

Post-18 Options #5



Next Step: Teachers

In Module 6, your Tutor will contact all of your subject teachers to ask them to write a subject reference for you, from which your Tutor will write your school reference. This will be used for university, apprenticeship and employment applications.

Your subject teachers will comment on:

- Your academic performance to date
- Your attitude to learning
- Your academic strengths
- Your personal strengths
- Your predicted grades

Next Step: Students

Degree-providers will be running open days - in situ or virtually - throughout the summer* and autumn, so look out for dates and book spaces, so you can go and visit the places where you are considering studying.

If you need to take a day off school for an open day, just let us know and this will be authorised absence.

Next Step: Students

If you intend to apply to study **Medicine, Dentistry or Veterinary Science or to apply to Oxford or Cambridge Universities**, we have to get your application ready to submit by 15th October (and preferably on the first day of early applications at the start of September), so you need to complete the UCAS process for checking **BEFORE** the summer holidays.

Make sure you have joined the separate Google Classroom for this route:
joining code = **eaua5ly**

Next Step: Students

UCAS registration for undergraduate entry for autumn 2021 opens in the third week of May BUT you can't submit an application till the first week of September at earliest.

However, you should go online and create your own 'UCAS Hub' now:

<https://www.ucas.com/what-are-my-options/create-your-ucas-hub-today>

Through the UCAS Hub, you can research courses and universities, start to build your personal statement, research apprenticeships and employment opportunities and find help with planning a gap year. As a result, we advise **everyone** to register.

Registering for UCAS



www.ucas.com

Top right corner - click on 'Register'. From the dropdown, select 'Undergraduate Registration'.

Scroll down and select 'Register and Apply for [year in which degree would start] Entry'.

It takes about 15 minutes to register.

You will need to give them the Academy's buzzword. This connects your registration to us, so we can manage your application.

You need to join the group named for your college.

On the 'Post-18 Options' site:

- All of the Post-18 Options videos (these can also be found by searching 'Lee Forcella-Burton' on YouTube) and slideshows
- Examples of excellent personal statements
- Parents' Guides to: Post-18 Options, University, University Applications, Apprenticeships, Degree Apprenticeships & Results Day
- Advice and guidance on taking a gap year
- Advice and guidance on creating a CV and writing application letters
- Links to www.ucas.com - advice and guidance on applying to university, finding an apprenticeship, choosing a career and taking a gap year

