







UNIVERSITY FOUNDATION PROGRAMME

University Foundation Programme (UFP) is a **one-year course** that prepares and qualifies students for admission to top UK universities. It is an **alternative qualification equivalent to A-Levels and International Baccalaureate** (IB).

ESTABLISHED IN 1989

Our course was one of the first independent foundation programmes in the world. Our long-standing reputation and experience makes us a leading provider of foundation courses in the UK. That's why our qualifications are accepted by over 90 UK institutions.

Small class sizes and individual attention allow our students to perform well. We are proud to say that every single UFP graduate has gone on to secure a place at university. To make sure we consistently meet expectations, our courses are accredited by:

- External Examiners from five top UK institutions
 - 1. Prof. Michael Munday, School of Pharmacy, University College London (UCL)
 - 2. Dr. John Hunter, School of Social Science, **Brunel University London**
 - 3. Prof. Chris Watkins, School of Computing, **Royal Holloway, University of London**
 - 4. Prof. Anna Barney, School of Engineering, **University of Southampton**
 - 5. Sarah Gale, The City Law School, City, University of London



David Game College is Graded "Outstanding" in all 5 areas by Ofsted.
Ofsted is the Office for Standards in Education, Children's Services and Skills.

Because we are independent, we are always able to do what's best for our pupils. We never bend to the financial interests of other institutions. When it comes to university applications, our advice and guidance is based on our students' preferences, not quotas or agreements.

With courses starting in September or January, you can study in two great UK locations, London or Bath.

OUR PARTNER UNIVERSITIES

























70% of our UFP students obtained offers from **Russell Group Universities** in 2021.

Offers received from:

University of Bristol

University of Edinburgh

King's College London

University of Liverpool

University of Cardiff

University of Exeter

University of Leeds

University of Sheffield

University of Durham

University of Birmingham

University of Manchester

Queen Mary University of London

University of Newcastle

University of Southampton

University of Nottingham

University College London (UCL)

University of York

University of Warwick



3 THINGS MAKE US DIFFERENT

1 Unparalleled Experience

Over the 30+ years we have been running, we have seen thousands of successful students go to university. In a typical year we have over 50 different nationalities, allowing our students to make friends they'll keep for life. We support them every step of the way and ensure they develop personally as well as academically. With us, you can rely on capable and competent professionals.

2 A Quality Education

UFP has a 100% success rate in securing its successful students offers from UK universities. Passing our exams will ensure offers from top institutions. Most importantly though, we prepare our students for the challenge ahead, allowing you to make a smooth transition to undergraduate level.

3 Freedom to Choose

Our independence allows students to consider multiple universities and apply for degrees that best suit them. Throughout the process, our staff can offer extensive educational and career advice. We also allow our students to choose their course modules according to their future subject area. At UFP, we strive to treat our students as individuals, not as a production line.





HANNA, ARCHITECTURE,
ARCHITECTURAL ASSOCIATION SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE



"THE QUALITY OF THE COURSE IS GREAT BECAUSE IT HELPS STUDENTS AIMING TO GET THE HIGHEST LEVEL OF EDUCATION AND GAIN OPPORTUNITIES TO ENTER PRESTIGIOUS MEDICAL SCHOOLS' UFP PROVIDES THE MAXIMUM SUPPORT FOR STUDENTS WHO NEED ADDITIONAL HELP TO IMPROVE IN THEIR ESSENTIAL SUBJECTS."

ADHAM. MEDICINE.

QUEEN MARY UNIVERSITY OF LONDON (MALTA CAMPUS)



"I LIKE MY COURSE TUTORS BECAUSE THEY ARE NOT ONLY GREAT AT TEACHING THE SUBJECT BUT ARE ALSO LIKE GUARDIANS AND GOOD FRIENDS TO US... CLASSES ARE KEPT LIVELY SO THAT WE ENJOY EVERY BIT OF LEARNING."

NITIN. ACCOUNTING AND FINANCE. UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER



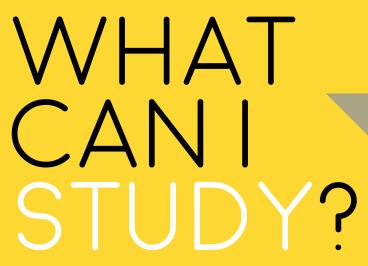
" I LEARNED EVERYTHING I NEED TO KNOW TO BE READY FOR MY FIRST YEAR AT UNIVERSITY."

BARBARA, COMPUTER SCIENCE. UNIVERSITY OF EXETER



"I CHOSE UFP BECAUSE I BELIEVED IT WAS THE BEST PATHWAY FOR ME TO GAIN ACCESS TO TOP UK UNIVERSITIES."

JOSS, ECONOMICS, UNIVERSITY OF LEEDS



We have **six pathways** you can choose from, which allow you to progress to almost any degree course in the UK:



ARCHITECTURE. ART & DESIGN PATHWAY

progression to university degree courses in:

- Animation
- Architecture
- Design Technology
- Fashion Design
- Fashion Photography
- Fine Art
- Furniture Design
- · Games Design
- · Garden Design
- Graphic Design

- History of Art & Design
- Illustration
- Interactive Media
- Interior Architecture
- · Interior Design
- · Jewellery Design
- Landscape Architecture
- Model Making
- Multimedia Design

- Painting
- Photography
- Photojournalism
- Printmaking
- Product Design
- Sculpture
- · Set Design
- Special Effects
- Textile Design

BUSINESS & FINANCE PATHWAY

progression to university degree courses in:

- Accounting
- · Accounting & Economics
- Accounting & Finance
- Actuarial Science
- · Banking & Finance
- · Business Administration
- · Business Economics
- Business Management
- Business Finance
- Business IT

- Business Studies
- Business Studies & Marketing
- · Development Economics
- Digital Marketing
- e-Commerce
- Economics
- Economics & Accountancy
- Event Management
- Hotel Management

- Investment & Financial Risk Management
- Leisure Marketing
- Management
- · Management & Marketing
- Money, Banking & Finance
- Marketing
- Property Valuation & Finance
- · Risk Analysis & Insurance

ENGINEERING & COMPUTING PATHWAY

progression to university degree courses in:

- Aerospace Engineering
- Architectural Engineering
- · Automotive Engineering
- Building Engineering
- Building Surveying
- Chemical Engineering
- Civil Engineering
- Computer Infomation Systems
- Computer Science
- Computer Systems Engineering

- Construction Management
- · Cyber Security
- · Electrical Engineering
- · Electronics Engineering
- Engineering Management
- · Industrial Engineering
- Information Systems
- Engineering
- Mathematics
- Maths & Computer Science

- Mechanical Engineering
- Mechatronics
- · Mineral Engineering
- Multimedia Technology
- Networks Engineering
- Petroleum Engineering
- Quantity Surveying
- Software Engineering
- · Telecom Engineering

SCIENCE & PHARMACY PATHWAY

progression to university degree courses in:

- Astrophysics
- Biochemistry
- Biological Sciences
- Biomedical Science
- Biotechnology
- Biomedical Engineering
- Diagnostic Radiography
- Environmental Science
- Genetics
- Medical Biochemistry
- Medical Engineering
- Medical Physics
- Molecular Biology
- Molecular Genetics
- Nutrition
- Pharmacology
- Pharmacy
- Physics
- Polymer Science
- Radiography

LAW. HUMANITIES & SOCIAL SCIENCES

progression to university degree courses in:

- Advertising
- Anthropology
- Business Law
- Criminology
- Development Economics
- Economics
- Education
- European StudiesFilm & TV Studies
- Geography

- History
- International Law
- International Relations
- Iournalism
- Law
- Law & Economics
- Law & Politics
- Mass Communication
- Media Studies
- · Media & Cultural Studies

- PhilosophyPolitics
- Politics & Economics
- Politics & Economics
 Politics & International Relations
- Politics & Social Studies
- Public Relations & Communications
- Psychology
- Sociology
- Theatre Studies

MEDICINE PATHWAY

progression to university degree courses in:

- Biochemistry
- Biological Sciences
- Biomedical Sciences

· Biomedical Engineering

Medicine

- Medical Science
- Microbiology
- Molecular Genetics
- Nutrition
- Neuroscience
- Pharmacology
- Pharmacy
- Physiology & Physiotherapy
- Pre-Medicine

ARCHITECTURE. ART & DESIGN

Taught by practising artists and designers the Architecture, Art & Design Foundation Pathwayis an intensive one year foundation course, which will prepare you for a wide range of Architecture, Art and Design bachelor degrees.

This helps you identify your skills and interests so that you can make a well-informed decision about which subject to study at university. The course enables you to acquire the skills, understanding, independence and confidence necessary to make a smooth and successful transition to university studies. Art and design education in the UK is unique and internationally respected because of its focus on creativity, experimentation and originality. Our

Top University Destinations

UFP graduates achieve degree places in many prestigious institutions including:

Architectural Association School of Architecture (AA)

University of the Arts London: Central Saint Martins

University of the Arts London: Chelsea College of Arts

University of the Arts London: London College of Communication

University of the Arts London: London College of Fashion **University of London: Goldsmiths College**

University of Nottingham

University of Manchester

University of Sheffield

University of Westminster

COURSE STRUCTURE

TERM 1

LEARNING SKILLS & CONTEXT

During Term One, students choose four areas from the following and are introduced to the fundamental skills, processes and ideas of these disciplines: Spatial Design (including Architecture, Interior Design and Product Design), Fashion Design, Fine Art, Graphic Design and Photography.

TERM 2

SPECIALIST PATHWAY & **PROGRESSION**

Students choose a major and a minor module reflecting their chosen pathway, and complete their portfolio.

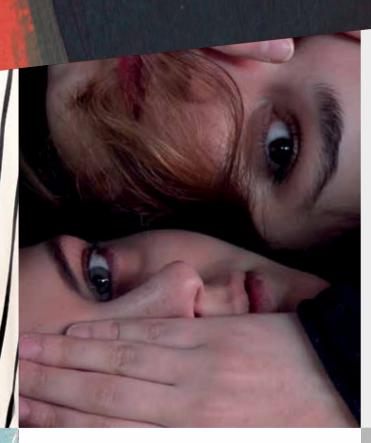
TERM 3

INDEPENDENT PROJECT

Students propose and undertake a single project reflecting their personal interests, skills, and chosen university subject. This project provides students with an opportunity to develop the level of independence required for successful university level studies.

"I LEARNED SO MUCH FROM MY TUTORS. WHAT I LIKE IS THAT THEY FOCUS ON EACH PERSON'S ABILITIES AND POTENTIAL. HELPING US TO DEVELOP OUR SKILLS. TECHNIQUES AND UNDERSTANDING. I COULDN'T HAVE RECEIVED BETTER SUPPORT."

KARIM. ARCHITECTURE. ARCHITECTURAL ASSOCIATION SCHOOL OF ARCHITECTURE (AA)









BUSINESS & FINANCE

UFP Business & Finance pathway provides students with an in-depth knowledge of the subjects which are most important to qualify for entry into top UK university degree courses. Our students gain a strong academic foundation and the advanced skill to help them excel in their university studies. The Major Modules cover challenging subjects which constitute excellent preparation for competitive degree courses. This is confirmed by student feedback showing high levels of confidence and comfort in their degree studies.

Our Business & Finance course educates students in the basic practices of trade and commerce. We teach them the fundamentals of numeracy, communication and computer skills in the first term. Students can then begin to specialise in their subject area by picking relevant modules in terms 2 and 3. UFP graduates can then progress to a wide range of relevant degree courses.

Top University Destinations

UFP graduates achieve degree places in many prestigious institutions including:

University of Surrey

London School of Economics and Political Science (LSE)

King's College London (KCL)

Lancaster University

Bayes Business School (formerly City University London)

University of Manchester

University of Nottingham

University of Southampton

SOAS University of London

Queen Mary University of London

COURSE STRUCTURE

MINOR MODULES

Compulsory subjects:

- Mathematics
- Information Technology
- Communication Skills/IELTS

MAJOR MODULES

- Accounting
- Economics
- Further Mathematics
- Further Computing
- Business Organisation
- Quantitative Methods



ENGINEERING & COMPUTING

As a growing sector worldwide, there has never been more demand for Engineering and Computing graduates. Whilst science evolves rapidly and computer systems become essential to everyday interactions, technical skills do not go unnoticed.

Our Engineering & Computing course allows students to develop a strong grounding in relevant subjects. This begins to develop their technical skills and encourages an analytical approach to problem solving. It covers all the essentials needed to make a strong start in any technology based degree course.

Top University Destinations

UFP graduates achieve degree places in many prestigious institutions including

University of Bath
University of Southampton
University of Sheffield
University of Leeds
City, University of London

University of Manchester University of Nottingham Queen Mary University of London

COURSE STRUCTURE

MINOR MODULES

Compulsory subjects:

- Mathematics
- Information Technology
- Communication Skills/IELTS

MAJOR MODULES

- Chemistry
- Further Computing
- Further Mathematics
- Physics
- Quantitative Methods







LAW. HUMANITIES. 8 SOCIAL SCIENCES

Any skillset concerned with understanding and governing people is, and always will be, important. The UK has a strong heritage in Law, the Humanities and Social Sciences, both professionally and academically. It tops global university rankings with some of the oldest and best-funded institutions in the world. Moreover, British Law is also the most widespread and influential legal system in the world.

Our Law, Humanities & Social Sciences course allows students to progress to a broad range of degree courses. They become proficient in critical analysis, evidence gathering and argument evaluation. Students will develop an appreciation for different societies, cultures and human behaviours.

Top University Destinations

UFP graduates achieve degree places in many prestigious institutions including

University of Surrey
Durham University
SOAS University of London

University of East Anglia University of York King's College London

Queen Mary University of London

COURSE STRUCTURE

MINOR MODULES

Compulsory subjects:

- Mathematics
- Information Technology
- Communication Skills/IELTS

MAJOR MODULES

- Economics
- Law
- Media & Film Studies
- Politics
- Psychology
- Sociology
- Quantitative Methods

SCIENCE & PHARMACY

The future looks bright for students in the pharmacy and medical sciences field. From genetics to bionic limbs, there are many big trends that will affect our lives in the future. Whilst there is still a lot to discover about the human body, patients' lives are improving all the time.

The UK is an established world leader in research and development. Graduates are highly sought after, in research and business. Our Science and Pharmacy course combines scientific theory and practical elements. Students leave with the fundamental skills needed to progress in any area of the profession.

Top University Destinations

UFP graduates achieve degree places in many prestigious institutions including:

University College London
University of Reading
University of Bath
Queen Mary University of London
King's College London
Royal Holloway, University of London

COURSE STRUCTURE

MINOR MODULES

Compulsory subjects:

- Mathematics
- Information Technology
- Communication Skills/IELTS

MAJOR MODULES

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Further Mathematics
- Physics
- Quantitative Methods





MEDICINE PATHWAY

University Foundation Programme (UFP) Medicine pathway is an intensive one-year foundation course, which is designed to prepare UK, EU and International students for a place at medical school.

UFP Medicine foundation course covers the essentials elements of Biology, Chemistry and Mathematics as well as the more specialised areas of Human Anatomy, Pathology, Genetics and Pharmacology. Alongside these subjects, students also gain an appreciation of what it means to be a medical professional, an insight into technological advances in medicine and an understanding of medical ethics.

From the outset, students are helped to prepare for university entrance interviews which are an important part of admission to Medicine at university. Students will carry out in-class discussions on current medical affairs, gaining knowledge of a wide range of topics to discuss when applying for medical school.

Experienced and dedicated teachers help students to develop strong study skills and effective communication techniques, which are essential for success in their medical studies and beyond.

Who is the Medicine foundation pathway for?*

- Students who currently hold high school diplomas, A-Levels or IB but would like to strengthen their application for medical school
- Students who do not currently meet the academic requirements to apply to medical school through UCAS
- Students who did not pass the UCAT/BMAT examinations and would like to build on their
 existing knowledge before reapplying for medical school

* pathway is not offered in the January intake (only the Autumn)

COURSE STRUCTURE

MINOR MODULES

Compulsory subjects:

- Mathematics
- IT
- Communication Skills/IELTS
- Introductory Biology
- Introductory Chemistry
- Understanding Medicine (and preparation for application to medical school)

MAJOR MODULES

- Biology
- Chemistry
- Medical Sciences

One optional major module from the following:

- Further Mathematics
- Psychology
- Physics
- Quantitative Methods





Our Medicine Foundation Programme is designed to help you realise your potential and give you the confidence and knowledge to advance to a medical degree. A team of highly qualified teachers deliver a tailored syllabus that is focused on giving you the best start to your medical education.

MEDICINE FOUNDATION PROGRAMME UNIVERSITY DESTINATIONS

Brunel University London
University of Central Lancashire
Queen Mary University of London (Malta Campus)
Royal College of Surgeons Ireland
St. George's University Grenada

LIFE AS A STUDENT

In The Classroom

We realise that students have to remain happy, challenged and well-motivated if they are to reach their full potential. Small class sizes allow us to work with students on an individual level. This way, we ensure they get the attention they need.

Whilst we treat students as adults, we closely monitor attendance and progress. In order to meet high academic standards it is vital that students attend regularly. A UFP course typically involves 22-28 hours of lesson time per week. This is supplemented with 10-15 hours of private study.

Social Life

We encourage students to have an active and varied social life outside the college. The college also organises a social programme. London and Bath are well known for their cultural sites and attractions. Whilst we make the most of what's on offer locally, we also arrange trips away.

Throughout the year, there's a variety of:

- Sporting activities (e.g. football, basketball and kayaking)
- Societies and clubs (e.g. debating, cinema, and music)
- Trips in the UK and abroad (e.g. Oxford, Cambridge and Barcelona)
- Social events (e.g. paint-balling, ice-skating, and meals out)
- Subject relevant activities (e.g. gallery and museum visits, and trips to the BBC and the Houses of Parliament)

For our competitive students we hold regular football and chess tournaments against other colleges. Beyond the College, London and Bath offer plenty of things to do. A year-round calendar of sites and attractions means boredom will never be a concern.

Student Support

Students can express any concerns or opinions to their Personal Tutor. To help students choose the best course and university we also host regular workshops and one-to-one meetings. Parents are informed about their child's wellbeing as well as





"THE TEACHERS AT UFP WERE EXCELLENT AND I PARTICULARLY ENJOYED THE MULTICULTURAL ENVIRONMENT. I HAVE MADE FRIENDS FROM MANY DIFFERENT COUNTRIES"

AJITH. ENGINEERING. UNIVERSITY OF BRISTOL "I REALLY APPRECIATED THE INCREDIBLY SUPPORTIVE ATMOSPHERE AT UFP. ESPECIALLY DURING THE UCAS APPLICATION PROCESS. I'M GLAD I RECEIVED THIS SUPPORT WHILE I WAS MAKING SUCH IMPORTANT DECISIONS ABOUT MY FUTURE"

ANNA. BUSINESS MANAGEMENT. THE UNIVERSITY OF MANCHESTER



" SMALL CLASS SIZES MEANT THAT WE RECEIVED MAXIMUM ATTENTION FROM OUR TEACHERS WHO WERE ENCOURAGING AND SUPPORTIVE THROUGHOUT THE WHOLE PROGRAMME"

CYNTHIA. PHARMACY. KING'S COLLEGE LONDON



"THE TEACHERS TRULY CARE ABOUT US AND FREQUENTLY GO BEYOND WHAT IS EXPECTED OF THEM TO MAKE SURE WE UNDERSTAND ALL THE COURSE MATERIAL AND ARE FULLY PREPARED FOR OUR EXAMS AND ASSIGNMENTS."

FATEMA. MEDICINE.
UNIVERSITY OF CENTRAL LANCASHIRE



"I WOULD RECOMMEND UFP BECAUSE IT IS A ONE-YEAR PROGRAMME WHICH IS SPECIALLY DESIGNED FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDENTS AND CAN LEAD TO ENTRY TO A TOP UK UNIVERSITY"

SANA. PHARMACY.
UNIVERSITY COLLEGE LONDON



"AFTER CAREFULLY RESEARCHING UNIVERSITIES I WAS DRAWN TO THE UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH WITH ITS GREAT LOCATION AND WORLD CLASS REPUTATION. I WAS FULLY SUPPORTED THROUGHOUT THE APPLICATION PROCESS AND I WAS DELIGHTED TO RECEIVE AN OFFER"

ULAS. POLITICS.
THE UNIVERSITY OF EDINBURGH

STUDY IN THE UK With the UFP you can study in one of three great UK los BATH

in one of three great UK locations, being assured, you'll get the same great quality education, syllabus content, assessments, and course structure.



David Game College

There's a reason London is voted one of the best cities year after year. The opportunities young people have here are unrivalled. As a global city, London makes for a truly international experience. A place where students can mature, network and learn foreign language skills.

Established in 1974, David Game College is a leading independent college in London. With an outstanding track record of quality, we were graded "Outstanding" in all 5 areas by Ofsted in both 2017 and 2020. In 1989, University Foundation Programme (UFP) was co-founded as part of David Game College, making it one of the oldest and most respected foundation programmes in the UK. Each year we welcome hundreds of international students from over 50 different countries.

Student Life

David Game College is located in a Grade II listed building in the heart of the City of London and comes under English Heritage protection and oversight. The building stands on the line of the Roman wall of Londinium, parts of which are present and protected in the basement of the College.

Whilst the area is lively, the college provides a safe location for students to make friends, live and study. Class sizes are small so pupils get personal attention from their teachers. College staff are highly experienced and aim to keep students challenged and well motivated. Outside of lessons, there are plenty of clubs and activities students can get involved in, such as sports and societies.

31 Jewry Street, London, EC3N 2ET

London **Facilities**



3 University Grade Laboratories



Canteen & Coffee Bar



2 Dance Studios



Gym



Top-ofthe-range Architectural Studio



Photography Studio & Dark Room



Computer Suite & Music Study Areas Recording Studio



Library &

Bath Academy

With its green countryside and historic setting, Bath is a strong contender for England's most beautiful small city. Known for its Roman baths and elegant architecture, the entire city qualifies as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. With a calm yet vibrant atmosphere, it gives any international student a true taste of English culture.

Established in 1997, Bath Academy is an independent college situated in the heart of the city. It aims to create a stimulating, active and supportive environment for its students. With a mixed intake of home and international students each year, the college provides a welcoming environment where everyone can learn.

Student Life

Bath Academy is situated in a charming Georgian building opposite a leafy garden square. Whilst the city is small, it is accessible and there's plenty to do. Prominent theatres, festivals, sights and attractions provide interest all year round. With several other academic institutions within walking distance, the city has a youthful atmosphere.

Lessons are taught in small groups to ensure that pupils and tutors work closely together. It also allows staff to tend to the individual needs of each student. The college provides a varied calendar of parties, sports and trips away. Bath is located only one and a half hours from London by train and is well served by road and rail networks.

27 Queen Square, Bath, BA1 2HX

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

Entry Requirements

Our students come from all over the world and our entry requirements vary. Our website contains details of all qualifications accepted, listed by country in the 'Requirements' section. In general, we expect students to have completed secondary education and have strong English Language skills.

IELTS for UKVI

Students must also have completed an IELTS for UKVI (International English Language Testing System for United Kingdom Visas and Immigration). This is a test of English language proficiency. We request our students to get 5.5 or above.

Application Procedure

Students must apply online. Accepted students will receive an offer. This will be conditional or unconditional depending on whether their final examination results are available. A deposit (taken from the full tuition fees) must then be paid to secure a place on the course.

Visas

All International and EU passport holders (excluding Ireland) require a 'Student Visa' to study on the UFP. Both David Game College and Bath Academy can support students in this area. Trained staff assist in preparing students to make their application to the UK government. Successful students will be issued with a Confirmation of Acceptance to Study (CAS) when: Their offer becomes unconditional; payment towards tuition fees has been made (we do not charge any extra for our Visa service); and all Visa documents have been seen and checked by the UKVI Compliance Officer.

Admission to University

Progression from UFP to university is done via a UCAS application. UFP students will be counselled and helped to choose university degree courses that best suit their ability and career ambitions. Students are fully supported and guided through every step of the application process in order to obtain multiple university offers. The following table highlights the milestones in the UCAS application process.

SEPTEMBER START		JANUARY START
NOVEMBER	Advice is given on the most suitable degree courses and universities Students submit applications to 5 universities through UCAS (with support from staff)	FEBRUARY
FEBRUARY	Students receive conditional offers (i.e. offers based on expected exam results) from their chosen universities.	APRIL
JUNE	After students have taken their exams, their results are sent to the universities	AUGUST
JULY	Universities make unconditional offers (i.e. offers based on actual exam results)	AUGUST

HOW TO APPLY

There are three simple steps to applying:

- 1 Go to www.ufp.uk.com and click 'Apply Online' to fill out our online application form.
- 2 Send us, by email or as part of your online application, a copy of the following:
 - Passport
 - Final High School Results / Predicted Grades / Latest Transcript
 - IELTS for UKVI Results
 - Personal Statement, explaining what you want to study at university and why.
- 3 We will contact you with a conditional or unconditional offer.



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