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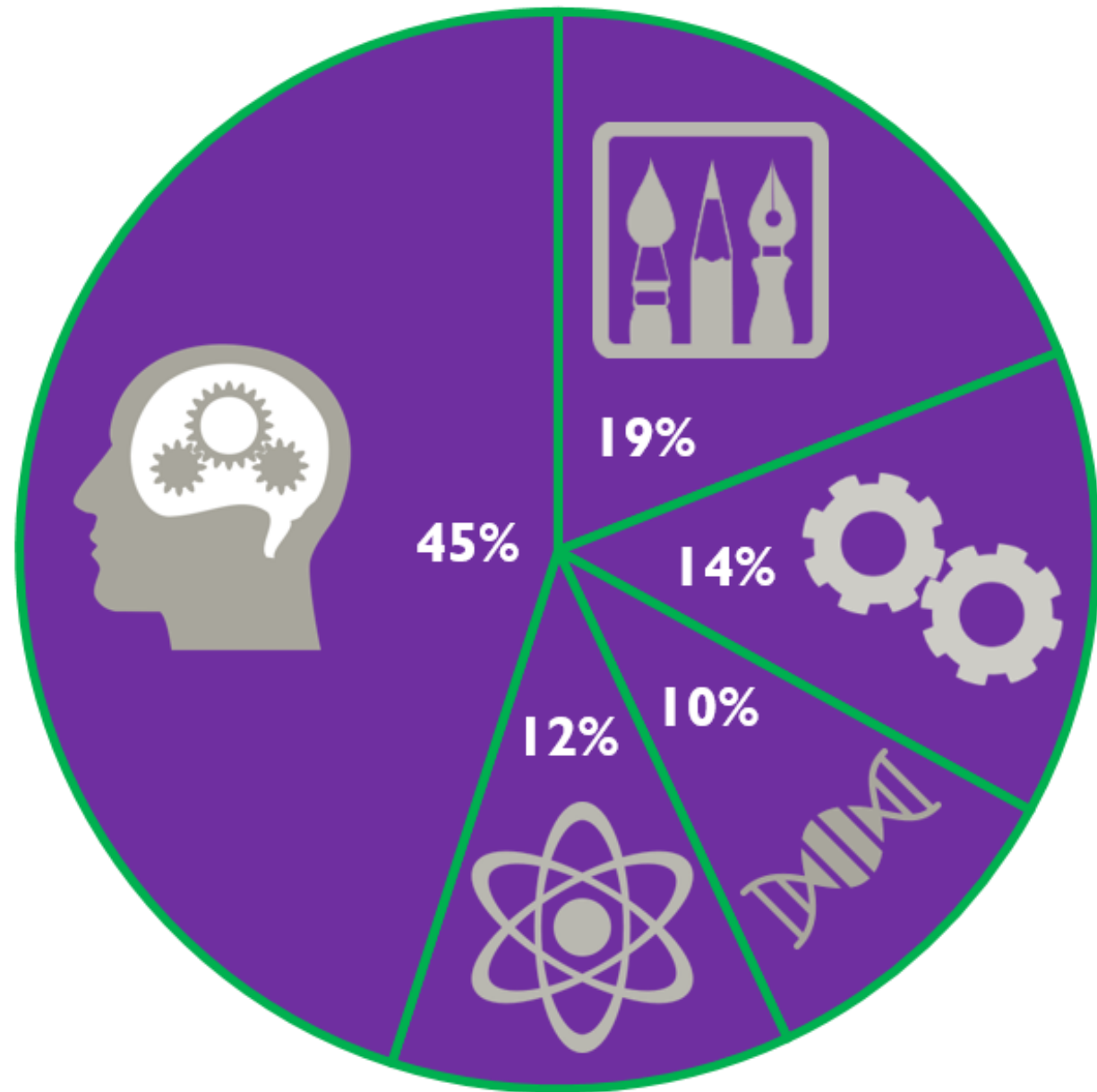
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Year 13 Destinations 2021

Subject area	Russell Group	Non-Russell Group
Arts & Humanities	1	7
Engineering	1	5
Medicine, Dentistry & Health	3	1
Science	3	2
Social Science	4	15
TOTAL	12	30

Other destinations

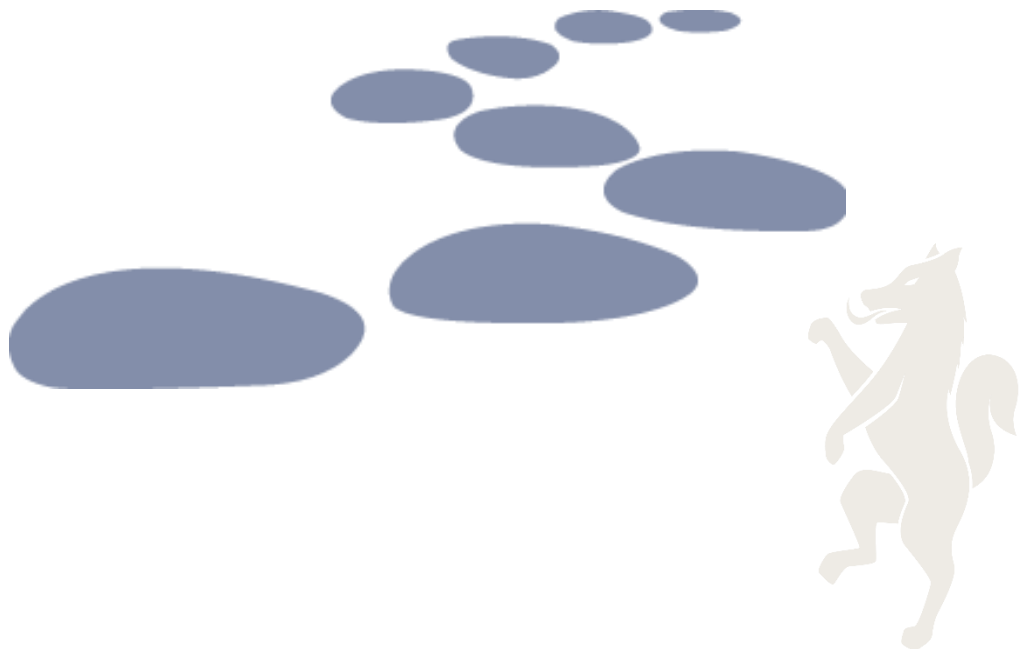
International universities	7
Apprenticeship	1
Employment	1
Other (incl. gap year)	5
TBC	23



Year 12



Working Lunches



+ summer term university visit (TBC)



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One Year Offer

Animal Management

Art & Design

Children's Play, Learning & Development

Creative Digital Media

Engineering*

Health & Social Care

Public Services

Sport

Travel & Tourism*

Esports

Business & Enterprise



HNC

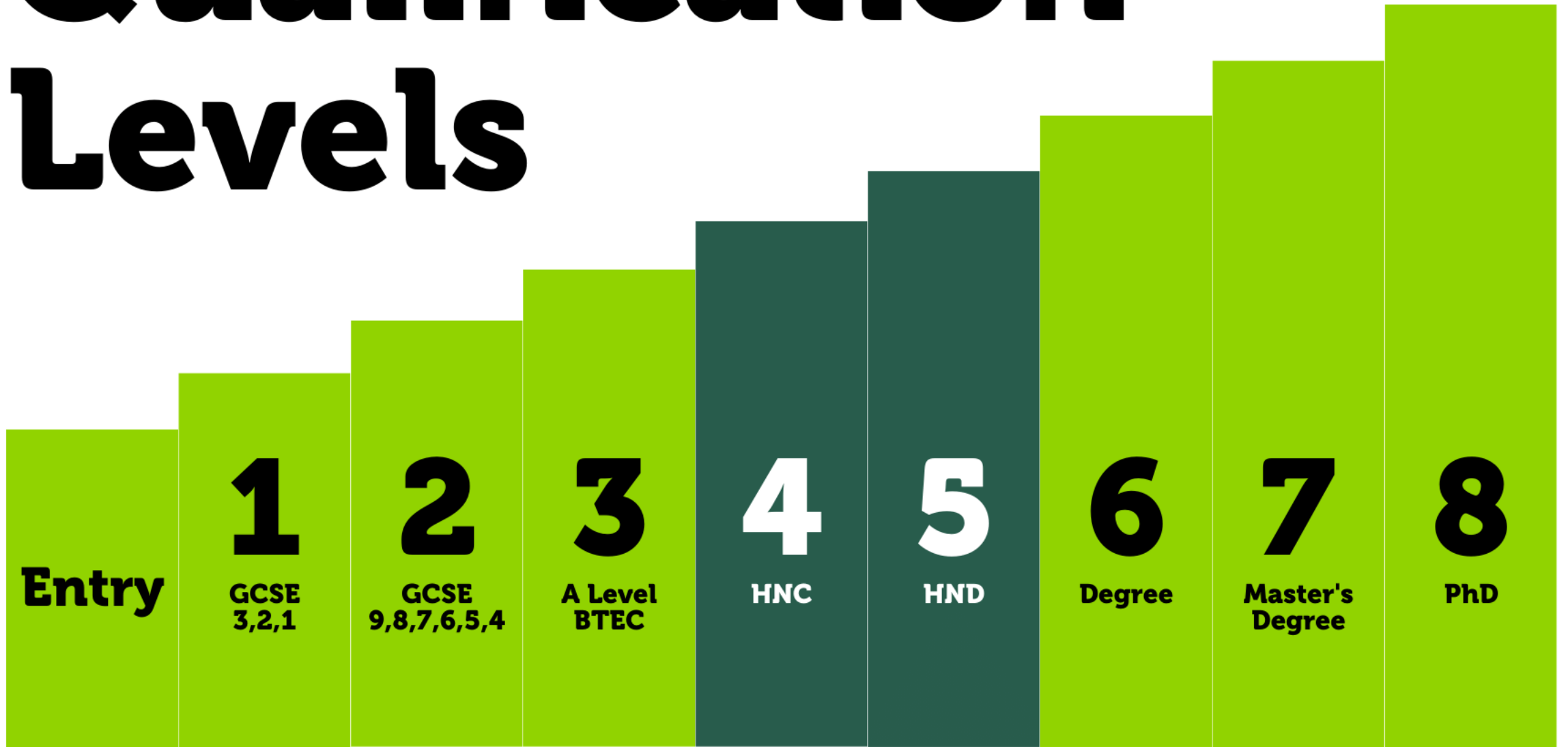
Higher National Certificate



HND

Higher National Diploma

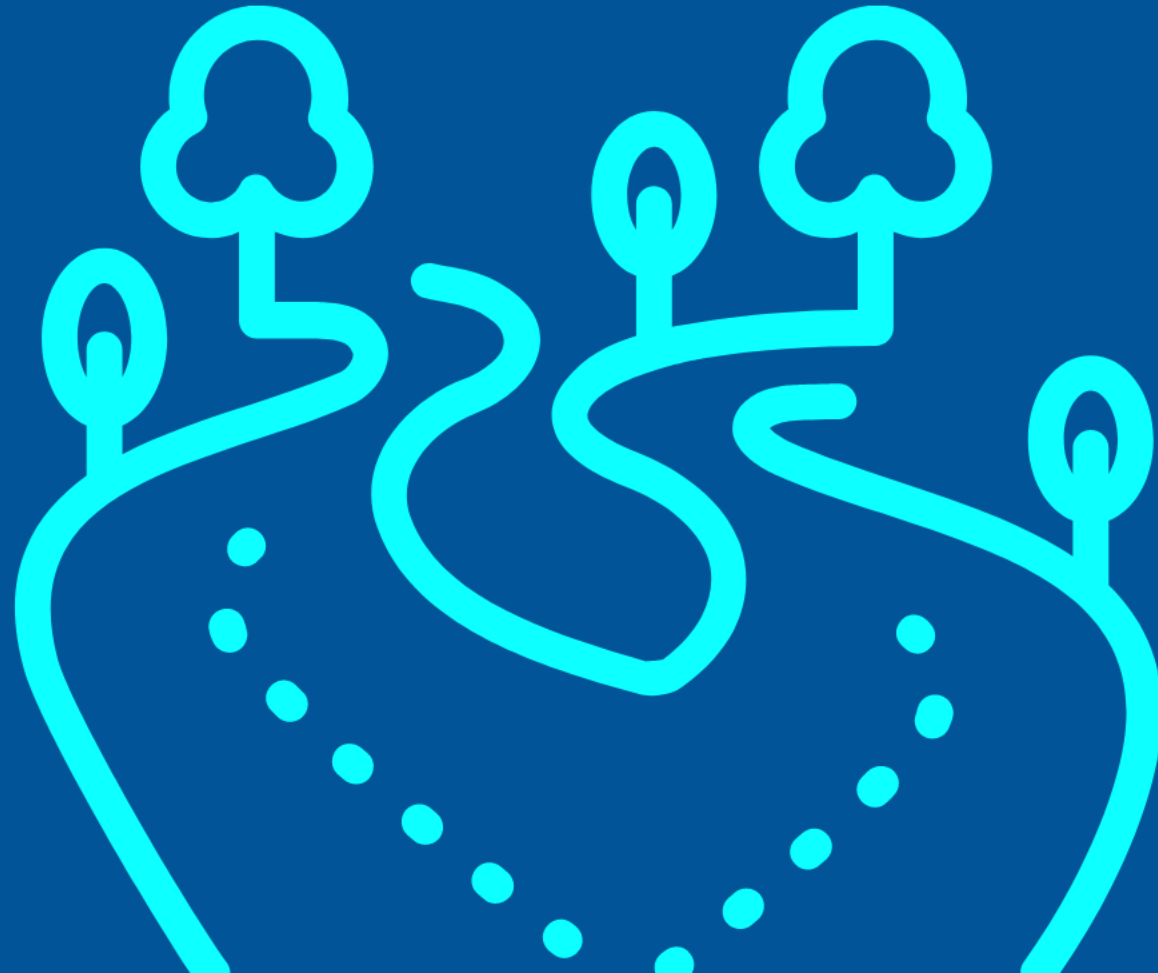
Qualification Levels





**What are
they?**

Alternative Pathway



**Vocational
qualifications
(practical
experience!)**





**Fast-track
your way
into a career**



**Highly regarded
by employers**

What subjects are HNC/HND's available in?

- Agriculture degree
- Computing and IT degree
- Construction and civil engineering degree
- Engineering degree
- Health and social care degree
- Business and management degree
- Sport and exercise sciences degree
- Performing Arts degree
- Retail and distribution degree
- Hospitality management degree

Art & Design - HNC Level 4

Start Date: 05/09/2021



Full Time



Level 4



HE



1 Year

Public Services HNC

Start Date: 05/09/2021



Full Time



Level 4



HE



1 Year

Art & Design HND

Start Date: 05/09/2021



Full Time



Level 5



HE



1 Year

Public Services HND

Start Date: 05/09/2021



Full Time



Level 5



HE



2 Years

Creative Digital Media Production HNC

Start Date: 05/09/2021



Full Time



Level 4



HE



1 Year

Sport - HNC Level 4

Start Date: 20/09/2021



Full Time



Level 4



HE



1 Year

Creative Digital Media Production HND

Start Date: 05/09/2021



Full Time



Level 4



HE



2 Years

Sport HND

Start Date: 05/09/2021



Full Time



Level 5



HE



2 Years

Engineering HNC Level 4

Start Date: 05/09/2021



Full Time



Level 4



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1 Year

Apprenticeships

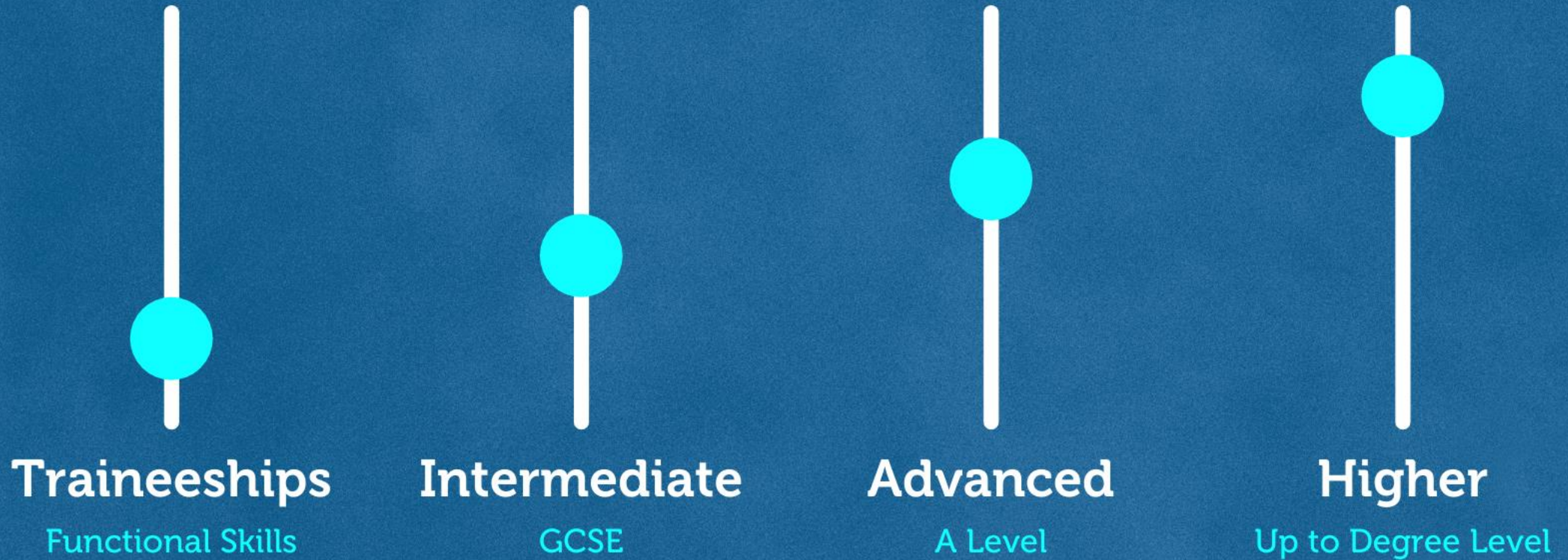


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**An apprenticeship is an
opportunity to gain
real employment experience,
earn money, and receive
accredited qualifications**

Types of Apprenticeships



Entry Requirements

1

Traineeships

No formal entry requirements

2

Intermediate

4 GCSEs at 3
English or Maths at 3

3

Advanced

5 GCSEs at 4
English and Maths at 4

4

Higher

5 GCSEs at 4
Level 3 Qualification
(preferably in a related subject)

**HOWEVER, ENTRY REQUIREMENTS
CAN BE FLEXIBLE!**



Higher Apprenticeships



1 – 5 Years



Levels 4,5,6,7



**Part-time
Study**



Qualifications
Salary
Experience
Opportunities



Competitive
Entry Requirements
Commitment
Travel



Business Administration Higher Apprenticeship

Level 4

About this Apprenticeship

An apprenticeship in a genuine job, with training, meaning apprentices learn and gain skills and professional competencies in their chosen career, whilst receiving a wage.

Apprenticeships are suitable for well-motivated people who are focussed and know which career path they want to follow. They offer high quality work-based training as an alternative to full time study.

This programme is aimed at people who are employed, or are seeking employment. You will need to be 16 years of age or over. Apprenticeships are available at level 2 and level 3.

Who is this course for?

An apprenticeship is a genuine job, with training. Apprentices will learn and gain professional competencies in their chosen career, whilst receiving a wage. Apprenticeships are suitable for well-motivated people who are focused and know which career they want to follow. All apprenticeships offer high quality work-based training as an alternative to full time education. From April 2020, the apprenticeship minimum wage is £4.15 per hour. For further information on salaries, visit gov.uk/national-minimum-wage-rates.

What is the course duration?

18 Months

What is the mode of study?

Employer Premises

What qualification will I achieve?

On completion of this course you will receive NVQ Level 4 in Business and Administration; Diploma in the Principles of Business and Administration and, if required, Functional Skills.

What skills, knowledge and behaviours will I learn?

- Employment should be for a minimum of 30 hours per week, with training in the workplace
- Assessor visits in the workplace every 3 – 4 weeks
- Employment Rights and Responsibilities



For queries or advice
please phone Student &
Learning Services on:

01524 521385 or

What kind of apprenticeships can you do at degree level?

There are more than 40 different apprenticeships you can do at degree level, including:

- Building Services Design Engineer
- B2B Sales Professional
- Chartered Surveyor
- Chartered Manager
- Civil Engineer
- Clinical Trials Specialist
- Data scientist
- Digital Marketer
- Food industry technical professional
- Laboratory Scientist
- Nuclear Scientist and Nuclear Engineer
- Paramedic
- Police Constable
- Professional Economist
- Project Manager
- Registered Nurse
- Head of Facilities Management

Remember...

**Not everyone
travels the same
path**





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Year 12 Futures Evening

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The Basics.



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↘ All UK students apply
via UCAS

↘ You can choose one
course (£22) or up to
five courses (£26.50)

↘ Universities & courses
have codes, such as
'N77' and 'WW2P'

↘ You upload everything
via UCAS, including
personal statement

↘ OFFERS: Conditional,
Unconditional, Unsuccessful

↘ RESPONSES: Firm,
Insurance, Decline

Deadline.

↘ Oxbridge
Medicine
Dentistry
Veterinary



Deadline.

- ↘ All other courses and universities
- ↘ Most important date is that given to you by school/college!



What is a personal statement?



4,000 characters or 47 lines



Many courses don't hold interviews or request portfolios



A 'cover letter' that supports their application

What do they look for?



- Enthusiasm for their subject
- Clear structure: 80/20?
- Evidence that they've thought about what you want to do
- Why they are a good candidate

What to cover



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- **What bearing do your current studies have on your selection?**
- **What experiences have you gained from your studies?**
- **What interests you about the course/subject area?**
- **Do you have a career goal?**
- **What skills and attributes do you have?**
- **What do you do in your spare time?**
- **Do you have any relevant work/volunteer experience, or any other achievements?**

Work Experience.

Why is it important?

- ↘ Two thirds of employers look for graduates with relevant work experience
- ↘ Great for boosting CV and shows motivation and commitment
- ↘ Helps to gain a better understanding of a potential career

Work Experience.

Struggling to get it?

- ↘ Wider Reading
- ↘ Online Courses/Webinars
- ↘ Volunteering



Open Days.



- ↘ Research courses prior
- ↘ Speak to academics
- ↘ Get a 'feel' for the university/city
- ↘ Prepare questions

The Key Questions...

The University

Where is it?

Is it a campus or city university?

What's the Student Satisfaction?

What is your employability rate?

When are your Open Days?

The Course

Do you do...?

Are there combination options?

Can I study abroad or placement?

Is it an accredited course?

How is the course assessed?

The Lifestyle

What societies does the SU have?

What sports can I play/compete in?

Do you have scholarships?

What is the accommodation like?

What is the city like?

The Application Process

What qualifications do I need?

What do I include in my personal Statement?

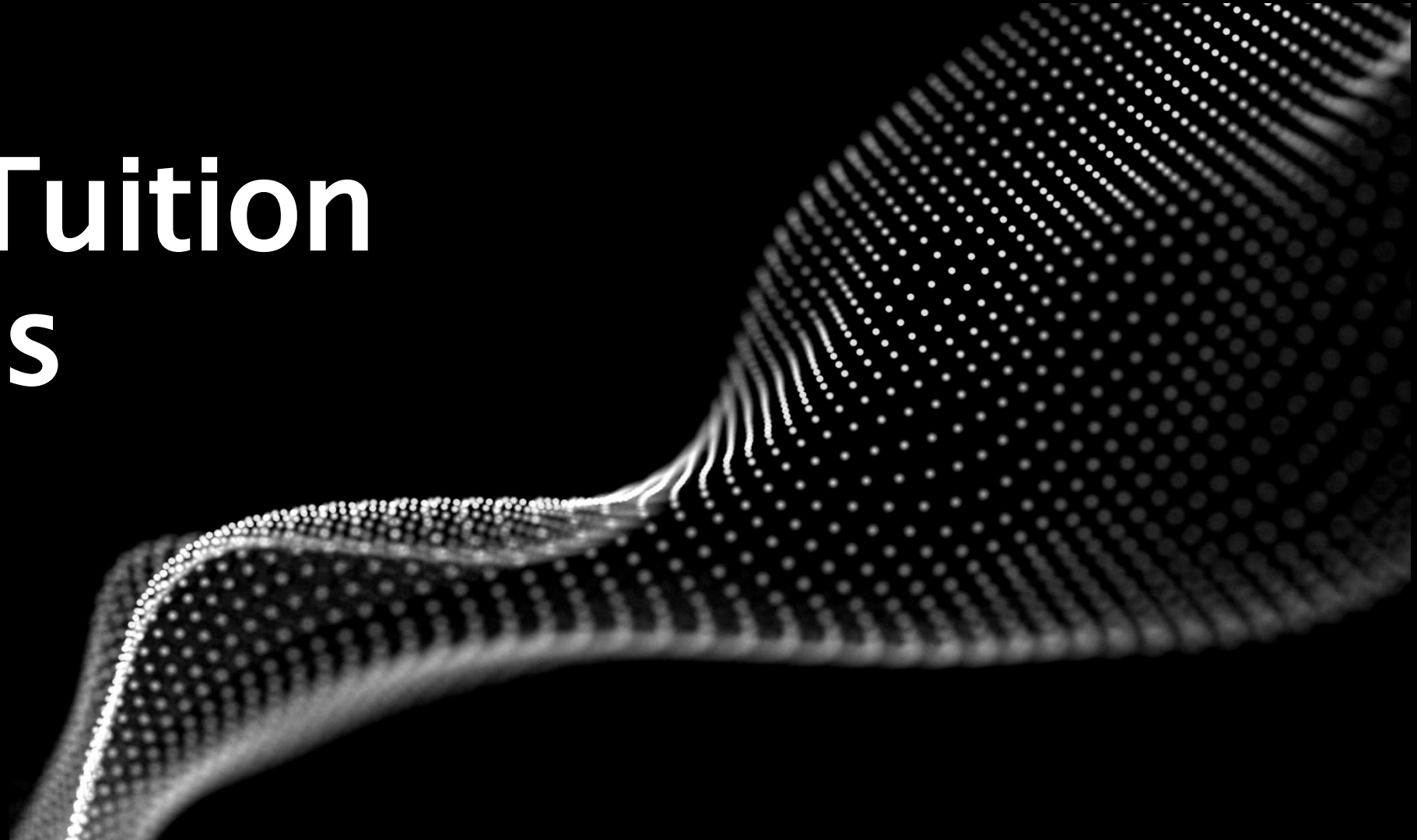
Is there an interview process?

Do I need a portfolio?

What A-Levels/BTEC's do I need to take?

**What is student
finance?**

**Part 1 – Tuition
Fee Loans**



TUITION.



How is it paid?

Paid directly to the University

You're eligible to take out a loan for the full amount of fees per

Nothing payable upfront

This pays for....

Expert Academics

Industry Standard Facilities

World Class Research

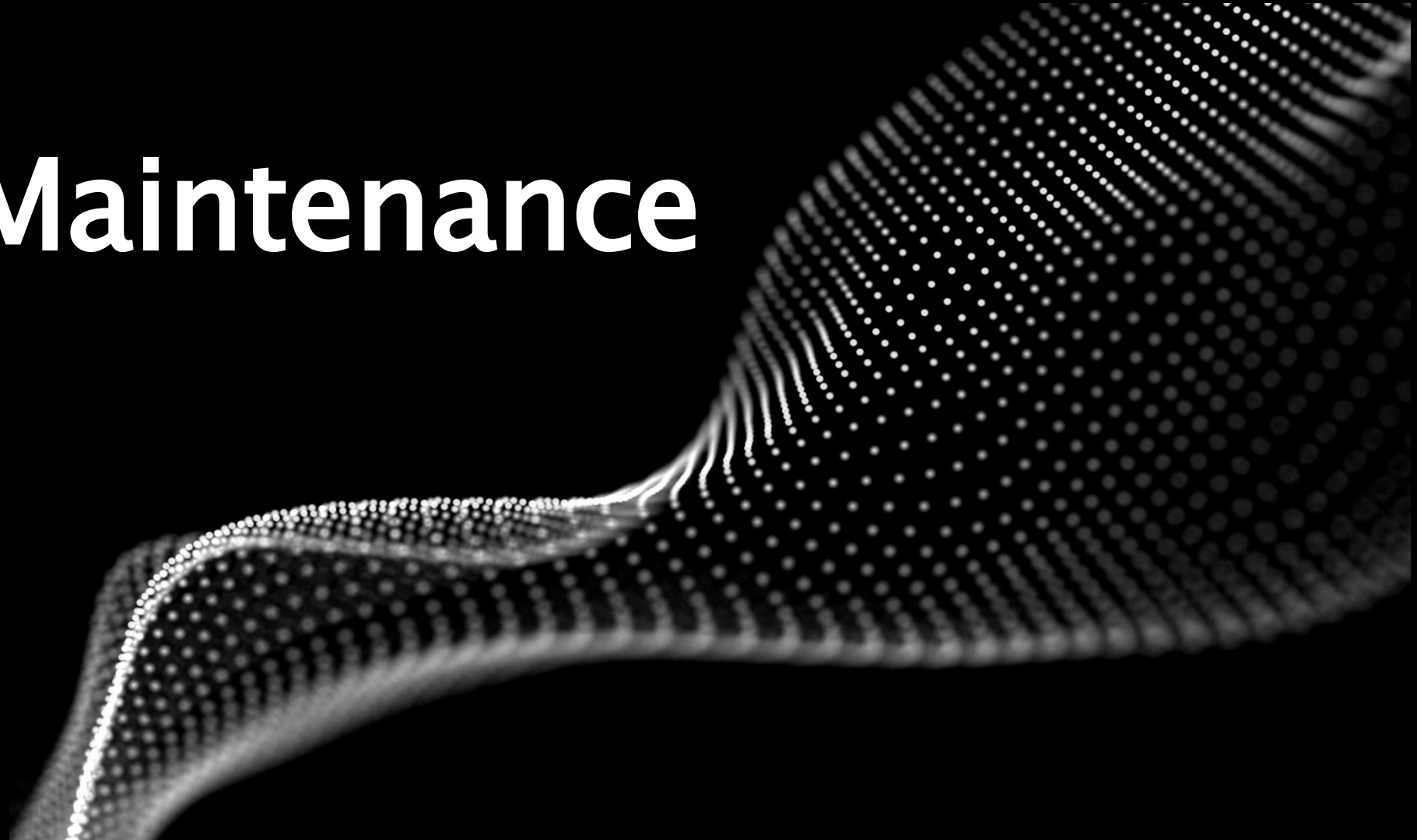
Professional Accreditations

Student Support

And more!

**What is student
finance?**

**Part 2 – Maintenance
Loans**



MAINTENANCE.



How is it paid?

Paid to student in instalments

45%* guaranteed – rest depends on circumstances

Nothing payable upfront

This pays for....

Rent and Bills

Travel

Food and Drink

Resources

Social Life

The things that 'maintain' you!

*Approximate figure

Paying it back.

- ↘ Tuition and maintenance combine into one loan
- ↘ Paying your loan back depends on how much you EARN
- ↘ You don't pay anything back until earning over £25,000 per year



Paying it back.

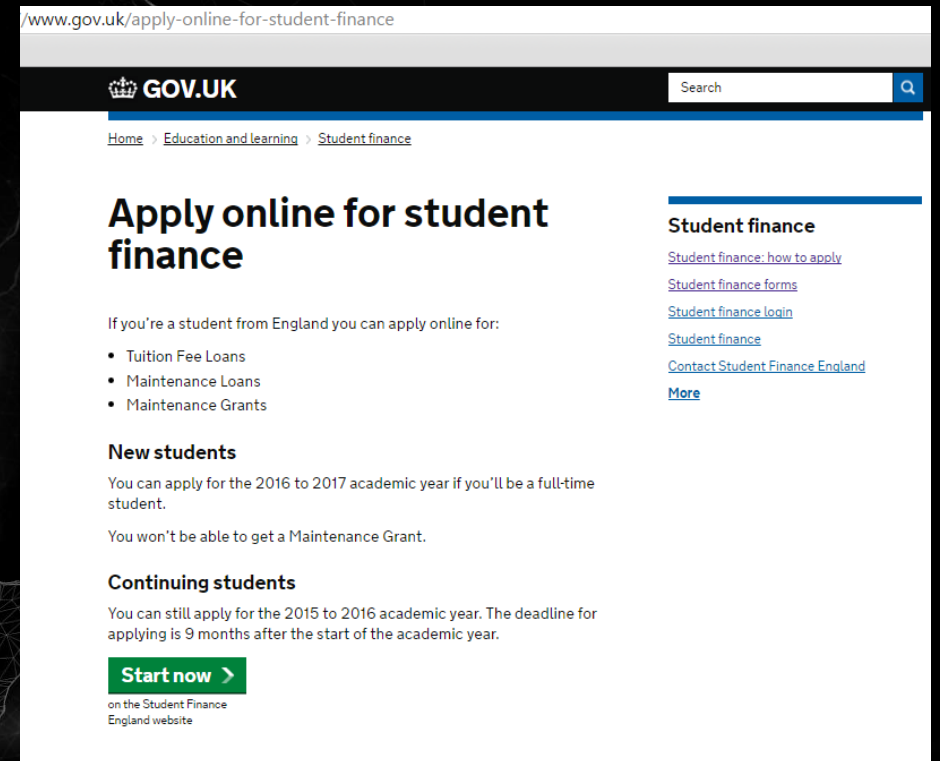
- ↘ 9% of what you earn
OVER £25,000
- ↘ Written off after 40
years
- ↘ Paid monthly – taken
automatically from
your paycheque.



How to Apply.

gov.uk/apply-online-for-student-finance

- Personal Details (Name, DOB, NI Number, Passport Number)
- Where you've lived in the last 3-5 years
- University and course details
- Bank details & your income
- Parent/Guardian financial information from the past year



The screenshot shows the gov.uk website page for applying for student finance. The URL in the browser is www.gov.uk/apply-online-for-student-finance. The page features the GOV.UK logo and a search bar. The main heading is "Apply online for student finance". Below this, it states: "If you're a student from England you can apply online for:" followed by a list of options: Tuition Fee Loans, Maintenance Loans, and Maintenance Grants. There are also links for "Student finance: how to apply", "Student finance forms", "Student finance login", "Contact Student Finance England", and "More". The page is divided into sections for "New students" and "Continuing students", each with specific application details and a "Start now" button.

www.gov.uk/apply-online-for-student-finance

GOV.UK

Home > Education and learning > Student finance

Apply online for student finance

If you're a student from England you can apply online for:

- Tuition Fee Loans
- Maintenance Loans
- Maintenance Grants

New students

You can apply for the 2016 to 2017 academic year if you'll be a full-time student.

You won't be able to get a Maintenance Grant.

Continuing students

You can still apply for the 2015 to 2016 academic year. The deadline for applying is 9 months after the start of the academic year.

[Start now >](#)

on the Student Finance England website

Student finance

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- [Student finance forms](#)
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Takeaways.



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Check how much you're entitled to on the Student Finance Calculator

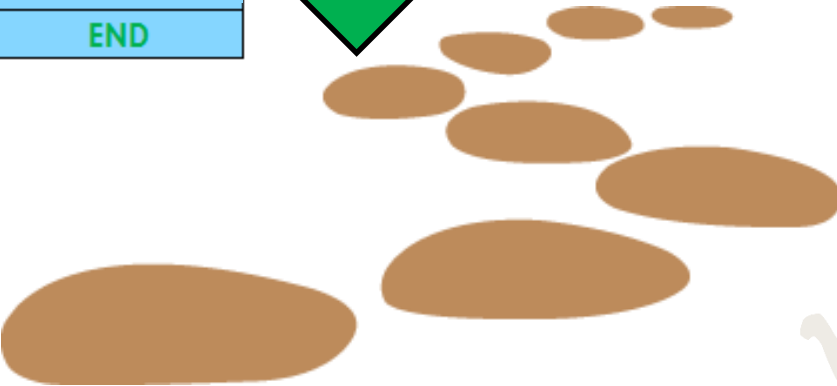
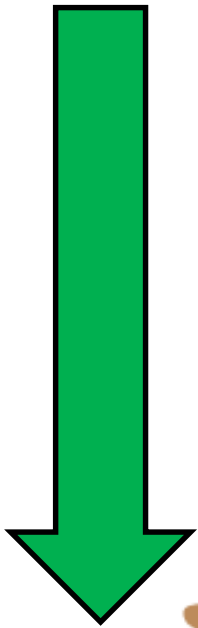


Book on to university open days



Explore further content at <https://www.northumbria.ac.uk/study-at-northumbria/coming-to-northumbria/university-made-simple/>

	Year 12	Year 13	
September	START	UCAS Apply opens	Open Days
October		15-Oct: Early entry deadline	
November		15-Nov: Deadline for all applications	
December	PDev sessions on futures	Interviews and reviewing & accepting offers	
January		Student Finance	
February			
March		EXAMS	
April	UCAS Sign Up		
May	UCAS Parents Info Evening	A Level Results & Clearing	
June	Predicted grades		
July	Personal statement & tariff calculator		
August	Open Days	END	

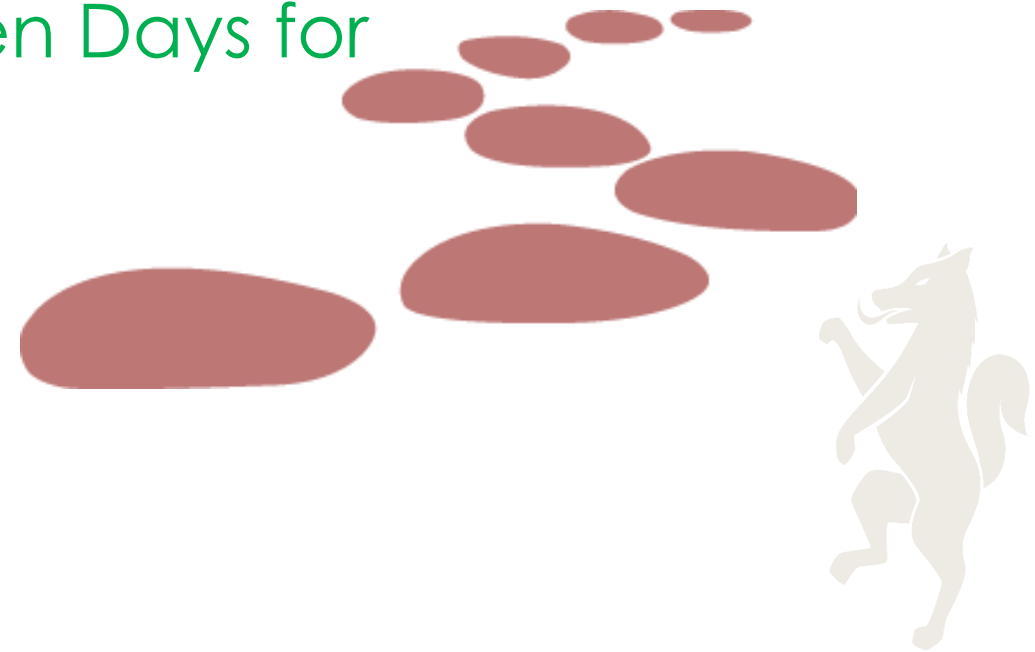


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UCAS Apply 2023

- 1) UCAS site went live on 19 April 2022
- 2) Sign up to regular e-updates via registration with the UCAS Hub
- 3) Start your research and look at Open Days for June/July of Year 12





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Be ready for the world...

... whether the world is ready or not

