Comparing institutions

Using a combination of prospectuses and websites, start comparing your courses by looking at the institutions at which they’re based. Use this to narrow down the unis you’ll visit and research more.

These categories are just a starter for you to make your comparisons. Good websites to use are:

- www.ucas.com
- www.unistats.co.uk
- www.push.co.uk

Are there other questions you have? What are their fees & bursaries? What are the social facilities and nightlife like?

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