

Things to note...

**Login in for yourself**

**Remember your password!**

**Ring UCAS** if any personal issue as they are very quick, helpful and can reset or advise

Things to note...

**School buzzword**

CURRENTLY *Maplesden2018*

***Likely to be Maplesden2019***

Don't apply TOO early!

## Deadlines...

October 15<sup>th</sup> 2018 – applications open

You can apply before this date but you may not receive offers...

Some courses like an EARLY application - check

January 15<sup>th</sup> 2019 – applications close

You can apply after this date but courses may be closed or full

Deadlines...

OXBRIDGE is earlier in October and applications must be submitted – All As-A\*s at GCSE, proving more and more competitive

Charge –

Fee for applications of £24;

Payable privately by the applicant.

School reference cannot be added until application is paid and ‘sent’.

Chosen courses –

Pick up to five.

Advisable to stick with the **SAME** subject – focus of personal statement

If you do not add five, you can add them after the 15<sup>th</sup> Jan through:

UCAS Track

Chosen courses –

GRADES → UCAS points

Check these (changed in 2017)!

UCAS Tariff...

Advanced Welsh	Extended Project	AS level	A level	New Tariff	BTEC Extended	BTEC Diploma	BTEC Subsidiar	BTEC Certificat	IB HL Diploma	IB SL Diploma	IB RP
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				160	D*D*D						
				152	D*DD						
				144	DDD						
				128	DDM						
				112	DMM	D*D*					
				104		D*D					
				96	MMM	DD					
				80	MMP	DM					
				64	MPP	MM					
A*			A*	56			D*		7		
A			A	48	PPP	MP	D		6		
B			B	40							
C			C	32		PP	M		5		
	A*			28				D*		7	
D	A		D	24				D	4	6	
	B	A		20							
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	D	C		12					3	4	A



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Flexibility to change your mind...

Chosen courses –

EXTRA – if declined or rejected for all five, can take one EXTRA option at a time from approx. 25<sup>th</sup> February

ADJUSTMENT – if final grades are better than predicted

Chosen courses –

**CLEARING** – from 5<sup>th</sup> July until early September

May not need to access until results day if grades are not as expected.

Chosen courses –

Flexibility

*Change* – universities will support in first month or so.

*Reapply* – go through process again

*Defer* – either apply now and tick ‘defer’ option OR wait a year and apply through the school in 2019.

Where? –

Think about where you can get to and from easily  
(or not!)

*What's the transport system like?*

*Roads? Trains? Own car?*

What? –

Select subject carefully...

*Check – do you know the requirements for entry?*

*Do you have enough GCSEs?*

*Do you have the right A level or BTEC courses?*

Make sure you enter the correct courses on to

UCAS - check **now** that you know exam boards or the type of BTEC.

# **A levels**

*GCE Advanced Level 3*

# **BTEC**

**BTEC Level 3 Subsidiary Diploma (Public Services)**

**BTEC Level 3 National Diploma (Sport)**

**BTEC Level 3 National Extended Diploma Certificate**

What? –

Foundation degrees...

An extra year to ‘fill-in’ basics required for study

Already required with Art but available for subjects such as Psychology, some Social Work.

Can just lead on to normal degree after.



## References

All collated by Miss Moody.

**No need to ask all your teachers or email anyone.**

If you defer and a reference a year later,  
just contact school!

Finding out...

Open Days – often from May onwards;  
at weekends.

Kent HE Fair April 2018 – Detling

University websites / Summer schools

Unifrog