

THE UCAS PROCESS 2016-2017

Harlington Sixth Form
Timeline

Spring Term

- UCAS trip – Tuesday 19th April - London
- Research – universities and courses
- UCAS widget link on Harlington School website
- Already covered topics in Sixth Form studies such as careers options, volunteering, University Summer opportunities.....

Summer Term

Year 13 Induction days - Wednesday 15th and Thursday 16th June

- ✓ Action Planning
- ✓ Personal Statement writing
- ✓ The UCAS process
- ✓ Applying for competitive courses
- ✓ Oxbridge session
- ✓ Register and start the application

Summer Term

This is a good time for students to:

- ✓ Research
- ✓ Go on Open Days
- ✓ Expand their knowledge of the subject
- ✓ Look carefully at the course criteria and identify areas for development
- ✓ Organised work experience/volunteering
- ✓ Prepare their personal statements

Summer Term

References:

- ✓ Subject Teachers write subject statements for UCAS reference
- ✓ 1 to 1 interviews with Form Tutors
- ✓ Tutor comments added to subject statements to form the reference

Year 13 Autumn Term

Students have the opportunity to :

- ✓ Attend personal statement clinics
- ✓ Receive feedback on their application
- ✓ Book a mock interview or CEIAG appointment
- ✓ Oxbridge/Medics/Veterinary students will have tailored support

Year 13 Autumn Term

The process :

- ✓ Predicted grades completed by subject staff and sent home
- ✓ Students finalise personal statements
- ✓ References finalised by Form Tutors (once personal statements finished)
- ✓ UCAS applications completed online, checked and sent off before Christmas

Year 13 Spring Term

- ✓ Interviews and places offered
- ✓ Final choices made for most students
- ✓ Register for finance
- ✓ Extra is available

Any questions?

- Feel free to stay and ask us