

Things to note...

You create your own account.

Remember your password!

Ring UCAS if any personal issue as they are very quick, helpful and can reset or advise – 0371 4680468

School buzzword

Maplesden2019 – case sensitive

This links your account to school so we can track your application and submit refereneces

Deadlines

October 15th 2018 – deadline for Oxbridge and [Medical](#), [Veterinary](#)

[Medicine/Science](#) and [Dentistry](#) applications

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

Some courses like an EARLY application - check

January 15th 2019 – applications close

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

FEES

£18 for one choice, £24 for multiple choices

Payable privately by the applicant via the UCAS website

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 15th 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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				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	
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	B	A		20							
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Chosen courses –

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

ADJUSTMENT – if final grades are better than predicted

CLEARING – from 5th 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 Mrs Griffin

No need to ask all your teachers or email anyone.

Finding out...

Open Days – often from May onwards;
at weekends.

Kent HE Fair April 2018 – Detling

University websites / Summer schools

Unifrog