Your Application Timeline from Year 12 to Freshers’ Week

**Year 12**  
**March to July**  
**UCAS Exhibitions**  
Come and speak to staff at one of the regional UCAS exhibitions. This is your opportunity to speak to representatives from a wide variety of education providers to help you find the right course at the right university for you. Remember to not just ask about grade requirements and accommodation; find out what skills and experiences you will need so that you can start acquiring them now.

For more information on UCAS exhibitions visit www.ucas.com/exhibitions

**June to October**  
**Open Days**  
Open Days are an excellent opportunity to visit a university and see first-hand if it is the right place for you. Departmental admissions sessions, taster lectures, and tours of teaching and accommodation sites are some of the key things to do.

To watch a short video and book your place on a University of Leicester Open Day visit www.le.ac.uk/opendays

**Year 13**  
**July to January**  
**Apply via UCAS**  
From July onwards you can submit your application to www.ucas.com for up to five university courses. The deadline for Medicine, Dentistry and the Veterinary Sciences is 15 October, whereas for most other courses it is 15 January. Remember to liaise with your school as they may set deadlines earlier so they have time to review your personal statement and write a reference for you.

**December to April**  
**Visit Days**  
If you receive an offer from the University of Leicester you will be invited to an Applicant Visit Day where you can meet our staff and current students, go on a campus tour and visit our accommodation.

**August**  
**Exam Results**  
Universities usually receive your results automatically from the examination board and then, as long as you meet your offer grades, they will confirm your place.

**September**  
**University Freshers’ Week**  
Freshers’ Week (or Freshers’ Fortnight if you come to Leicester!) is a great start to your university life. You attend introductory lectures, join clubs and societies, and make new friends.

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