinema, theatre, comedy, fine arts and festivals. Many activities are in English, so check the agenda!

**Radboud Reflects**
*www.ru.nl/radboudreflects/nieuwsbrief/subscribe-to-newsletter*
Radboud Reflects organises lectures and debates on campus.

**Radboud Events**
Radboud organises free festivals and activities on campus, so check the socials!
*@radboud_uni*

Study & student organisations

- **www.ru.nl/en/students/student-life/student-organisations**
- **www.esnijmegen.nl/**
  Nijmegen also has a student organisation for all internationally minded students. Like their Instagram to keep updated on the activities they will organise during the year.

**Radboud International Students (RIS)**
Organises the Orientation Week and other events for international students. Follow RIS on Instagram to stay updated on all events.
*@radboudinternationalstudents*

**Intro Week**
Radboud organises an Intro Week in August for Bachelor students
*www.ru.nl/en/students/new-students/orientation-week*
And an Orientation Week for international exchange and (Pre) Master’s students in August as well as in January
*www.ru.nl/en/students/new-students/orientation-week/for-international-students*

**Master’s Welcome Day**
New (pre-)Master’s students are welcome to get to know Radboud University at the Master’s Welcome Day in September
*www.ru.nl/en/students/orientation-week/for-masters-students*

**Radboud Wellbeing Week**
In October, you can join Radboud Wellbeing Week with lots of interesting sessions.

**Week of the International Students**
A week that puts international students in the spotlight with lots of opportunities to meet new Dutch and international students.

**To stay updated**
Keep an eye on our social media for updates.
- Instagram: **Radboud International Students**
- Student Newsletter
- Radboud Events *www.ru.nl/en/about-us/events/for/1428*

In Nijmegen and surroundings

**LUX Arthouse**
Mariënburg 38-39 • *www.lux-nijmegen.nl*
LUX houses a cinema, but it also regularly organises debates, theatre shows and other cultural events. Students can get a discount on tickets for the movies. You can also get a combination ticket for food and a movie.

**Lindenberg**
Ridderstraat 23 • *www.delindenberg.com*
Lindenberg offers many cultural courses: for example music, dance, pottery, theatre and cabaret. Most courses are offered to (international) students at a reduced rate.

**De Vereeniging**
Keizer Karelplein 2D • *www.stadsschouwburgendevereeniging.nl*
Students can get a discount on most shows. Radboud Staff with a membership pass of the Personnel Association can check: www.ru.nl/pv/actueel/korting-cultuur for discounts.

**Doornroosje**
Stationsplein 11 • *www.doornroosje.nl*
Award-winning pop stage next to the central train station in Nijmegen.

**Merleyn**
Hertogstraat 13 • *www.doornroosje.nl*
A smaller pop stage in the city centre. The place to discover your new favourite upcoming artist.
**Waalhalla**  
Winselingseweg 12 • [www.waalhalla-centrum.nl](http://www.waalhalla-centrum.nl)  
An indoor skate park where concerts and workshops are organised as well.

**NYMA**  
Winselingseweg 16 • [www.devasim-nijmegen.nl/nyma-terrein](http://www.devasim-nijmegen.nl/nyma-terrein)  
At this former factory site, many cultural hot spots are located. Come here for your daily dose of food, drinks, and culture. Make sure to check out the following venues at NYMA:  
**De Vasim** • [www.devasim.nl](http://www.devasim.nl)  
**Brebl** • [www.brebl.nl](http://www.brebl.nl)  
**De Achtertuin** • [www.achtertuin.nu](http://www.achtertuin.nu)

**Hubert**  
Sint Hubertuslaan 10 • [www.hubertnijmegen.nl](http://www.hubertnijmegen.nl)  
Cultural incubator Hubert is the place to check out for your occasional vinyl market, vintage clothing festival, party and much more.

**Pathé Cinema**  
Willem van Arenbergstraat 4 • [www.pathè.nl/bioscoop/nijmegen](http://www.pathè.nl/bioscoop/nijmegen)  
Located next to a city beach outside of Nijmegen, you can watch all kinds of films.

**VUE Cinema**  
Tweede Walstraat 16 • [www.vuecinemas.nl](http://www.vuecinemas.nl)  
This cinema in the city centre shows you all new films.

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### Events per month

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| **February / March** | **Carnaval**  
During carnival Nijmegen turns into ‘Knotsenburg’ and for 3 days the city is filled with dressed up people. It starts with a parade on Sunday, followed by several carnival parties. Other cities like Den Bosch and Maastricht are also well known for its Carnaval. |
| **April** | **Go Short**  
[www.goshort.nl/en](http://www.goshort.nl/en)  
Go Short is the festival for short film in the Netherlands. The best short films are played here, and you can also join many workshops, parties and educational activities. |
| **Easter Jazz** | **Nijmegen East** • [www.festivalinoost.nl](http://www.festivalinoost.nl)  
Listen to live jazz music the entire afternoon and evening in 8 cozy bars in the district called Nijmegen-Oost. Tickets are about €7.50. |
| **Billy in Bottendaal** | **Bottendaal** • [www.facebook.com/billy.inbottendaal](http://www.facebook.com/billy.inbottendaal)  
Greased quiffs, petticoats and a lot of rockabilly bands in the district called Bottendaal! |
| **King’s Day** | **King’s Day** • [www.oranjepop-nijmegen.nl](http://www.oranjepop-nijmegen.nl)  
King's Day is the biggest national event in the Netherlands. Everything and everyone turns orange and celebrates the King's birthday. Concerts, fairs, flea markets and parties are organised throughout the country. In Nijmegen there are many activities, such as Oranjepop. Every major city also organises its own festival. |
| **June** | **Kids ‘n Billies**  
[www.kidsnbillies.nl](http://www.kidsnbillies.nl)  
Two outdoor stages with a line-up of surf, rockabilly, blues, country, one-man-bands, rootspunk and more! |
| **May** | **Drift**  
[driftomtedansen.nl](http://driftomtedansen.nl)  
One of the most popular electronic music festival with electronical, house and disko music. |
| **Down the Rabbit Hole** | **Beuningen** • [downtherabbithole.nl/english](http://downtherabbithole.nl/english)  
Three-day music festival nearby Nijmegen with both upcoming and well-known artists. |
| **De Kaaij festival** | **Under the Waal bridge** • [www.dekaaij.nl](http://www.dekaaij.nl)  
Cultural activities near the Waal beaches under the bridge in July and August. Perfect to chill and relax in the afternoon or evening. |
| **Four Days Marches Festival** | **All over town** • [www.vierdaagsefeesten.nl/en](http://www.vierdaagsefeesten.nl/en)  
The Four Days Marches are also known as the Walk of the World. For four days, thousands of participants walk 30, 40 or 50 kilometers each day. For those who are not interested in walking, Nijmegen turns into one big party lasting all week ‘Vierdaagsefeesten’ (Four Days Festival) with lots of live music. |
| **Gebroeders van Limburg festival** | **In the city centre** • [gebroedersvanlimburg.nl](http://gebroedersvanlimburg.nl)  
Once every three years, a medieval festival about one of the most well known medieval brothers in the Netherlands. There will be live shows and medieval battles. It will be partly for free, but for some performances you have to pay. |
**September**

**Samba Festival**
All over town • sambafestivalnijmegen.nl/?lang=en
Samba and Salsa take over the city centre of Nijmegen during this weekend. Dozens of samba, dance and capoeira groups are performing and several workshops are available.

**Het Nest**
Goffertpark • https://hetnest.nl/
A popular festival in the green Goffertpark where you can dance to techno music.

**November**

**Troost van Oost**
Nijmegen East • www.detroostvanoost.nl
Listen to typical Dutch songs in different bars throughout the night in the district called Nijmegen Oost. If you would like to have a real Dutch experience, you should go!

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**For more information about the city of Nijmegen and (social) events:**
- Instagram: Radboud International Students
- Instagram: ESN Nijmegen
- Dutch Locals supports the connection between internationals and local people in Nijmegen with a lot of fun activities. dutch-locals.com
- City of Nijmegen • en.intonijmegen.com/
- The Tourist Information Office (VVV) is located at Grote Markt 17 • en.visitnijmegen.com/

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**Museums**

**Museum Het Valkhof**
Keizer Karelplein 33 • www.museumhetvalkhof.nl/
Museum Het Valkhof houses a major collection of Roman antiquities, old masters, and modern art. Radboud students have free access.

**St. Stevenskerk** (St. Stephen's Church)
Sint Stevenskerkhof 64 • en.stevenskerk.nl
The construction of the St. Stevenskerk started in 1254. It has been rebuilt and enlarged over the centuries, resulting in the current gothic building. The St. Stevenskerk is a beautiful church and one of the biggest monuments in Nijmegen. It is mainly used for weekly ecumenical church organ concerts on the famous König organ, exhibitions, cantus of the HRG Achelous and orations and on some days you can also climb up the tower.

**De Bastei** (Centre for Nature and Natural history)
Waalkade 83 • www.debastei.nl
An interactive museum that tells the story of the river Waal, Nijmegen’s nature and landscape. Wander amongst ancient Roman walls and go see their surprising exhibition.

**Info centre World War II**
Ridderstraat 23 • infocentreww2.com
The info centre World War II in Nijmegen gives a great introduction to the history of how Nijmegen was affected by World War II. Inside you will find an interactive map that tells you everything about historic events, and a short movie that give you an impression of the aftermath of the war. Also, the skilled employees will be happy to share their knowledge with you. Access is for free.

**National Bicycle Museum Velorama**
Waalkade 108 • www.velorama.nl
Nowhere in western Europe you will find such an extensive collection of bicycles and bike-accessories as in this historic building on the Waalkade. You will get a complete picture of the evolution of the bike – the most important means of transportation in the Netherlands.

**MuZIEum**
Ziekerstraat 6B • www.muzieum.nl
MuZIEum is a hands-on museum about being able to see – or not. Feel, taste, smell and listen to the daily life, but through the eyes of a blind person. A unique experience that will open your eyes!
Museumpark Orientalis
Profetenlaan 2 • www.museumparkorientalis.com/en
An open-air museum where you can experience different cultures and religions in an educative and playful way.

Brewery De Hemel
Franseplaats 1 • www.brouwerijdehemel.nl/index.php/english
De Hemel is a lively museum and brewery located on the ground floor and the cellar of the Commanderie van Sint Jan. Here traditionally made beer is brewed and served with pleasure and is also processed into vinegar, mustard, whiskey, liquor and genever.

Also check out:
City of Nijmegen
www.intonijmegen.com
Tourist Information Office (VVV, located at Keizer Karelplein 32/H in the Schouwburg) www.vvvarnhemnijmegen.nl/ (choose EN)
Citystore Nijmegen
Tourist information and Nijmegen goodies Grote Markt 17 www.visitnijmegen.com/plan-je-bezoek/citystorenijmegen

Discount Cards
Museum card
www.museumkaart.nl
The Museumkaart (museum card) is an annual membership card which gives unlimited free entry to almost 400 museums in the Netherlands, including 35 museums in Amsterdam and 8 museums within 25 km of Nijmegen. It costs approximately €60.- per year, but will literally pay for itself after only a few visits, particularly when used at major museums such as Rijksmuseum, Van Gogh and Maritime - so it’s well worth the investment.

ISIC / Student Mobility card
www.isic.org/discounts
The ISIC card is the only worldwide accepted student card. It only costs €10 instead of €15 if you use the Radboud discount code: ISICRU. You can also buy a Student Mobility-chipkaart, a custom made public transport card for international students. For a few euro’s extra you then also receive a 15% discount if you travel by public transport in off peak hours.

Knaek discount card
https://knaek.com/ml
Buy a Knaek discount card for a few euros and get discounts in shops and restaurants.

ESN card
The ESN card is the membership card of the Erasmus Student Network. It is also used as a discount card in many cities and countries around Europe.
esnijnjegem.nl/esncard/

On campus
Radboud campus is home to various lovely restaurants and cafés. Here is an overview.
• www.ru.nl/fb/english/food-and-drink
Please note: on campus alcohol is only served from 15.30 onwards.

De Refter
Erasmusplein 1 • (@ Erasmus building)
Open: Mondays–Thursdays 8.00–20.30. Friday 8.00-16.30. It has foodcourts (burgers, pizza etc.)
Het Gerecht
Montessorilaan 10 • (@ Grotius building, Faculty of Law)
Opening hours: Mondays – Thursdays: 11.00–19.00. Fridays: 11.00–14.00.
On Fridays it serves delicious Dutch pancakes!

University Restaurant ‘A gebouw’
Geert Groteplein Zuid 10 • (University hospital RadboudUMC, building A, route 607)
Open: Mondays – Fridays 08.00-20.00. Saturdays – Sundays: 11.00-20.00

University Restaurant Giga-Bite
Heyendaalseweg 135 • (@ Huygens building, Faculty of Science)
Open: Mondays – Fridays 11.00-14.00. It serves warm snacks and sandwiches.

Cultuur Café
Mercatorpad 1 • (@ Collegezelancomplex)
Open: Mondays - Fridays 10.00-23.00. It offers lunch, coffee, drinks and snacks.

The Yard Sports bar & Café C
Heyendaalseweg 141 • (@ Elinor Ostrom Building)
The Yard, open: Mondays – Fridays: 07.00-23.00
Café C, open: Mondays – Fridays: 7.00-22.30
Coffee Corner UB
Erasmuslaan 36  •  @ Central University Library
Opening hours: Mondays – Fridays 08.30–22.00.
Grand Café Iris
Thomas van Aquinostraat 4  •  @ Maria Montessori building, Faculty of Social Sciences
Open Monday - Thursdays 08.00-21.30, Friday 08.00-20.00
SPAR university supermarket
At SPAR university next to the Refter you can buy maller meals like sandwiches. Card payment only.

In town

Breakfast & Lunch
Kannenmarkt
Bairro Alto
www.bairroalto.nl
A nice place to go for pies, cake, sandwiches and salads.
Downtown Nijmegen
www.downtownnijmegen.nl/down-town
A nice place for a good salad, soup, cake and coffee
Van Broeckhuysenstraat
Fresca
frescanijmegen.nl
A lovely place for very healthy (and also less healthy) homemade dishes.
Bagels & Beans
www.bagelsbeans-nijmegen.nl/
It’s all in the name: pay a visit to Bagels & Beans for fresh bagels and good coffee.

Van Welderenstraat
Cat café Balthazar
kattencafebalthazar.nl
A must-visit for cat lovers! Have drinks or lunch surrounded by several cats in this café.
Nolita
www.nolita_nijmegen.nl
The place to be for pancake and streetfood lovers! A variety of American and Dutch pancakes is served.

Other spots
FIKA
Van Broeckhuysenstraat 5  •  fika-nijmegen.nl
With its Scandinavian style (food as well as interior) a unique place in Nijmegen.
De Witwasserij
Hertogstraat 5  •  www.dewitwasserij.nl
A combination of a café and a launderette, so you can do your laundry while enjoying your tasty food and good coffee!
De Blonde Pater
Houtstraat 62  •  www.blondepater.nl
Specialised in serving coffee, lunch and salads.
Cali
Priemstraat 13  •  www.calinijmegen.nl
They serve lunch, coffee and (special) beers, biological wine, big and small snacks.
Atelier
Van der Brughenstraat 14  •  www.atelier-nijmegen.nl
Good food, good drinks and good tunes.

Van Welderenstraat
Puck
puckspecialtycoffee.nl
Bluf
www.blufnijmegen.nl

Other spots
Coffee Lab
Van Oldenbarnevelstraat 81  •  coffeelab.nl
Bhalu
Bloemerstraat 95  •  www.bhalu.nl
Kushin
Ziekerstraat 136  •  www.kushiin.nl
Fika Kantoor
Van Broeckhuysenstraat 5  •  fika-nijmegen.nl/
kantoor
In de Kazerne
Molenveldlaan 146  •  www.indekazerne.nl
Lunchbar de Viking
Lange Hezelstraat 104  •  lunchbardeviking.nl

Tati
Koolmans Beynenstraat 80  •  www.tati-nijmegen.nl
Colourful and vintage café that also serves only vegan options.
Smaakrijk Nijmegen
Lange Hezelstraat 12  •  FB SmaakrijkNijmegen
Enjoy a nice breakfast in a peaceful part of Nijmegen city centre.
HEMA
Grote Markt 5  •  wwwHEMA.nl
Good for basic breakfast, lunch and dinner! It also has the best view of the Grote Markt.

Study cafés
Kannenmarkt
De Wit Wasserij
www.bairroalto.nl
Bairro’s Buro
www.bairroalto.nl/bairros-buro
Van Welderenstraat

Dinner
(f.y.i. restaurants usually close around 22.00 hrs.)

Plein 44
De Dromaai
www.dedromaai.nl
This café offers affordable lunch and dinner, with an option for discount at the cinema.
Zappa’s
www.zappas.nu
Italian food: pizzas, pastas and salads.

Other spots
’t Hoogstraatje
Hoogstraat 3  •  www.hoogstraatje.nl
Serves different kinds of pancakes.
Fine Dutch dining with a modern twist.
Bar Bloom
Grote Markt 26  •  www.dewaaghnijmegen.nl
Coffee, well priced lunch, high tea, cocktails and mocktails: you can find it all at Bar Bloom.
Eazie
Molenstraat 140  •  eazie.nl/en/
Healthy food for student proof prices, like poke bowls and wok dishes.
Taste of Home
Lange Hezelstraat 9ba  •  www.instagram.com/taste_of_home_024/
Colombian and Caribbean food. Come here for the best pastechi in town!

“If you’re a fan of aesthetically pleasing interiors, lots of plants and good coffee, please give Down Town near the great market a try”
Jolijn, Master Cultural Policy
“I love going to Smaakrijk at the Lange Hezelstraat. You can sit in their beautiful garden while enjoying your breakfast. You do not even notice that you are in the middle of the city centre”

Anouk, Premaster Business Administration

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**Molenstraat**

**Café van Buren**
- www.cafevanburen.nl
  A true student cafe with salads, pastas and burgers

**SUMO**
- restaurantsumo.com/restaurants/nijmegen
  Another spot for sushi lovers. It has an ‘all you can eat’ menu.

**Hertogstraat**

**InCredible**
- Hertogstraat 1 • www.in-credible.nl
  Go for a coffee, a drink or cocktail, or an evening by the fireplace with a tasty bite to eat.

**Don Pablo**
- Hertogstraat 9 • www.donpablo.nl
  Mexican & Argentinian restaurant.

**Other spots**

**De Waagh**
- Grote Markt 26 • www.dewaaghnl.nl
  De Waagh is a restaurant in one of Nijmegen’s most well-known historic buildings.

**Bistro De Bok**
- In de Betouwstraat 14 • www.bistrobebok.nl
  A nostalgic restaurant, famous for its barbecued meat.

**Nibbles**
- Ganzenheuvel 1 • www.nibbles-nijmegen.nl
  Very diverse shared dining.

**Mr Jacks**
- Kelfkensbos 50 • www.mrjacks.nl/
  A cosy Italian and Greek restaurant to make you feel like you’re in a mediterranean scene.

**De Achtetuin**
- Winkelsgeweg 41 • achtetuin.nl
  Nice place, nice food, good beer and a festival vibe.

**De Plak**
- Blooemerstraat 90 • www.cafeplak.nl
  The best place for vegan and vegetarian dishes.

**Pancake Boat**
- Waalkade 100 • nijmegen.pannenkoekenboot.nl/en/
  All you can eat pancakes for a fixed prize, while enjoying a cruise on the river Waal.

**Tomi Sushi & Grill**
- Klein Marienburg 24 • www.restaurant-tomi.nl
  After an ‘all you can eat’ sushi menu, enjoy the sweets bar with ice cream and pastries.

**Bar Pasta**
- Groesbeekse dwarsweg 304 • www.barpasta.nl
  A cosy small Italian restaurant for all your primis, pastas, salads, dolcis and drinks.

Looking for more restaurant tips?

Follow our Radboud Alumnus and foodie Olesia on Instagram @tastenijmegen

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**Clubs & bars**

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**Blooemerstraat**

**Bloemerbar**
- www.instagram.com/bloomerbar
  A pub and a club with electronical music in the city centre of Nijmegen.

**PAAK Vinyl Bar**
- www.paakvinylbar.com
  A streetfood bar with vinyl shop wheer djs play their vinyl tunes.

**Café De Plak**
- Blooemerstraat 90 • www.cafeplak.nl
  Come dance at De Plak at one of the many parties they host.
Other spots
Roxy’s Karaokebar
Platenmakersstraat 3 • www.roxyskaraokebar.nl
Into karaoke? Hop in to sing some songs!

Dollars
Grotestraat 9 • cafedollars.nl
A rock & roll café with lots of live gigs.

Bars
Van Welderenstraat
Bar Socio
www.barsocio.nl
A good place for drinks and cheese boards.

Why Not
whynot-nijmegen.nl
From sea food to high wines.

Paradiso
paradiso-nijmegen.nl
Lovely Italian shop and bar

Other spots
Trafo
Winselingseweg 47 • www.trafonijmegen.nl
Cool new restaurant and bar in an industrial setting.

Nostra Lunch Winebar
Van Broeckhuysenstraat 48 • www.nostranl.nl
It’s all in the name!)

Lebowski
Bloemerstraat 84 • www.bar-lebowski.nl
Lovely winebar in the city centre

Casa Valencia
Pauwelstraat 9 • casa-valencia.nl
Traditional tapas and drinks in an authentic southern Spanish atmosphere

Tierney’s Irish Pub
Molenstraat 55 • www.tierneysirishpub.nl
Lovely Irish pub that often has events like comedy nights and live music. Also a good spot for live sports.

The Shamrock
Smetiusstraat 17 • www.shamrocknijmegen.nl
Another good Irish pub, great for watching sports.

Bar Glitch
Grotestraat 5 • www.barglitch.nl
Unique fine drinking and cocktail bar in the city centre.

Camelot
Grote Markt 37 • www.cafecamelot.nl
Cosy beer bar in the heart of the city. Into . Go here if you’re into playing some pool as well!

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Paula, International Business Communication

Frequently asked questions

Where can I buy stamps?
At the service counters in supermarkets and at the PostNL service points.

Where can I find a post office (PostNL)?
There are several so called PostNL offices or service points of PostNL in Nijmegen:

- Albert Heijn St. Jacobslaan 61
- Bruna Daalseweg 263
- Kantoorboekhandel Jacobs Groenestraat 169

“The market in Nijmegen is the place to be to get fresh fruit, fresh fish and fresh vegetables. Also, if you have ever heard of ‘stroopwafels’, make sure to get the freshly made ones here. Those are a must-try for everyone coming to Nijmegen!”

Tomas, MA Economics, Behaviour & Policy
Where can I buy cheap cutlery, candles, vases, bed linen, et cetera in Nijmegen?

- **Action** Graafseweg 45
- **Big Bazaar** Molenpoort Passage 110 (city shopping centre)
- **Blokker** Broerstraat 25c
- **HEMA** Grote Markt 5
- **Primark** Plein 44 136
- **So Low** Molenstraat 54 and some second hand stores (see next page)
- **Wibra** Burchtstraat 78
- **Xenos Outlet** Molenpoort Passage 22 (city shopping centre)
- **Zeeman** Sint Jacobslaan 137 or Dommer van Poldersveldweg 267
- The market on Monday and Saturday in the city centre

Where can I buy second hand furniture, cutlery, tv, radio in Nijmegen?

- **Habbekrats** In de Betouwstraat 17. 024-3222710. Open from Tuesday till Friday from 12.00 until 17.30 and on Saturday from 12 until 17.00. [www.habbekratsnijmegen.nl](http://www.habbekratsnijmegen.nl/)
- **Het Goed** Industrieweg 50, 024-6456904. Open from Monday till Friday from 9.30 until 18.00 and on Saturday until 17.00.
- **Stichting Basta** Begijnestraat 34, 024-3241618. Open in the afternoon on Wednesday 14.00-17.00 and Saturday noon-17.00. [www.bastanijmegen.nl](http://www.bastanijmegen.nl/)
- **Stichting Overal** Bredestraat 52, 024-3771744. Open on Wednesdays and Saturdays from 14.00 until 17.00.
- **Maro** Heidebloemstraat 1, 024-6634275, [www.kringloopwinkel-maro.nl](http://www.kringloopwinkel-maro.nl)

Which supermarkets are there?

- **Spar** (University Campus). Open weekdays 10.00-19.00, Ground floor Erasmus building.
- **Cheap:**
  - **Aldi**
  - **Lidl**
- **Less expensive:**
  - **Jumbo**
  - **COOP**
- **More expensive:**
  - **Albert Heijn** (AH) (except for AH basic items)
  - Most supermarkets are also open on Sundays from noon-20.00. Please check your local supermarket for more information.
  - **Sema market** at Hoogeveeldt complex:
    - Opening hours weekdays: 08.00-21.00.

Check the map in the middle of the booklet for more specialised supermarkets.

Can I get a discount card for the supermarket?

Most supermarkets (like AH) have a special super market card (at the AH e.g. it is called ‘bonuskaart’), that can give you discounts on certain items every week. It is wise to get one at the store. At the service desk they can give you more information.

Is there an outdoor market in Nijmegen?

There is one on Monday morning and Saturday morning: **Grote Markt, Burchtstraat, Kelfkensbos.** On Wednesday you can find a small market on **Couwenbergstraat 30, Hatert** from 9.00-12.00.

Where can I bring my laundry for (dry) cleaning in Nijmegen?

- **Wasknijper** Bloemerstraat 4 (city centre); open 07.00-22.00.
- **De Witwasserij Donuts & Bar** Hertogstraat 5 (city centre); open 10.00-17.00.

What are the rules concerning alcohol and drug use in the Netherlands?

- **Drugs:** [www.government.nl/topics/drugs](http://www.government.nl/topics/drugs).
- **Alcohol:** [www.government.nl/topics/alcohol](http://www.government.nl/topics/alcohol).

No free plastic bags

Because of a new environmental law you will always have to pay a small amount for a plastic bag at supermarkets or other stores. Some stores have paper bags that are for free. Of course you can also bring your own bag.

Does Nijmegen have separated waste disposal?

Nijmegen has a slightly different waste system than the rest of the Netherlands, with a higher emphasis on recycling waste.

- **Paper**, **plastic**, and **glass** can be deposited in special containers, located throughout the city. In your supermarket you can get special ‘plastis+’ bags to collect **plastic**.
- On most **plastic and glass bottles** (even 500 ml ones) and **cans** you have to pay a deposit, which you can get back when you hand them in at supermarkets.
- **Foods and garden waste** are collected in green containers, and is collected every other week.
- For your **general waste** you need to buy special plastic garbage bags, which are available in every supermarket. These bags cost about 10 euros per 10 bags. On [www.dar.nl/afvalwijzers](http://www.dar.nl/afvalwijzers) you can find the garbage collection schedule. Just type in your postal code and it will pop up.
- You can find information about how it works on an SSH& complex on: [simon.sshn.nl](http://simon.sshn.nl)
Mobile phones
Where can I get/ buy phone cards?
Radboud University will automatically provide all International non-EU students with a free prepaid Lebara card that already has some credit on it. EU students can also get a free sim card at the student desk.

Do you not want to use the free sim card provided by Radboud University?
You can also buy another sim card in the city centre or online.
If you do, please let us know your new phone number and change it in Osiris so we can contact you in case of an emergency.

What is the cheapest way to phone home?
You can best use Whatsapp or facebook to call for free. Please also check the website:
• www.teledump.nl (only in Dutch)

What are the rules concerning alcohol and drug use in the Netherlands?
• Alcohol: • www.government.nl/topics/alcohol
• Drugs: • www.government.nl/topics/drugs

Where can I find general information about social activities and living in Nijmegen?
• Radboud International Students: Instagram
• ESN Nijmegen: Instagram and website
• City of Nijmegen: • en.intonijmegen.com
• The Tourist Information Office (VVV) • www.vvvarnhemnijmegen.nl (choose EN) • www.arnhemnijmegencityregion.nl

Where can I read the news?
Online Magazine VOX
• http://voxweb.nl/international
For interesting articles, including blogs by international students and staff.

Radboud News
You can check out all the Radboud related news on • www.ru.nl/news

Student Newsletter
Always check the monthly student newsletter as it will contain a lot of usefull, fun and interesting information.

What are other useful links?
• • nijmegen.studentenkorting.nl for information about student discounts (only in Dutch)
• • www.studyinholland.nl

Where can I get Radboud Merchandise?
You can buy it online via • radboudstore.nl/

“My favorite spot on the university’s campus is the benches behind the Huygens building where I used to have lunch and meet up with my friends. I think not many students from other faculties really drop by the Huygens building, and so this area is kind of a “hidden gem” with not so many visitors. I was lucky enough to coincidentally discover it and it became my favorite spot to just relax after many hours of studying. There are some nice benches and tables outside where you can sit and enjoy the sun. You can also enjoy the lovely view of a lake and many trees and flowers, so it is especially picturesque in the summer. I remember sitting by the lake with some friends and enjoying some berries last summer there, and it was the most peaceful feeling ever!”

Linh Le – Bachelor Economics and Business Economics
Useful Dutch words and phrases

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“I love to be at the Gymnasion playing squash, tennis, or to discover any other cool sport”

Ramon – Master of Business Administration

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<td>Dienstregeling</td>
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<td>Traffic light</td>
<td>Verkeerslicht</td>
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<tr>
<td>See you later</td>
<td>Tot straks</td>
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<td>See you today</td>
<td>Tot morgen</td>
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### (Ordering) Dutch food & drinks

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<td>I would like to order a(n)...</td>
<td>Ik wil graag een ... bestellen.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Can I have the bill please?</td>
<td>Mag ik de rekening?</td>
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<td>I want to pay</td>
<td>Ik wil graag betalen.</td>
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<tr>
<td>Breakfast</td>
<td>Ontbijt</td>
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<tr>
<td>Lunch</td>
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<tr>
<td>Dinner/supper</td>
<td>Diner/avondeten</td>
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<td>Starter/First course</td>
<td>Voorgerecht</td>
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<td>Main dish</td>
<td>Hoofdgerecht</td>
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<tr>
<td>Dessert</td>
<td>Dessert/toetje</td>
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<tr>
<td>Coffee</td>
<td>Koffie</td>
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<td>Coffee with hot milk</td>
<td>Koffie verkeerd ('wrong coffee')</td>
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<td>Tea</td>
<td>Thee</td>
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<td>Milk</td>
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<td>Soda</td>
<td>Frisdrank</td>
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<td>Beer</td>
<td>Bier</td>
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<td>Wine</td>
<td>Wijn</td>
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<td>French fries (US) / chips (UK)</td>
<td>Friet</td>
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<tr>
<td>Fries with mayonnaise</td>
<td>Friet met mayonnaise ('frietje met')</td>
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<td>Croquettes*</td>
<td>Kroket</td>
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<td>Bread roll with a kroket</td>
<td>Broodje kroket</td>
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<td>Bitterbal**</td>
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<td>Mashed potatoes with vegetables</td>
<td>Stamppot</td>
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<td>Soup</td>
<td>Soep</td>
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<td>Bread</td>
<td>Brood</td>
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<td>Potato chips</td>
<td>Chips</td>
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<td>Mixed nuts</td>
<td>Borrelnootjes</td>
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<td>Various deep fried snacks</td>
<td>Bittergarnituur</td>
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* Ragout filled croquettes, typical Dutch snack
** Deep fried ragout filled ball, typical Dutch snack

—I love going to LUX to catch a movie and take the perfect break from daily life—

Ramon, Master Business Administration
### Shopping

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<td>Hoeveel kost het?</td>
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<td>Bon</td>
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<tr>
<td>Ticket</td>
<td>Kaartje</td>
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<td>Voorverkoop (vkv)</td>
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<td>Uitverkoop</td>
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<td>To pay / to check out</td>
<td>Betalen / afrekenen</td>
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<td>Free of charge</td>
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### Days of the week

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### Weather

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“A really fun place to hang out in Nijmegen in summer is the Kaaij: a cultural terrace in the harbour, close to the Waal bridge. Dangling lights, live music, and dinner on cosy boats: you find it at the Kaaij!”

Jolijn, Master Cultural Policy