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The Geographies of Food & Fashion

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I'm currently undertaking a module called 'The Geographies of Food and Fashion', a module I didn't expect to be on offer before the start of university. This module examines and discusses the ins and outs of both the Food and Fashion industry, from the farmers at the start of the manufacturing process, to the consumers at the end. This module considers the environmental, economic, and social aspects of Food and Fashion, whilst taking on the challenge to understand the view of a variety of stakeholders- my personal favourite topic was Extreme Veganism!

Although this module is assessed through exams, university is all about working with your peers! I often get together with my friends and debate certain topics, share notes, and help answer each other questions. Working as a team is such a fun way of learning and is more beneficial than I ever thought it would be whilst I was at school.

Also, at university you can explore what you are interested in. After your set of lectures, you are advised to do some extra reading on the topics that stand out to you the most, and although there's an advisory reading list, you can leap beyond that!

At school I loved geography and I was extremely eager to delve further into my passions in higher education, and university certainly didn't disappoint. Geography is a vibrant and dynamic subject, waiting at university for you to explore, #choosegeography.