

Arrangements for Wednesday
18 June 2014 period 5 & 6 and
Monday 23rd June, period 4

Last of the LVI Higher Education Training

Wednesday 18 June – Objectives

- Register for UCAS 2015 (now deferred to Monday 23 June)
- Organise school e-mail to forward to your phone – instructions on school [website HERE](#)
- Short list university courses
- Check skill sets required for course [[THIS example](#) of skills needed from KCL shows how students can construct a match between university requirements and their personal Statement]
- List and match own achievements
- Attempt a GOOD draft of your personal statement [access help [HERE](#) and [HERE](#) and from [UCAS](#)] and save it
- Check out summer school and taster day opportunities [by university]
- Register for [UCAS card if you haven't already done so](#)

NB. Oxbridge and Medics/Vets/Dentists will need to realise there is greater urgency.
The deadline is just two weeks, and two days after we return in September

Use the web site to find all the resources you need



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- Sixth Form Lunches
- HE Research Resources

Student Resources

The resources provided here are intended to help you in your transition from school to the next stage of your career – for 99% of you, that will mean getting ready for an application to university. However, we also have various links to career based resources and we do have a dedicated member of staff to help you co-ordinate work experience placements.

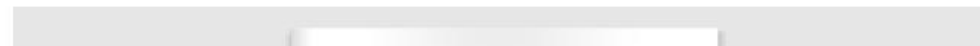
Use the information here to help you research your ideas for university and look at subject-specific presentations. You can also use this resource to investigate Oxbridge or foreign universities and, eventually, to help you prepare for the UCAS Personal Statement and for an interview.

Ultimately, however, there is no substitute for personal input, and you are strongly advised to make use of the school's most valuable resource: the staff. Consult your academic Heads of Department and talk over your ideas with your tutor.

Research

- Getting started worksheet.
- Top ten ranked courses.
- Finding the perfect match.
- The Florit fast fixer.
- Tips4uni

UCAS



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- ▶ The UCAS quiz

Create

The Florit fast fixer.
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UCAS



[pdf version](#)

The Personal Statement The Overview

[Southampton personal statement.](#)
[Essex personal statement writing.](#)
[Oxford personal statement podcast.](#)
[Personal statement - UCAS](#)

[Ten ways to help your students write and effective UCAS personal statement](#)

Examples of Personal Statements.

This is just a selection and your TUTOR will have access to some different subjects:

Example :Architecture
Example :General Engineering
Example :Dentistry
Example: English Literature
Example: Computer Sciences
Example: Vet. Sci.
Example :Medic.
Example: Oriental Studies
Example: History
Example: Earth Sciences
Example: Economics
Example :Admissions annotations for a Medic

Remind
yourself of the
previous
sessions as
necessary and
look at
examples of
personal
statements





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- Synopsis for Parents
- Lower Sixth Higher Education Programme
- University Open Days
- Writing References and Personal Statements
- A Sample of University Entry Requirements for GCSE English
- Oxbridge Preparation
- UCAS Registration
- Predicted Grades Procedure
- Exeter University Open Day Photos

Lower Sixth Higher Education Programme

Requirements	Other no specific language requirements, but look for previous ability to master a new language. Languages at A1 or Advanced Level.
Possible careers	Especially strong business possibilities. 20% of graduates go into marketing or buying/selling. <u>Customer Approaches</u> is a demand <u>BLT</u> (see entry requirements) is slightly higher than average for graduates. http://www.approaches.com/news/11-graduates-about-marketing
Further action	Look at links to compare graduate employment information
Open Days	Look at the list of open days published on the HE recruitment. Sign up via http://www.kingsed.ac.uk/open-days and register with the Guidance Office.

It would now be worth looking at areas of study which are related – or similar – to what you have already researched.

I know what I want to study at university

For those of you who know what to study, the examples below provide the sort of information that you will need to find on your particular course. You are advised to read the entry requirements for your chosen course. However, as some courses do have some additional requirements, a selection of links is provided to give you a further look at your chosen course.

Please note that details here may have changed since publication. Always check individual university websites.

Subject area	Biological Sciences	
UCAS Code (Use UCAS course search at www.UCAS.co.uk or help@ucas.org)	C100/C200	
Institutions that offer this course		
Institution	Grades required	Subjects required
1. Bath	A*	Biology. Three A Levels to include Biology at grade A, plus Mathematics or another science subject. AAB
2. Leeds	A*	Molecular Biology. GCSE Mathematics at Grade A or above. Three A Levels to include Biology, plus one other science. AAB
3. Cardiff	A*	AAB To include two science A levels from: Biology, Chemistry, Earth and Space Science, Physics, Psychology
4. Sheffield	A*	A Level Biology, plus one further science and another A Level subject General Studies. Double Science Award is NOT acceptable. Always look at Admissions policies on web sites.
5. Cardiff	A*	A* Award with the majority of Natural Sciences. APAA required in three 'hard' sciences. See website.
6. Glasgow	A*	A Level Biology at grade B or above or Chemistry Grade B. Double Science Award NOT preferred. ABB

* These grades will vary from year to year and sometimes even within the application cycle.

More information about the subject at specific institutions:
(Use contact for relevant prospectuses to find out more or look at the Entry Profiles on UCAS course search.)

University?	Lawrence
Information about their course	The degree programme is a three-year programme to provide the knowledge, skills, practical and professional. You will study a full range of Science topics including molecular and cell biology, and look at the genetics and evolution. The final module of the course involves you to undertake a research project. The programme also includes a year-long placement in a relevant industry. You will also have the opportunity to study abroad for a period of your course. You will also have the opportunity to study abroad for a period of your course. You will also have the opportunity to study abroad for a period of your course.

Click to read

You have all received electronic 'booklets' about applying to higher Education institutions

On Monday 23rd, when UCAs have PROMISED that APPLY2015 will be live, go to these rooms:

Summary	Tutor Groups	Pupil numbers	No of Computers available	staffing
H4	S14, S16, S4,	20	22	SQ
L4	S11, S15,	14	14	TBC
ART	S18, S9	16	16	RJLW
L11	S2, S3, S6 S17	24	25	SDG
IT1	S20, S7, S8,	20	25	RWA
IT4	S10, S22,	15	18	AHP
IT6	S5, S19, S12	21	24	HD
IT5	S1, S21, S13	21	22	PJM