

Applying to University and UCAS

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What is UCAS?


Central
application
service

Only method
of entry to
UK degree
programmes

50,000
courses at
395 providers

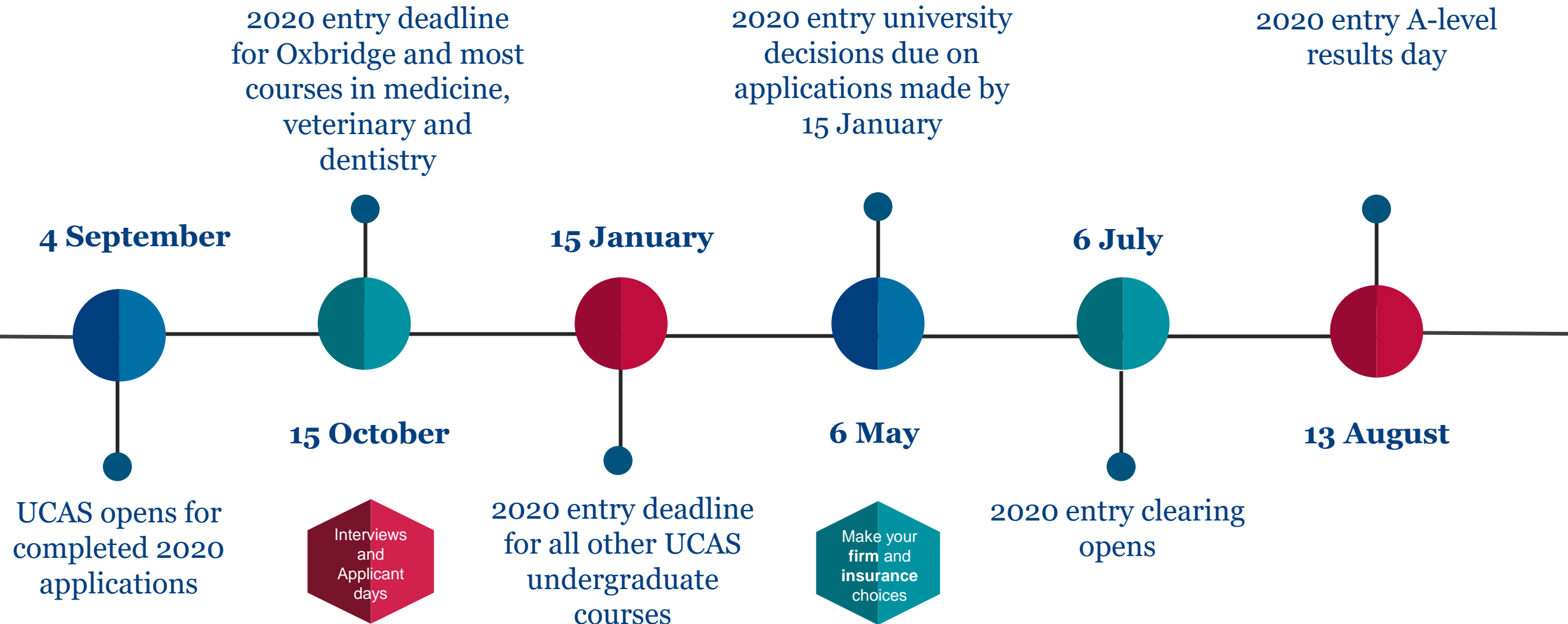
Apply for up
to 5
universities
or courses

Restrictions:
Medicine,
Veterinary,
Dentistry – Oxford
OR Cambridge

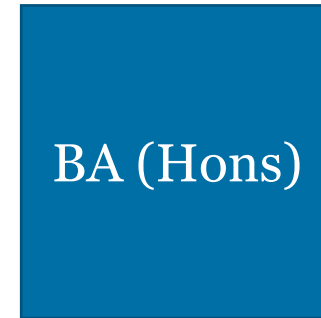


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UCAS timeline **2020**: key dates in the academic year



Think about



Course first.... university later



50,000+
courses

395 providers:
public, private,
further education

Ever thought about studying...

Hand
Embroidery
UCA

Brewing and
Distilling
Heriot-Watt

Viking Studies
UCL

Applied Golf
Management
Studies
University of
Birmingham

Games
Development
Falmouth University

Physics with
Nuclear
Astrophysics
University of Surrey

Zoology
University of Reading

Robotic
Engineering
University of Essex

Maths and
Music
Cardiff University

Vietnamese &
Economics
SOAS

Researching a course

Modules

Modules listed are indicative, reflecting the information available at the time of publication. Please note that modules may be subject to teaching availability, student demand and/or class size caps.

Please note: If there is an optional Professional Training placement as part of your course, you can view the full module listing for this on the relevant [programme specification](#).

FOUNDATION

BSC (HONS)

Year 1

| Module title | Status | Semester |
|-------------------------|------------|----------|
| BUSINESS MATHEMATICS | Compulsory | 1 |
| BUSINESS SKILLS | Compulsory | 1 |
| FINANCIAL ACCOUNTING 1 | Compulsory | 1 |
| OPERATIONS MANAGEMENT | Compulsory | 1 |
| BUSINESS ECONOMICS | Compulsory | 2 |
| BUSINESS LAW AND ETHICS | Compulsory | 2 |
| MANAGEMENT ACCOUNTING 1 | Compulsory | 2 |
| MARKETING PRINCIPLES | Compulsory | 2 |

OVERVIEW

COURSE DETAILS

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

FEES AND FUNDING

APPLY

What qualifications do you need?

A-level

A-level

Overall

- ◆ BSc (Hons)
- ◆ ABB

Applicants taking an A-level science subject with the Science Practical Endorsement are required to pass the practical element.

Please note: A-level General Studies and A-level Critical Thinking are not accepted.

- ◆ BSc (Hons) with foundation year:
- ◆ CCC

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Personal details: (00:59)
Additional information (UK only): (01:11)
Choices: (01:22)
Education: (01:42)
Employment details: (01:57)
Personal statement: (02:10)
Reference: (02:25)
View all details: (02:46)
Pay and send your application: (03:00)

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Before starting your application, please read through the relevant information below regarding:

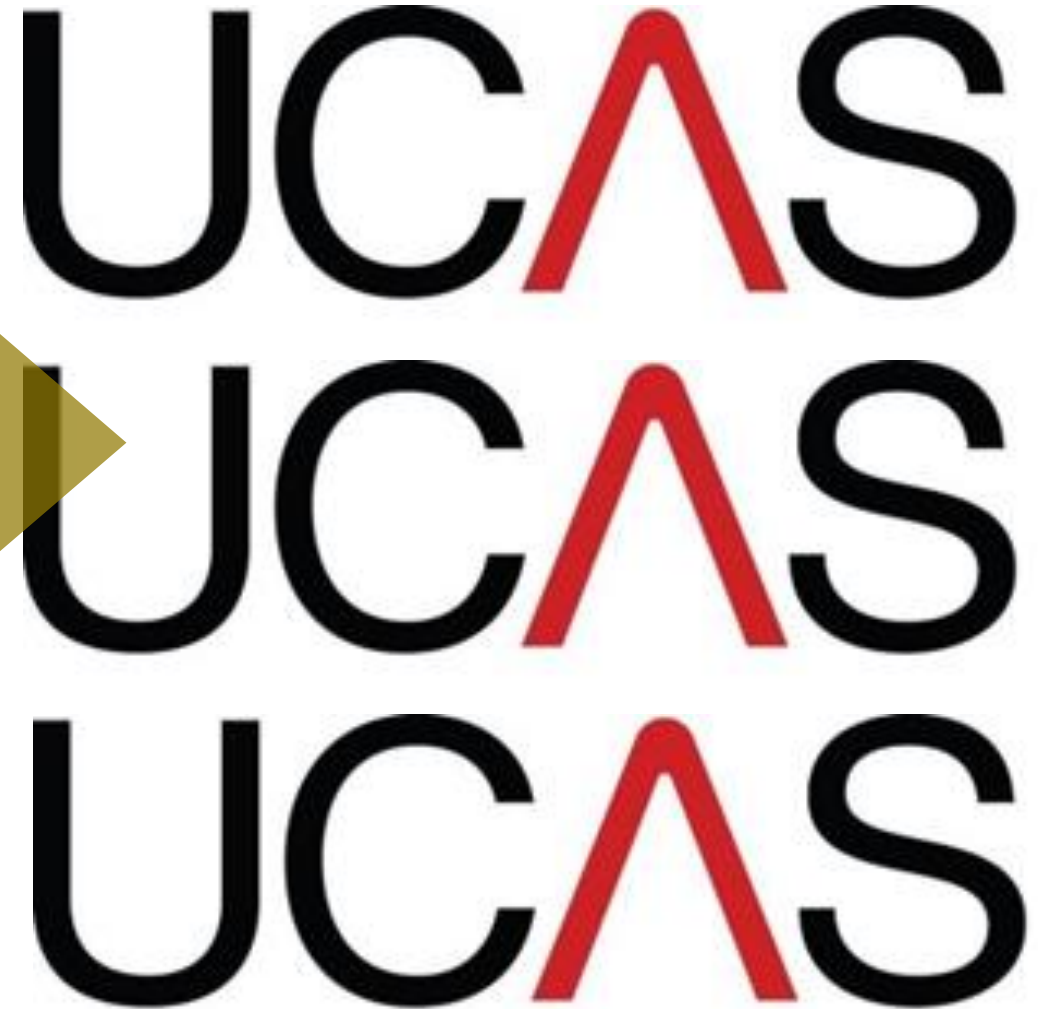
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What is the Personal Statement?

- A key element of the UCAS application
- A statement of 4000 characters
- One statement for five choices
- A student's initial chance to 'sell' themselves to their chosen institutions
- Helps applicants 'stand out'
- Contributes to a decision whether to interview or make offer

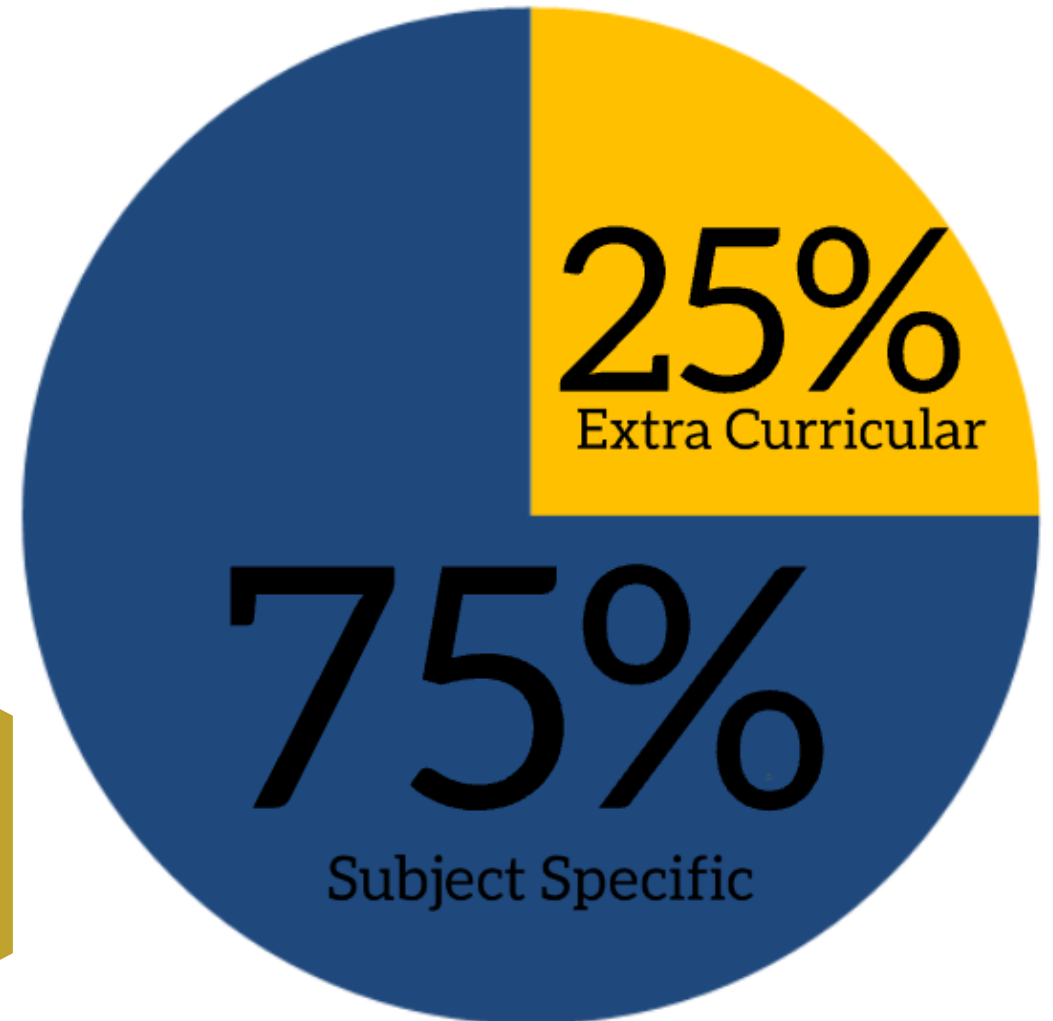


What Should a Personal Statement Contain?

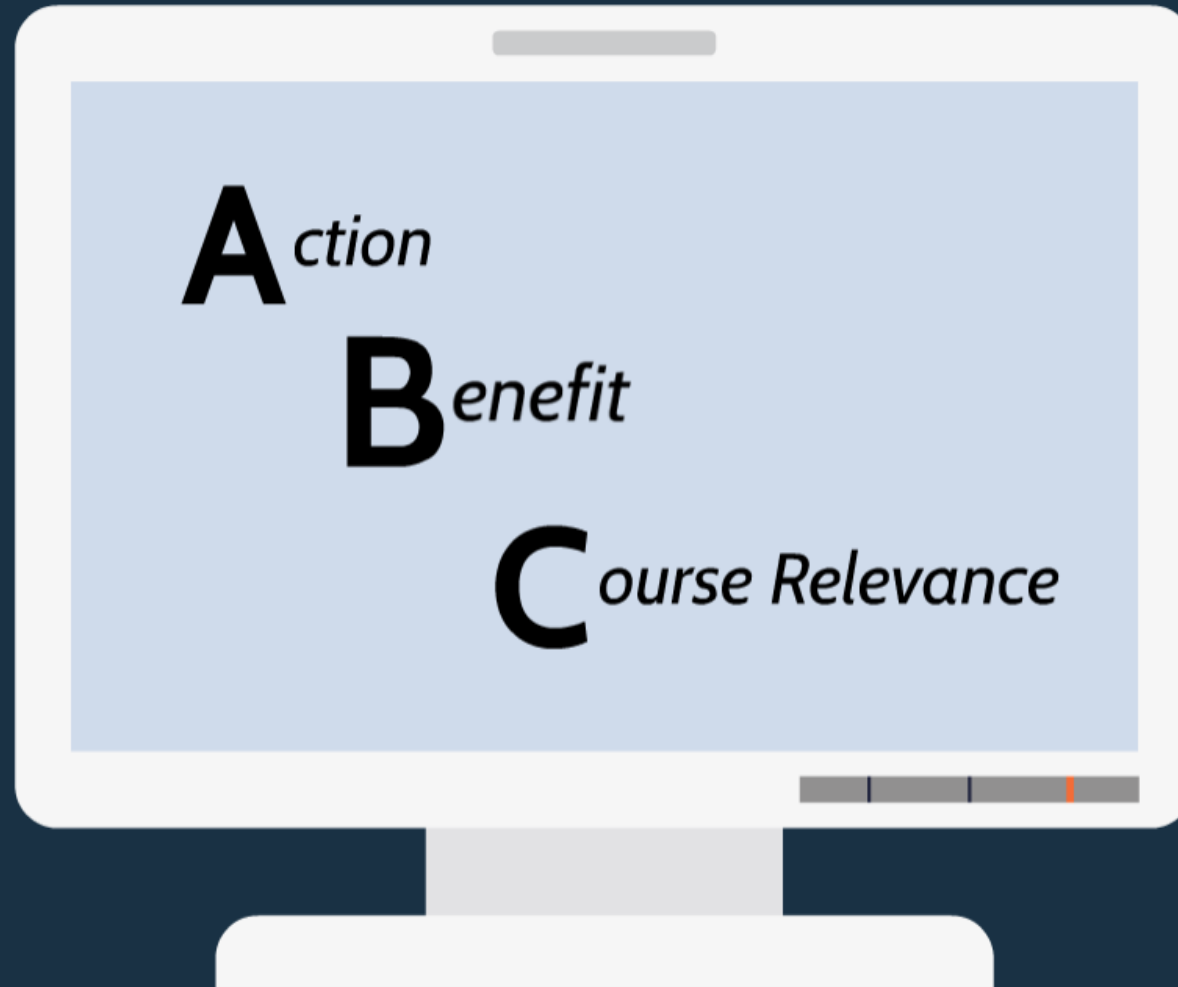
Reasons for
choosing the
course

Subject
specific &
course
knowledge

Personal
extra-
curricular



Making it relevant – not just a list!



Action



What is it that
you do?

“I spent two weeks doing
an internship at
GlaxoSmithKline in the
summer”

Benefit



**How has
this helped
you?**

“From this, I developed a deeper understanding of the drug development process, from conception to production”

Course relevance



**Make
it relevant**

“Having an understanding of how drugs are developed will be a useful foundation for the pharmacology modules within the Biochemistry degree.”

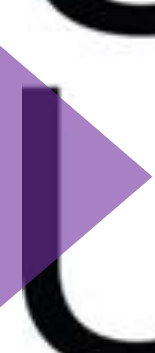
A guide to: Understanding the application process

Offers will
appear on
UCAS track

Universities
will keep in
touch

Applicant
Day

- Chance to look around the university and attend subject specific talks
- Talk to academics
- View accommodation and the facilities in smaller groups and attend seminars



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Unconditional, Conditional?



Conditional (C) –
Your offer is
conditional on
achieving certain
entry requirements.

Unconditional (UC)
– Your offer is
unconditional, and
you have been
offered a place at the
university regardless
of any future results

Your offer may be based on your
performance in an interview or an audition

When applying be realistic about the grades
you are expected to achieve.

A guide to: Making a decision

- Once you have received your offers and the deadline has passed, you must decide on your **Firm** (1st) and **Insurance** (2nd) choice universities
- Your insurance choice should have lower entry requirements than your firm choice
- On results day UCAS will automatically update
- Clearing
- Adjustment



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A guide to: Making a decision



You can access UCAS from anywhere

UCAS Track will automatically update on results day



Time invested in your application will pay off



Attend as many open days and applicant days as possible to make best possible decision for you

Find out more



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Attend open days

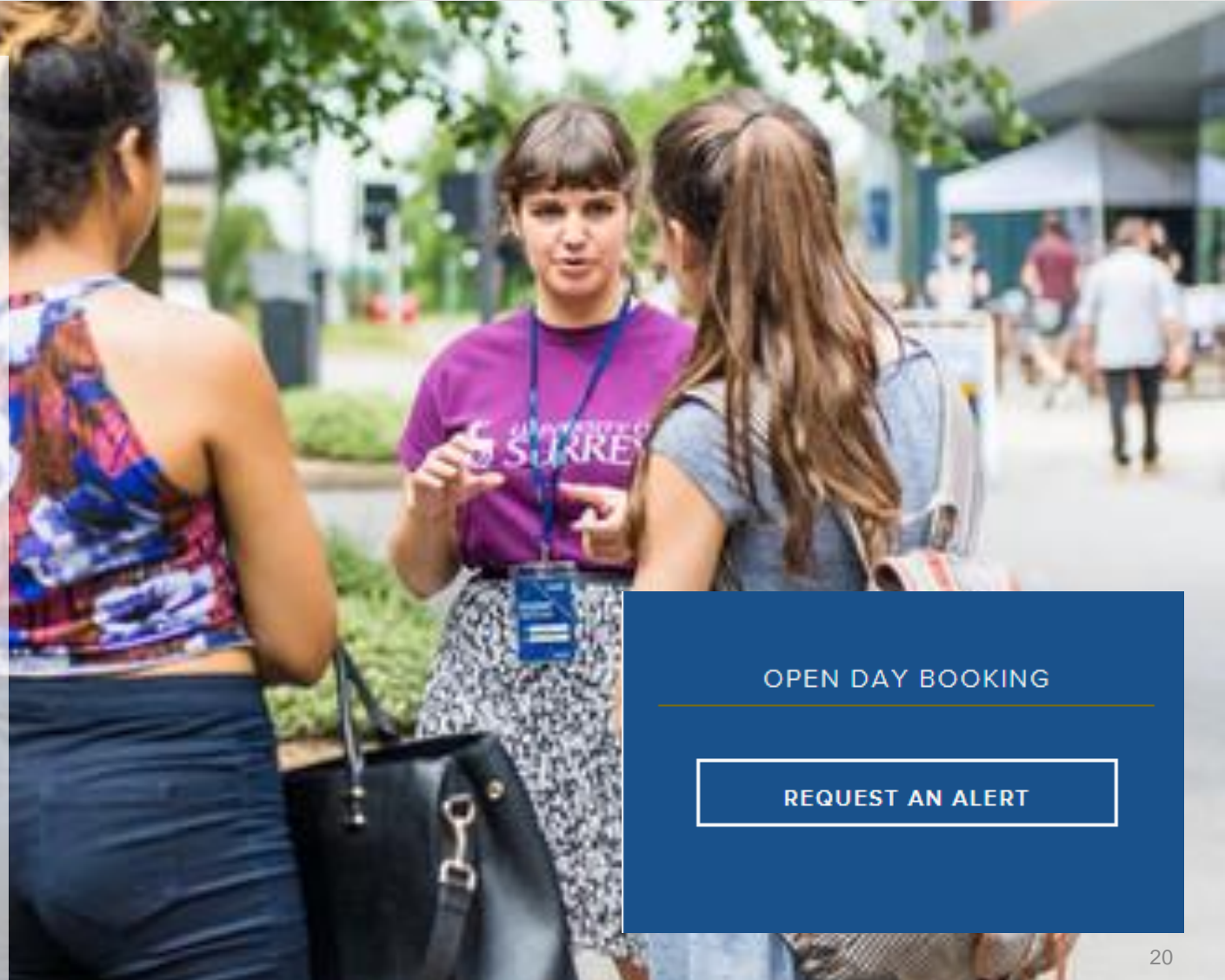
Our next open days will take place on:

- **Friday 26th June 2020**
- **Saturday 27th June 2020**
- **Saturday 12th September 2020**
- **Sunday 11th October 2020**
- **Sunday 25th October 2020**

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