

UCAS 2021 Student Guide



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Welcome to our UCAS student guide, the guidance department are looking forward to working with you.



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"Education is the passport to the future, for tomorrow belongs to those who prepare for it today."

Malcolm X

University open days-

Please be advised to check carefully with the university websites as to whether open days are online or on campus.

University of Aberdeen

Open days: 13 June (medicine only), 25 August & Saturday 3 October

Abertay University

Open days: 30 September, 31 October

University of Dundee

Dentistry: 11 JuneMedicine: 12 June

• Open days: 31 August, 26 September

University of Edinburgh

• Open days: 26 September, 10 October

University of Glasgow

• Open days: 23 June

Glasgow Caledonian University

• Open days: 2 September, 3 October

Glasgow School of Art

Open days: October still to be confirmed

Heriot-Watt University

- Edinburgh campus: 3 July, 26 September, 24 October
- Scottish Borders campus: 3 July, 2 October, 6 November

University of the Highlands and Islands

- Inverness College UHI: 4 August
- Moray College UHI: 25 September
- Scottish Association for Marine Science UHI: 6 November
- West Highland College UHI: 6/7 November, 26/27 March

Napier University, Edinburgh

Open days: 12 September, 10 October

Queen Margaret University, Edinburgh

Open days: 26 September, 17 October

Robert Gordon University, Aberdeen

• Open days: 19 September, 7 November

Royal Conservatoire of Scotland

School of music: 12 JuneProduction: 2 October

• Film: 10 October

Drama: 16/17 OctoberDance: 30 October

SRUC Scottish Rural University College

Aberdeen campus: 19 August *
Ayr campus: Planned 5th August *

• Barony campus –

Agriculture/Animal Care:14 August

Engineering: 12 August

Forestry/Arboriculture: 6 August Veterinary nursing: 13 August

- Edinburgh campus 29 August *
- Oatridge campus Open day: 14 August *
 *(planned on campus but there are other online open days)

University of St Andrews

Open days: tbc

University of Stirling

• Open days: 4 June, 19 September, 24 October

University of Strathclyde

• Open days: 1 September, 3 October

University of the West of Scotland

Ayr campus: 30 SeptemberPaisley campus: 19 SeptemberDumfries Campus: 23 September

MARR COLLEGE APPLICANTS

You will receive information and support from your guidance teacher about the UCAS process including:

- how to register
- write a personal statement
- complete your application

When you first register on the UCAS website you will require the Marr College Buzzword for applicants for 2021 entry is 'gold2021'.

GOOD LUCK FROM ALL AT MARR 🚳

The UCAS Website:

http://www.ucas.com/apply

HOW MUCH WILL IT COST?

If you apply to only one course cost is £14 for more than one course, the cost is £25.

The cost for applications we receive after 30 June 2021 is £24 because these applications will be entered into Clearing.

APPLYING THROUGH SCHOOL

- 1. Check that each section of your application is correct and mark them all as complete.
- 2. Pay for your application and send it online
- 3. Your guidance teacher will check and approve your application.
- 4. Your guidance teacher will write the reference and may share it with you.
- 5. Your guidance teacher will approve the reference and send it to us.
- 6. UCAS then process your application.

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2021 Entry Deadline Dates

EARLY APPLICANTS –

Dentistry, Medicine, Veterinary Science and Veterinary Medicine and all courses at University of Oxford and the University of Cambridge.

Completed applications, including a reference, should be sent to UCAS by the following dates:

15th Oct 2020 <u>School Deadline 12th October 2020</u> (unless pre-arranged with guidance teacher).

In order to complete the reference and check your application form, the **completed** application form with personal statement should be <u>submitted to your guidance teacher by</u> Wednesday 7th October 2020.

Closing date for music applications. (Dance, drama, and musical theatre courses may have a different deadline – check the conservatoires' websites for information).

Completed applications, including a reference, should be sent to UCAS by the following dates:

1th Oct 2020 School Deadline 25th September 2020 (unless pre-arranged with guidance teacher).

ALL OTHER APPLICANTS -

Completed applications, including a reference, should be sent to UCAS by the following dates:

15th Jan 2020 <u>School Deadline 4th December 2020</u> (unless pre-arranged with guidance teacher)

In order to complete the reference and check your application form, the completed application form with personal statement should be submitted to your school referee before Friday 20th Nov 2020 (unless pre-arranged with guidance teacher).

It is your responsibility to meet the school deadlines.

Important UCAS Links



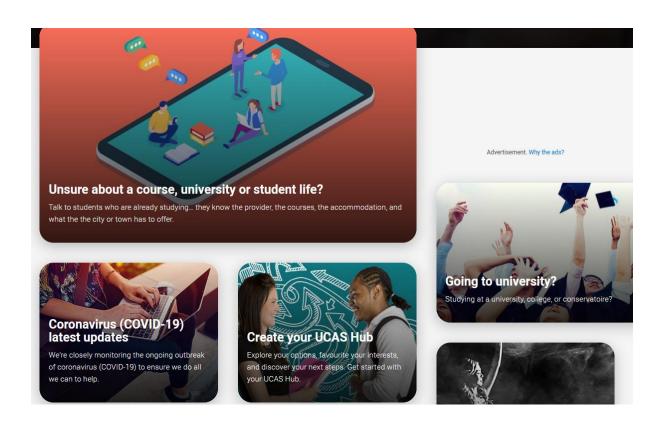
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UCAS Website: https://www.ucas.com/

Applying to Universities -

- When to apply:
 https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/applying-university/ucas-undergraduate-when-apply
- How to apply: https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/applying-university/filling-your-ucas-undergraduate-application
- Personal Statement:
 https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/applying-university/how-write-ucas-undergraduate-personal-statement



UCAS Support



SDS Careers Advisor

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Careers Adviser @MarrColOfficial here to help you explore, navigate and realise your options, choices and dreams. All views are my own.