

UCAS Update

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January Equal Consideration Deadline Stats



594,940 total applicants (-0.3%)



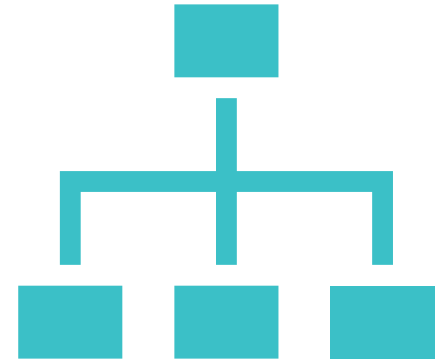
316,850 18 year old applicants (+0.7%)



65,450 21 year old+ applicants decline (-5.2%)

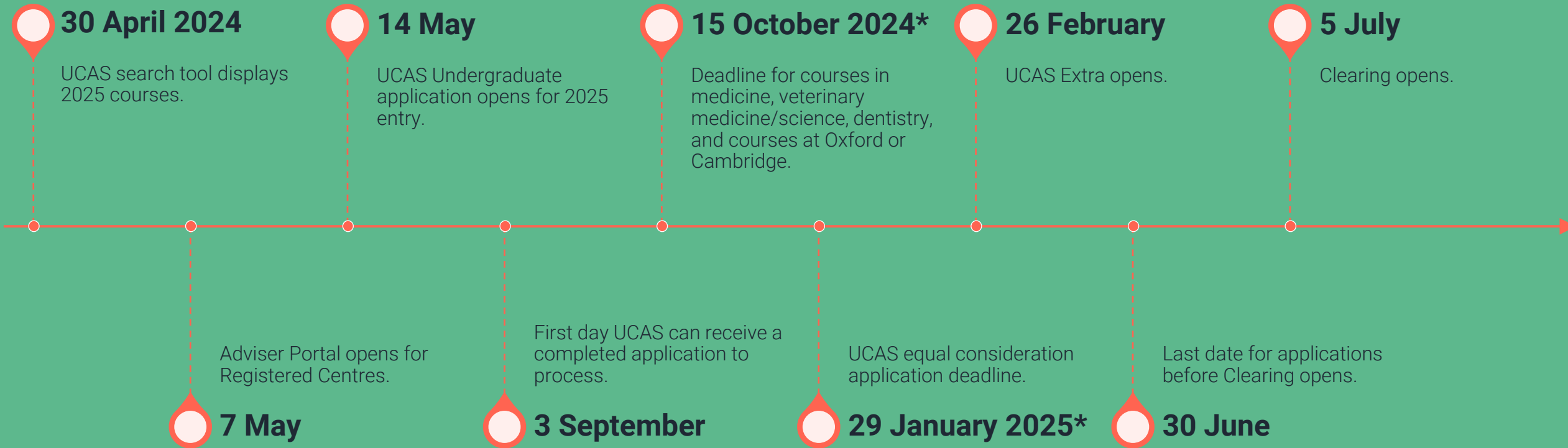


115,730 International applicants (+0.7%)



Top 3 Subjects:
Engineering and Technology +10%
Mathematical Sciences +7%
Computing +7%

Key Dates - 2025 entry



* 18.00 UK time



Your Hub

Explore your options



For you

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What to do

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Welcome back Sam

You're applying for Undergraduate courses in 2024 - [Change year](#)

[Start application](#)

2024 Undergraduate Application



Your application is in progress

You have completed 62% of your application. You need to complete all sections of your application before you can submit it.

[Go to application](#)

Your next steps [Open legacy to do list](#)

TRY OUR PERSONAL STATEMENT BUILDER

Not sure what to write? Our handy tool will help. [Get help](#)



HOW TO

How to nail that personal statement

Writing a personal statement can be daunting. Follow our tips and advice to help make it easier.

FAQS

Can I get support for individual needs?

See what help and support you could be receiving when applying and while you're studying at university or college.



CHAT TO STUDENTS

Find out more about a university or college from students already studying there.

[Chat to students](#)



FAQS

Key dates

Find out what you need to do and when.

HOW TO

Open days and events

Find out how to meet universities, colleges, and employers.

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YOUR EVENTS

Q Search events

AT YOUR FAVOURITE UNIS

University of Gloucestershire - 2023 Open Day Series
20 Jun 2023, 10:00 | Gloucestershire

Bournemouth University Adult Nursing Open Afternoon at Yeovil Campus
21 Jun 2023, 12:00 | Somerset

Bournemouth University Design & Engineering Open Day
20 Jun 2023, 10:00 | Dorset

University of Gloucestershire - open

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INDIVIDUAL NEEDS?

No matter what background or specific needs you may have, education is an inclusive environment. Find out how universities and colleges can help you throughout your higher education...

READ MORE

PERSONAL STATEMENT BUILDER

4000 characters of 4000 remaining



View personal statement guides

CONTINUE WRITING

WHAT TO STUDY NEXT?

Physical sciences 21.24%

Geography 25.60%

Biological sciences 20.14%

Publishing, media, and information management 12.5%

Media studies 0.72%

CHANGE SUBJECTS

YOUR CAREERS QUIZ

View my matches

BROWSE CAREERS

HUB LIVE



LIVE AMA: WORLD OF WORK

We're joined by big brand employers including Amazon and the BBC who share their tips on how to stand out from the crowd and future-proof your career.

ALL HUB LIVE VIDEOS

YOUR NOTES

OPEN NOTES

Adviser Portal - Student Hub activity

Adviser portal

For registered centres supporting UG applications

Student Hub activity

View your students' preparatory activity in the Hub

[Go to student Hub activity](#)

Application management

View details of your students' progress, application details, and references

[Go to 2023 applicant list](#)

[Go to 2024 applicant list](#)

Tracking offers & decisions

View details of your students' offers and decisions

[Go to 2023 tracking offers & decisions](#)

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Centre management

Here you can view and manage details about your centre(s) including buzzword and groups

[Go to 2023 centre management](#)

[Go to 2024 centre management](#)

Staff management

Here you can view and manage staff and permissions at your centre(s)

[Go to staff management](#)



Data & reporting


This tool will show you the A level, BTEC and SQA Higher grades students held when they were accepted on to undergraduate courses.


[Go to historic entry grades](#)


Your paid for data and reports.


[View reports](#)


Careers  Sam 


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 Hub

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Adviser Portal view - overall cohort

Student Hub activity

UCAS Training School

UCAS centre number: 19048

Found 7 Hub users

Filter by:

- 2024 entry
- All years of entry
- 2023 entry
- 2024 entry
- 2025 entry
- 2026 entry

◆ First name	▲ Last name	◆ Intended year of application	◆ Last login
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Naomi	Doyle	2024	30 Jan 2024 15:34
Nikita	Helechi	2024	01 Feb 2024 16:04
Mahamoud	Mahamat	2024	08 Dec 2023 14:11
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Alexander	Wadza	2024	03 Feb 2024 22:29

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STUDENT PATHWAYS SIDE BY SIDE

For the first time students can now see apprenticeship opportunities alongside undergraduate courses.

The UCAS Hub enables them to explore all their options and build a profile in one place.



Dental Nurse Apprentice

MR DEVANAND ISUKAPATLA

📍 South Shields

Apprenticeship level
England - Advanced
Apprenticeship - Level 3

Start date
30/10/2023

Date posted
06/03/2023

Salary
£10,982.40



AAT Apprenticeship - Audit, Accounts and Tax (March 2024)

MOORE KINGSTON SMITH GROUP SERVICES LIMITED

📍 LONDON

Apprenticeship level	Industry
England - Higher	Accounting and Finance
Apprenticeship - Level 4	

Start date	Duration
04/03/2024	2 Years

Date posted	Closing date
05/07/2023	30/10/2023

Salary
£25,000.00

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Apprenticeships

The UCAS Widget

The widget can be hosted on your school or college's website or Virtual Learning Environment (VLE) to link your students and parents to relevant pages on ucas.com.

Find out more about the widget designed for international centres:
www.ucas.com/widget

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YOUR GUIDE TO STUDYING IN THE UK

Find out more

ADVICE ON STUDYING IN THE UK

Main menu

- Guides for international students
- Information about applying to a UK university
- Applying for a student visa
- Financial help and support
- Careers advice

Application updates

Where you live

- A new section in the application.
- Students will be asked to add the addresses they have lived at since 1 September 2022.
- From those added, a student would select one as their home address and whether they are there **permanently** or **temporarily**.
- We are collecting this to help Universities and Colleges ensure students are paying the correct fees.

Add current address

Address type
- Select an option -

Address line 1
Hint Text

Address line 2
Hint Text

City/town
Hint Text

County/Region/Province/State
Hint Text

Country
- Select an option -

What date did you start living here?
Enter month and year
-MM- / -YYYY-

Why are you living here?
Universities and colleges need to know whether you are living here permanently or for a temporary reason
- Select an option -

Why were you living here?
Universities and colleges need to know whether you are living here permanently or for a temporary reason
- Select an option -
This is my permanent home
Temporary for education (boarding school)
Temporary for education (non-boarding)
Temporary for work
Temporary because of my parents/guardians job/study
Temporary whilst seeking asylum or similar
Other

Where you live

Profile

Personal details

Name, age, title and gender

✓ Section complete

Nationality details

Birthplace and nationalities

🕒 Section in progress

Where you live

Tell us about your address history

🕒 Section in progress

Contact details

Address, email, and telephone

🕒 Section in progress

Supporting information

So that providers know how to support you during your studies

Start this section

Finance & funding

Tell us how you'll fund your study

Start this section

English language skills

Is English your first language?

🕒 Section in progress

Section removed
for 2025

Education section

For 2025... A more intuitive and streamlined experience when **searching** for and **adding** qualifications.



If the correct school is added, we will prepopulate 'place of education' when an applicant is linked to a centre.



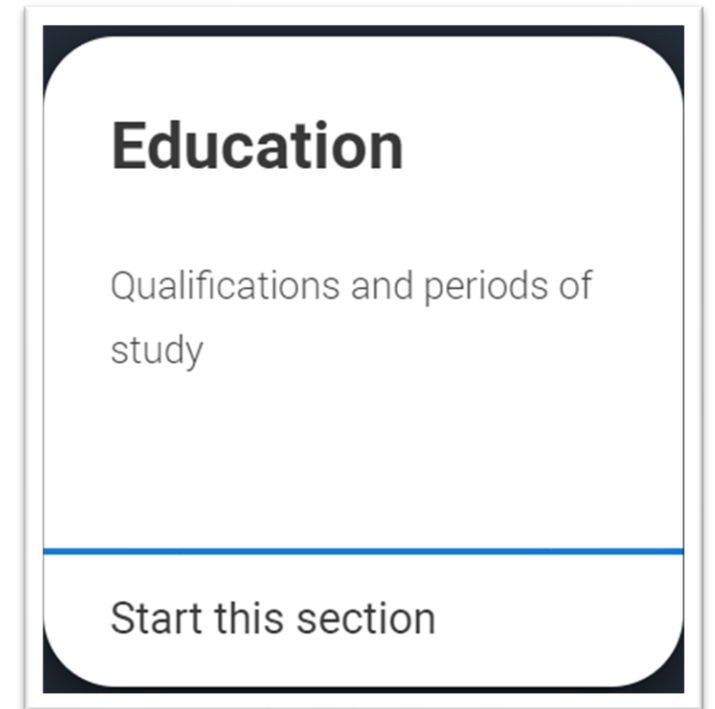
Extra school address information for manually added schools.



New question: Study mode – In Person / Online



New options in Attendance type: Exam only is added, Sandwich is removed.



Education section

What is being (re)moved?

Removal of 'highest qualification on entry' question - calculated data will remain.



Please state the highest level of qualification you expect to have before you start your course *

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- Below honours degree level qualifications
- Honours degree level or above qualifications
- I will have no qualifications



Can you provide any of these certificate numbers?

Test of English as a Foreign Language (TOEFL) Number

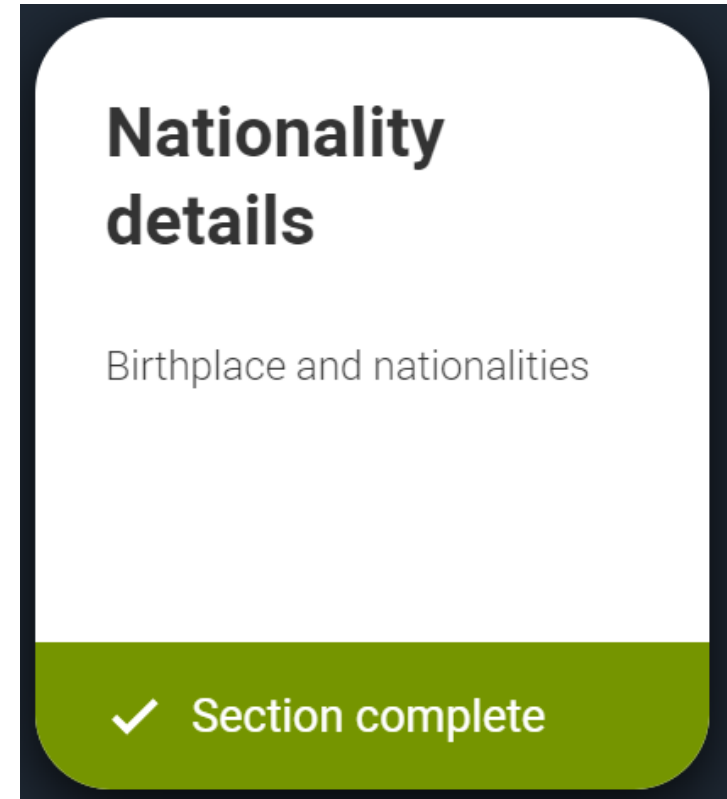
International English Language Testing System (IELTS) TRF Number

Moving TOEFL and IELTS numbers to this section – no change to data.

Nationality details section

Additional questions are being added to help providers accurately determine an applicants fee status.

- When does your pre settled expiry date expire?
- Do you need a student visa to study in UK? – “Don’t know”
- Why don’t you need a UK visa to study?
- What level was your [previous visa] study?
- Entering the Start and End date of that study completed.
- What is your UK visa or immigration status?



Title	Date	
Adviser Live: March UK update	14 March – 15:45	<u>Book now</u>
Expert voices: How to support successful apprenticeship applications	27 March – 15:45	<u>Book now</u>
Adviser Live: April UK update	18 April – 15:45	<u>Book now</u>
Adviser Live: May UK update	2 May – 15:45	<u>Book now</u>
Expert voices: Personal statements	15 May – 15:45	<u>Book now</u>
Adviser Live: June UK update	6 June – 15:45	<u>Book now</u>
Expert voices: Gatsby Benchmarks	19 June – 15:45	<u>Book now</u>

Personal Statement - Get involved

Research on the personal statement:

- Testing wording of questions with students, advisers and providers
- Testing on character counts with students, advisers and providers
- Information, guidance and resources required to support both advisers and students.

Join our adviser panel – sign up with the QR code.



References – themes and next steps



Continue to gather feedback from advisers and providers in 2024 entry cycle



No technical changes for 2025 entry



Enhanced adviser guidance



Decoupled IAG for independent referees



Best practice guidance for providers

Reference process - I&A (will be updated)

- [Reference examples](#) for each section.
- A [reference guidance presentation](#) which can be downloaded and edited.
- [FAQs](#) for each section.
- Watch our [references deep dive sessions](#)
- Advice from admissions officers in a shareable video.
- Online course: UCAS references – what you need to know. Accessed through the [UCAS Professional Development Platform](#).



Enter a general statement about your school/college/centre.



If applicable, enter any information about extenuating circumstances which may have impacted the applicant's education and achievement.



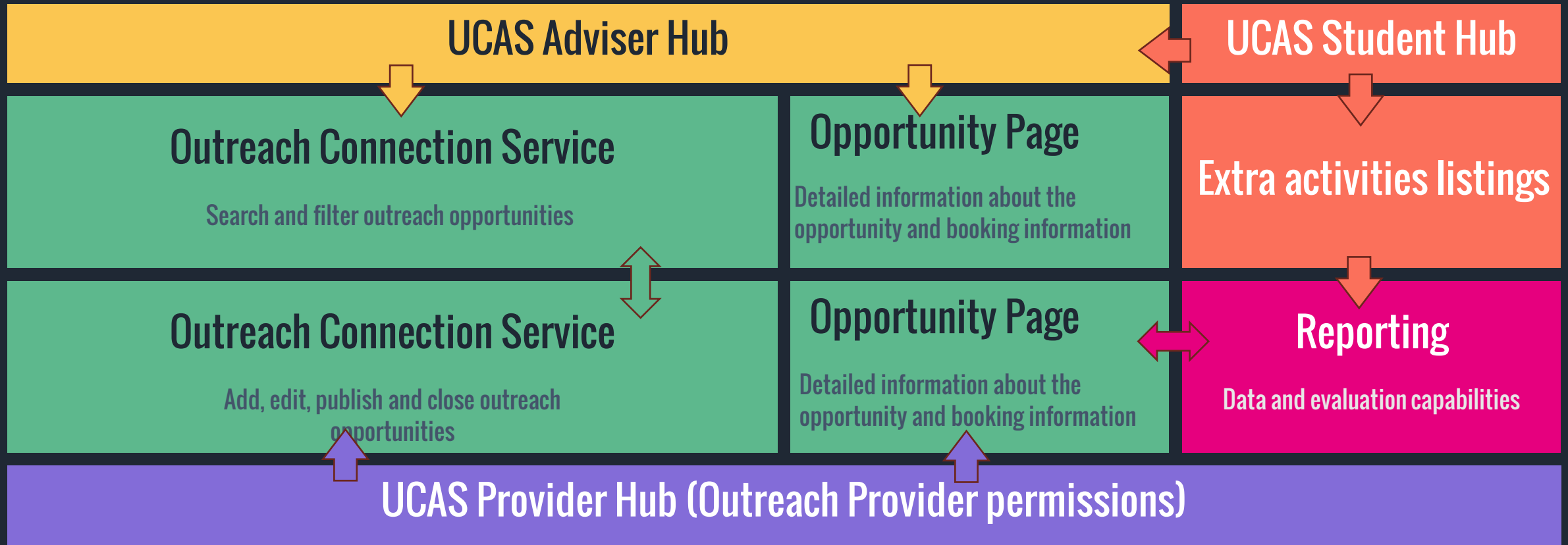
Outline any other supportive information specific to the applicant and relevant to the course(s) applied for that you think universities/colleges should be aware of.

[UCAS.COM/ADVISERS/REFERENCES](https://ucas.com/advisers/references)

New Adviser Portal updates

OUTREACH CONNECTION SERVICE

ENABLING UNIVERSITIES, COLLEGES AND CHARITIES TO SHOWCASE THEIR OPPORTUNITIES FOR UNDERREPRESENTED AND DISADVANTAGED STUDENT GROUPS TO UK SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES



Adviser Portal

Bulk download of applications

Click the name of the application you want to view in the table below. Use the quick filters above to show applications in specific states. The tabs below can be used to change the data shown in the table.

Use the arrows next to the column headers to reorder the list. Type in the boxes to filter the list of applications.

The 'Select actions' button allows you to email selected applicants or create PDFs of applications in bulk. Use the check boxes to select applicants. The 'Download' button allows you to download an overview of your applications or a zip file of PDFs of applications you have previously generated.

Found 11 applications

Student details		Status	Section progress							Payment option	Select
First name	Last name	Date submitted	Group	Deadline	Application status	Reference status	Personal ID				
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H	D	15 Feb 2023 12:09	UAT		Sent	Approved	[Redacted]		Invoice	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

- In preparation for the launch of the 2025 cycle – you can download your cohort’s applications in bulk in a PDF format via the Adviser portal.
- This new feature can be found in the **Application management** tile.

Link to course entry requirements from the Adviser portal

Application details

UCAS Training School
UCAS centre number: 19048

Student	Personal ID	Group	Date submitted to centre
Ruby Anderson	1813401963	Elliot	

Student progress

Personal details	✓	More about you	✓
Contact & residency	✓	Education	🕒
Nationality	✓	Employment	✓
Supporting information	✓	Extra activities	✓
English language skills	✓	Personal statement	🕒
Finance & funding	✓	Choices	🕒
Diversity & inclusion	✓		

COMPLETE ✓

▼ Choices

Edge Hill University (L42) – Nursing (Child) (B730)				
Course entry requirements 🔗				
Campus	Live at home while studying?	Start date	Deferred entry?	Point of entry:
Ormskirk (Main Campus)	No	January 2024	No	Year 1
Criminal convictions				
Undeclared				

Information and guidance for advisers



Monthly newsletters

Advisers can stay up-to-date with all the latest news and guidance by signing up at ucas.com/adviser-updates.



Adviser Live sessions

Our regular live studio sessions feature expert speakers from different sectors exploring all student pathways. Take a look at our upcoming events on ucas.com/adviser-lives.



Training and conferences

We host dedicated events, conferences, and professional development sessions for teachers and advisers right across the year – everything needed to help advisers help their students: ucas.com/advisers/training.



ucas.com/advisers

There is a dedicated area for advisers on ucas.com. Here you'll find all our latest news, events, and a variety of guides and resources to help plan career guidance sessions and provide support throughout the whole application cycle: ucas.com/advisers.

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