



## HORIZÔN SUNDERLAND

Horizon presents a brand new range of self-contained studio apartments, designed to cater to students and professional commuters in Sunderland, the North's growing maritime city.

The high-specification studios at Horizon are centrally located, standing in the heart of Sunderland city centre, and provides potential investors the chance to benefit from a 9% NET rental return (excluding ground rent) assured by the developer for 3 years.

At just 0.65 miles from the main University of Sunderland campus, and 0.44 miles from its Sill Tom Cowie campus, Horizon offers central and contemporary accommodation for the city's large student population.

In 2016, Sunderland was voted the UK's 'To Student City' for landlords by LendInvest owin to its generous rental returns and strong studer numbers.

With studios at Horizon starting from just £49,995, these apartments are ideal for propert investors looking to capitalise on a city wit exceptional potential.

# Development Overview

Horizon is comprised of a number of self-contained luxury studio apartments.

Situated close to the University of Sunderland's main campuses and just 0.31 miles from the city's main shopping complex, Horizon is ideally located for both students and young working professionals living in Sunderland.

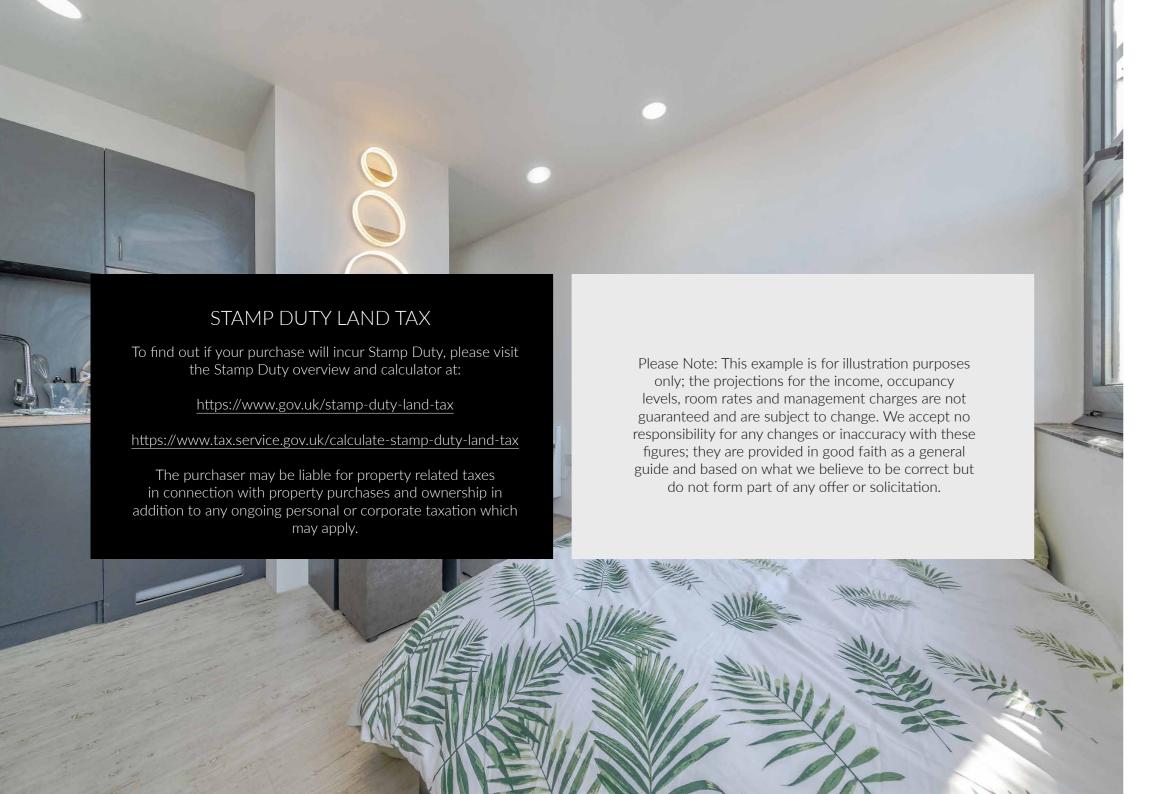


\*Rental return excludes ground rent of £150 per annum

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# Rental Assurance

\*NET rental return excludes ground rent of £150 per annum.

\*\*The developer is contracted to provide the rental assurance to the purchaser, details of which will be confirmed by the solicitors acting for the purchaser.

	Rental Assurance from the Developer	
	Deluxe Studio (Based on Unit G-10)	Superior Studio (Based on Unit G-09)
Purchase Price	£49,995	£64,995
	Rental Assurance**	
Rental Return*	9%	9%
Rental Assurance Period**	3 Years	3 Years
Annual Rental Return (£)	£4,499.55	£5,849.55
	Total Projected Return	
Return on Investment	27%	27%
Rental Assurance Income	£13,498.65	£17,548.65

# Property Specification

Centrally located, Horizon will provide contemporary high-specification living for Sunderland's large number of students and young working professionals.

Horizon is made up of 154 self-contained studio apartments, carefully designed to maximise the rental potential of its tenants.

Apartments at Horizon come with a furniture pack include in the purchase price, which provides a range of specially selected furniture to complement the surroundings.

Each bedroom contains a queen-sized bed, complete with bed base and mattress with built-in storage space, as well as a wardrobe.

The lounge area will be fitted with a desk and a coffee table, both of which will have a chair.

Also included in the furniture pack is a fully fitted kitchenette, complete with an integrated microwave/oven, fridge freezer, and twin induction hob.

The bathroom will be fully tiled, including a basin, modern WC, rainfall shower and glass door.

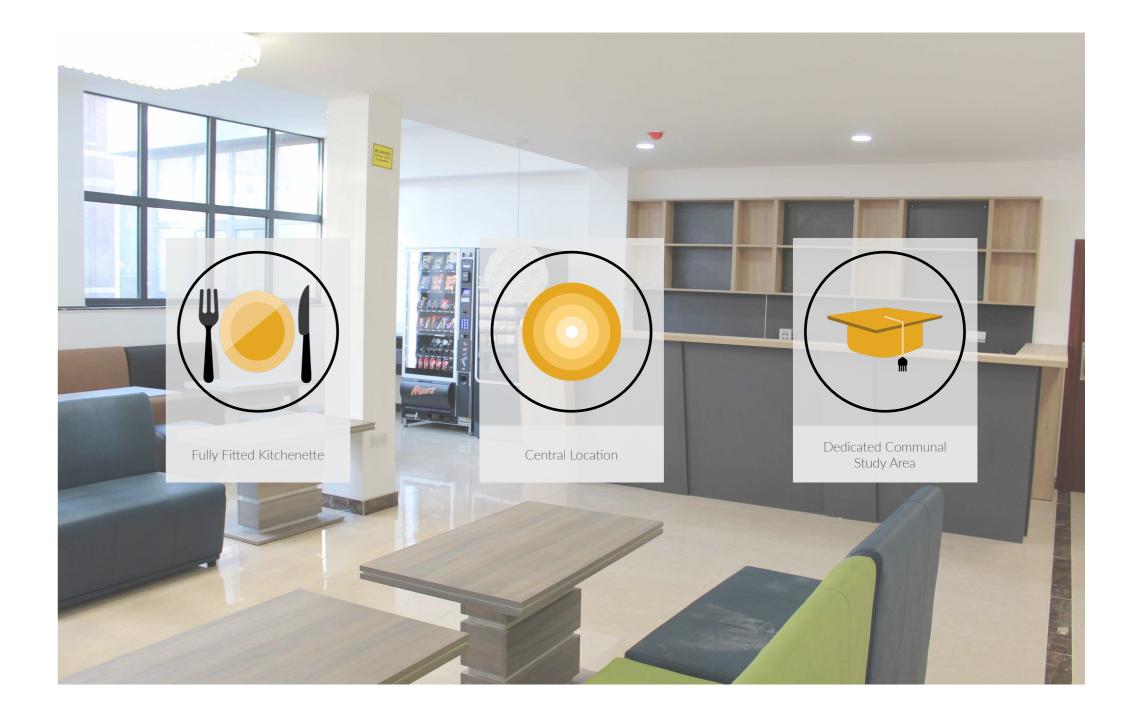
Each luxury studio apartment will also come with free WiFi in all communal spaces.

Additionally, the development will provide a variety of communal areas, including a dedicated study area, residents' gym, cinema room, on-site laundry facilities, and games room.









# Private Rented Sector Demand in the UK

Demand for private rented property is soaring, but the supply of available stock on the market is unable to keep up.

In 2016-17, 4.7m households lived in the private rented property sector, representing 20% of all households in England.

However, Knight Frank predicts that by 2021 this will rise to just under one in every four - or 5.79m households.

With a restricted pipeline of new housing stock due to come to market, private sector rents are predicted to rise, potentially by as much as 15% between 2018 and 2023.

Faced with consistently high levels of demand, as high property prices push more prospective homeowners out of the market, many households in the UK are turning to the private rented sector.

This is especially true of younger people aged 25-34, whose homeownership rates over the last twenty years have plummeted.

To satisfy the unprecedented need for rented housing, the government is throwing its full weight behind the build-to-rent industry.

Developments purpose-built for renting are crafted to cater to the needs of the modern tenant, especially young professional commuters who prioritise comfortable city living with easy access to transport facilities.



# Sunderland: In Focus

Sunderland is a thriving city with a lot of opportunities for its residents with 80 international companies, such as Nike, having relocated to the city, catering to over 25,000 employees.

Sunderland City Council is investing heavily into the city centre in order to breathe new life into this growing city. Redevelopment projects comprise a new £1.8 million public square which was completed in 2015.

The city boasts one of the UK's most notable digital clusters, having been awarded the title of UK Digital City in 2014.

It recognises Sunderland's commitment to improving the lives of its citizens through the integration of digital and public services.

Sunderland also serves as a vital transport corridor. Its central station offers direct links to London and Middlesbrough, whilst the recently opened Northern Spire bridge was finished as part of the Sunderland Strategic Transport Corridor plan.











# Rental Demand in Sunderland

Sunderland is home to over 277,000 people, the second largest population in the North East of England.

However, in order to satisfy the city's growing demand for housing, Sunderland needs to build nearly 14,000 new homes by 2033.

With limited buying options and rising prices, many households are turning to the private rented sector.

As a result of the surge in demand for rented property in Sunderland and the wider region, global real estate firm CBRE predicts rents in Sunderland will increase by 11% over the next 5 years.

The University of Sunderland is one of the largest Higher Education providers in the North East, with thousands of students competing every year for limited spaces.

A report in 2016 that analysed the pipeline of accommodation, and the growth in student numbers in Sunderland, forecasted that as many as 4,090 bed spaces could be needed in Sunderland over the next 5 years.

With the University of Sunderland seeking to attract more students by investing heavily in its facilities, the total stock of properties could diminish further, placing upwards pressure on the cost of student rents in the city.

UNIVERSITY OF SUNDERLAND

19,022
STUDENTS ENROLLED

NO.1

STUDENT TOWN FOR LANDLORDS IN 2016

40%
OF ALL STUDENTS ENROLLED
ARE INTERNATIONAL

93%
OF GRADUATES ENTER
EMPLOYMENT OR FURTHER
STUDY WITHIN 6 MONTHS
OF GRADUATION

THE UNIVERSITY HAS CAMPUSES IN LONDON AND HONG KONG

ources: <u>Nomis,</u> <u>Sunderland City Council,</u> <u>CBR</u>

# Comparable Accommodation

7 Scotia Quay (University)

Studio Apartments

51 Week Tenancy



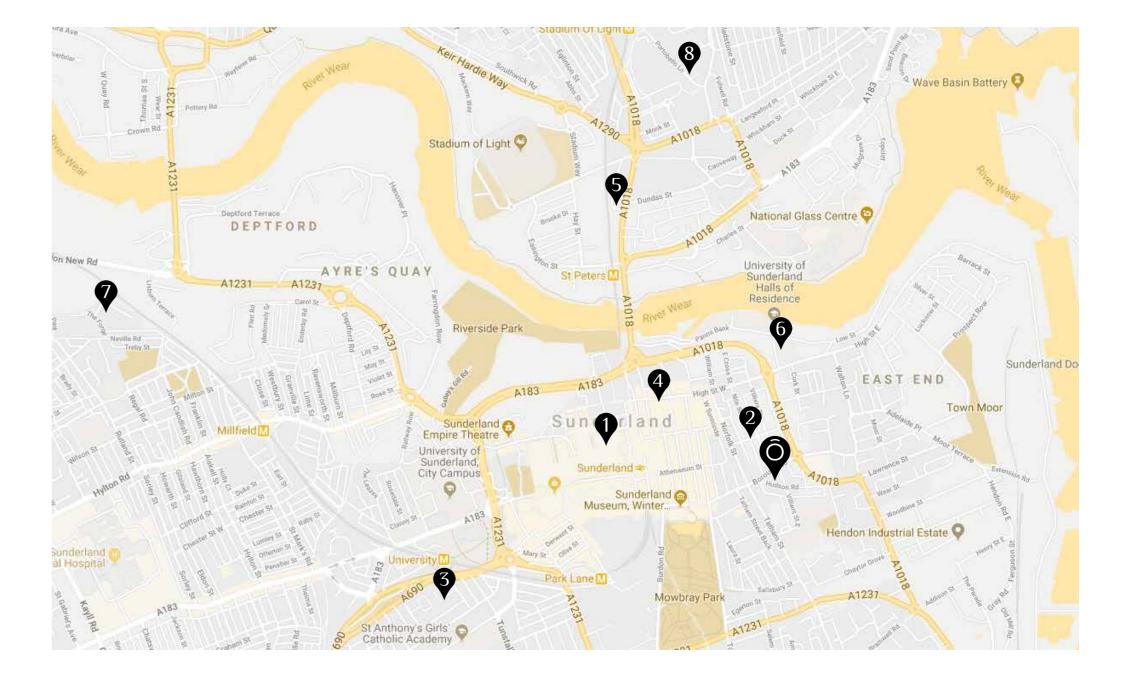
Superior Studios - £117.50 (51 Weeks)
Superior Studios - £125 (44 Weeks)

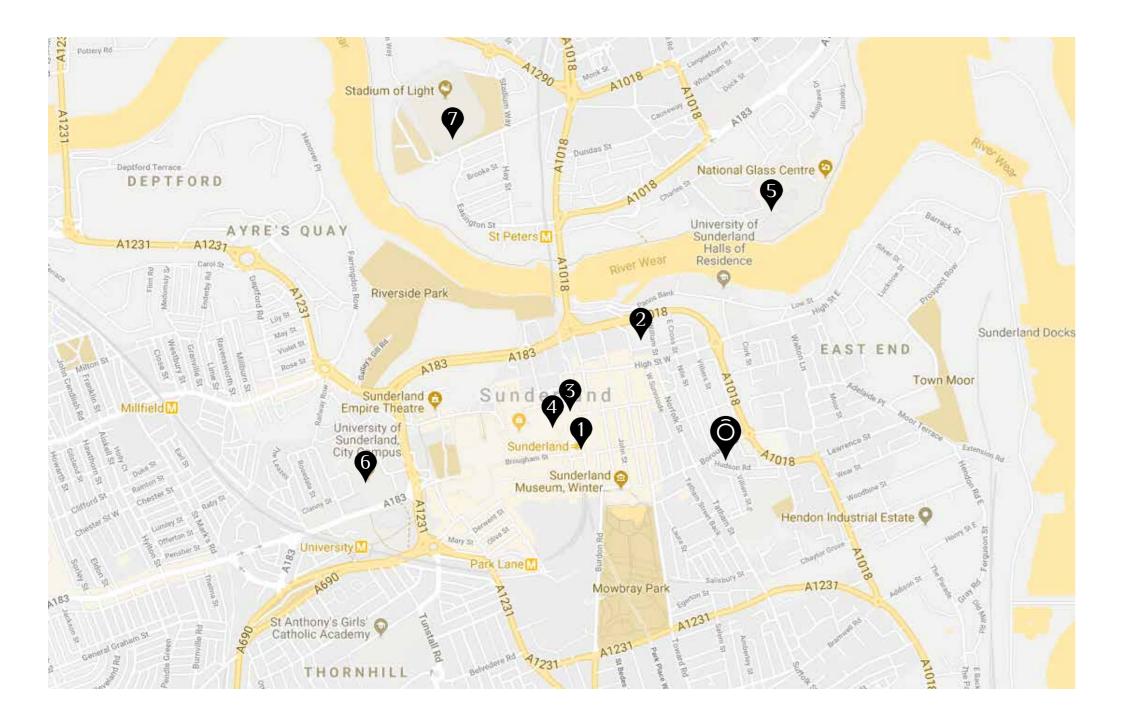
8 The Forge

• En-Suite Rooms - £106

• One Bedroom Apartments - £141

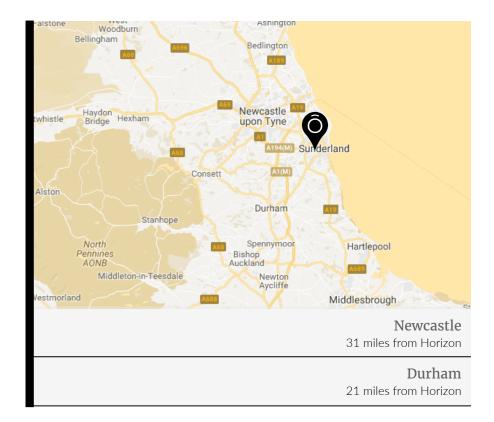
• 40, 45 or 51 Week Tenancies Available





# Location & Amenities





# The Rental Manager

JH National will be acting as the rental managers and management company for Horizon.

Their management service is designed to offer you peace of mind, making sure that all stages of the tenancy process are taken care of.

All of their staff hold National Federation of Property Professionals (NFOPP) qualifications and they are members of the Property Ombudsman.

JH National's rental insurance, underwritten by UKGI, provides the developer with a safety net when it comes to recovering rent.

They work hard to make sure that your unit is occupied at all times, with properties advertised on the UK's largest property websites.

These studio apartments, also located in the centre of Sunderland, are due to complete in Q3 2018. Tenant sourcing is underway, with the development similarly targeted for both the residential and student markets.



All 68 studios were reserved within 7 weeks of marketing. The average rental price for a 2 bedroom apartment in Bolton is £450 a month. They achieved rents up to £595 a month for a studio without parking facilities.



All 94 units at the development were occupied wihtin 6 weeks of completion. Through their contract with an international student referral company, they can ensure the best possible rent for the area.

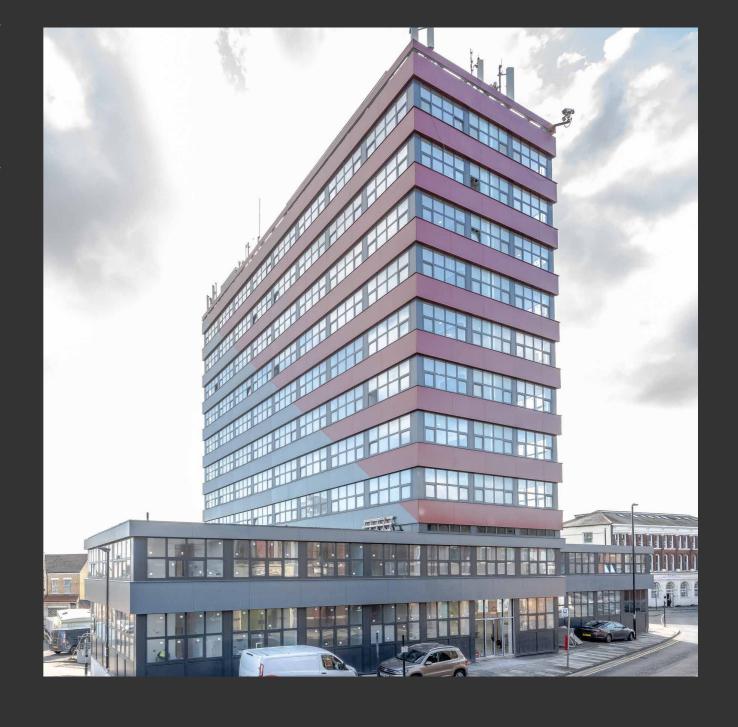




# The Developer

The developer behind Horizon is Oxhey Management, who specialise in developing residential projects designed to maximise the potential returns on investment.





# Frequently Asked Questions

## What is the address of the development?

Horizon is located at:

Horizon Borough Road Sunderland SR1 1HW

## Will I have to pay SDLT on my purchase?

Yes, you will need to pay Stamp Duty Land Tax (SDLT) on your purchase unless you are a first-time buyer or owner-occupier. For more information visit: <a href="https://www.gov.uk/stamp-duty-land-tax">https://www.gov.uk/stamp-duty-land-tax</a>.

#### How long is my rental assurance?

The rental assurance is provided by the developer for Horizon for 3 years with purchasers contracted to receive a NET rental return of 9% of the purchase price per annum from the developer excluding ground rent.

## What is the rental payment schedule?

Payments for Horizon will be made quarterly in arrears.

## What rent is expected after the rental assurance?

The rental management agent forecast between £125 - £170 per week.

## What is the forecast service charge?

The vendor has forecast £859 per annum for the service charge.

### Will I own the property?

Yes. You will be purchasing a 250-year leasehold property and the Title Deeds will be registered with the UK Land Registry upon the completion of the purchase.

### Are there legal costs?

Yes, as with all property transactions in the Ua conveyancer will charge for legal work and disbursements.

## Purchase Process

#### | Reservation

Step

Reservation agreement completed & £2,000 non-refundable fee paid and deducted from the deposit on exchange

#### Solicitors Instructed

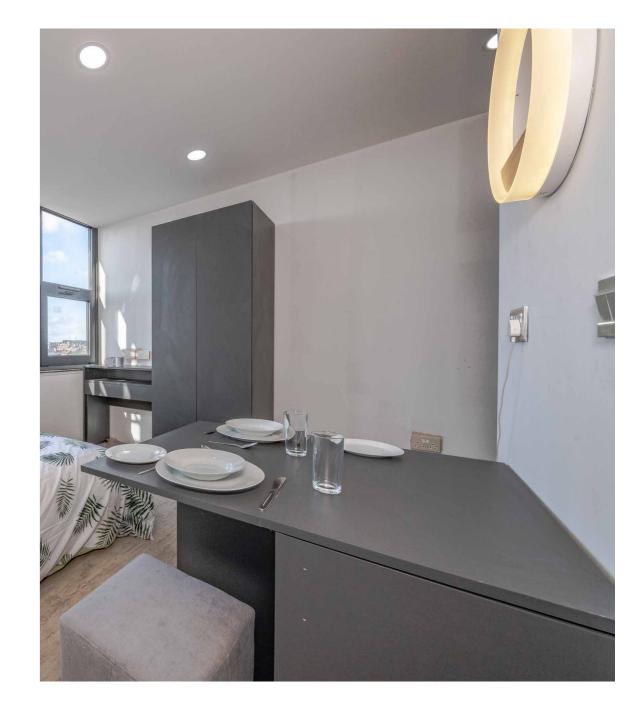
Step 2

Solicitors instructed, legal pack sent out & anti-money laundering process completed

#### Simultaneous Exchange & Completion

Step 3

100% of the price, minus the reservation fee, is paid to your solicitor, the purchase is completed & Title Deeds registered with the UK Land Registry





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- 13. The Purchaser acknowledges that Developers reserve the right to alter plans, designs and specifications at any time without

- prior notice. Therefore, neither the Agent nor the Master Agent will be responsible for such changes.
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