

# ONLINE RESOURCE ON HIGHER EDUCATION



St Bede's School

Students and their parents may access free information on the internet by clicking on the links below

## Choosing a University, College or Course

<a href="#">UCAS</a>	Comprehensive list of courses, tariffs and application procedures from the Universities and Colleges Admissions System
<a href="#">University Advice.co.uk</a>	Extensive advice on how to choose a course and university
<a href="#">University Course.co.uk</a>	Search engine which ranks the best universities by the 44 most common courses
<a href="#">Push Guide</a>	Publishers of Push Guide to University. Pithy and humorous comments but remarkably accurate
<a href="#">Guardian Education</a>	National newspaper with the most comprehensive coverage of Higher Education
<a href="#">Unofficial Guides</a>	Student reports on Universities
<a href="#">Study Link University Guide</a>	Guide to Universities & Colleges
<a href="#">HERO</a>	Gateway to Higher Education and Research
<a href="#">Connections Direct</a>	Down to Earth Government site for young people which inter alia covers Higher Education
<a href="#">www.bubl.ac.uk/uk/fe</a> - broken link	Further education colleges
<a href="#">Quality Assurance Agency</a>	Course reviews in England, Northern Ireland and Scotland by The Quality Assurance Agency
<a href="#">University Options</a>	Site run by University of Manchester with general guidance on course choice at any university

## Courses outside of UK

Central Applications - Ireland	Courses in Ireland
<a href="#">The Fulbright Commission</a>	USA colleges for UK students
<a href="#">Brain Track</a>	Worldwide list of universities
<a href="#">Australian Universities</a>	Australian Universities

## Locations of UK Universities

[List of UK Universities](#)

List of all universities with link to their websites

[Map Locations of Universities](#)

Locations of Universities and HE Colleges on UK map

[Alphabetical List of FE Colleges](#)

List of Further Education Colleges

## The Application Process

[UCAS](#)

How and where to apply to UCAS

[Personal Statement Help](#)

Help with Personal Statements

[E-Guide on UCAS](#)

Downloadable e-guide on UCAS process including Clearing

## General Information

UK Government Disability Website

Information for disabled students

Open University

The Open university

Scottish Higher Education

Studying in Scotland

[www.hew.ac.uk](#) (broken link)

Studying in Wales

UniLinx

Conferences designed to give you a taste of University life

[University Open Days](#)

University Open Days

[Career Clubs \(Broken Link\)](#)

Why go to University

[School Zone](#)

Resource for teachers and students

[Europa Education & Training](#)

Overseas study programmes

## Financial Issues

[University Advice](#)

Comprehensive advice on costs and funding with free downloadable guides for both students and parents

[The Student Loan Company](#)

The Student Loan Company to which the majority of students end up in debt

[HEFC](#)

The Higher Education Funding Council

## Gap year breaks

[Gap Year Information](#)

Gap Year Projects

[Community Volunteer Information](#)

[Year In Industry](#)

[World Wide Volunteering](#)

Comprehensive ideas for gap years

Overseas adventures

Community Service Volunteers

Advice & Information on taking a year in industry

Worldwide volunteering

## Guidance for Parents

[Government Parental Site](#)

Government site to help parents with issues at school

[University Advice – Parents Concerns](#)

Advice for parents when children go to University

## Student websites

[The Student Union](#)

National Union of Students

[Student UK](#)

General student website

[Uni 4 Me](#)

General student website

## Careers

[Trotman Careers Portal](#)

Comprehensive careers information on The Careers Portal run by Trotman

[Graduate Prospects](#)

What graduates do from Prospects.ac.uk

[Cambridge Occupational Analysts](#)

Cambridge Occupational Analyst programmes

[Workshop Conferences](#)

Specific career courses

[The British Medical Association](#)

Careers advice for those wanting to be doctors

[The Law Society](#)

Careers in Law

[The Engineering Council](#)

Careers in engineering

[The Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons](#)

Veterinary careers

[The Army](#)

Careers in The Army

[The RAF](#)

Careers in The RAF

[The Royal Navy](#)

Careers in the Navy or Royal Marines

[Association of Chartered Certified Accountants](#)

Accountancy careers

[Channel 4 Careers Site](#)

Careers site