



**Applying to University
&
Higher Education**

Useful Websites

Course Search Tools, Advice and League Tables:

- <https://digital.ucas.com/search> UCAS course search tool
- <https://www.ucas.com/ucas/undergraduate/getting-started/apprenticeships-uk/degree-apprenticeships> information on the new degree apprenticeships
- <https://www.prospects.ac.uk/jobs-and-work-experience/apprenticeships/degree-apprenticeships> further information on degree apprenticeships
- <http://russellgroup.ac.uk/> a guide to the Russell group research intensive universities
- <https://www.opendays.com/> quick search for upcoming open days
- <http://unistats.direct.gov.uk> useful for comparing employability, student satisfaction, etc, across courses, government website.
- <https://www.theguardian.com/education/ng-interactive/2017/may/16/university-league-tables-2018> well-established and reliable league table
- www.thecompleteuniversityguide.co.uk league tables and lots of advice
- <http://university.which.co.uk/> excellent, easy to navigate site
- <http://sacu-student.com/> includes the Spartan Test for students who would like to go to university, but are not sure what to study
- University websites

Application Process

- <https://www.ucas.com/> the site through which nearly all applications are made
- <https://www.ucas.com/advisers/guides-and-resources/pre-application-toolkit> the full PowerPoint from UCAS, much of which was used in the parents' presentation

Student Finance

- <https://www.thestudentroom.co.uk/content.php?r=5659-Student-Finance> student friendly guides to student finance
- <https://www.gov.uk/browse/education/student-finance> the governments site, with links to applications, which will go live early in 2018
- <https://www.ucas.com/connect/videos/student-finance> advice through video
- <https://www.youtube.com/user/SFEFILM> Student Finance England's YouTube page

Studying Abroad

- <https://www.britishcouncil.org/study-work-create/opportunity/study-abroad> a good place to start research
- <https://www.thecompleteuniversityguide.co.uk/international/studying-overseas/> useful information on the many options
- <https://www.topuniversities.com/student-info/scholarship-advice/international-scholarships-uk-students> advice on scholarships for students studying abroad
- <http://www.fulbright.org.uk/going-to-the-usa/undergraduate> for students considering USA universities
- <http://www.eunicas.co.uk/> for students considering applying to universities in different countries across Europe