2023 for 2024 Entry

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Mrs Rae

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Process so far:

- Information session
- Early entry workshop
- Core Time allocated for research
- Personal Statement lesson
- On-line application form workshop
- Supplementary support booklet on form completion
- UCAS Open Days – dates shared

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Online Application Form

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Complete online application form:

- Choices
- Personal details
- Contact details
- Nominated access
- Residency
- Nationality
- English Language Skills
- Finance & Funding
- Diversity & Inclusion
- Education
- Employment
- Extra Activities
- Personal Statement

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UCAS

Further education Undergraduate Postgraduate

Applications list

Application details

Lenzie Academy, Glasgow

UCAS centre number: 15204

Student	Personal ID	Group	Date submitted to centre	Application status
[redacted]	1651955466	MK1		In Progress

Student progress

Personal details	✓	English language skills	✓
Contact & residency	✓	Finance & funding	✓
Education	✓	Diversity & inclusion	✓
Employment	✓	Personal statement	✓
Nationality	✓	Choices	✓
Supporting information	✓		

Adviser progress

Application complete	○
Qualifications checked	✓
Predicted grades complete	✓
Reference complete	✓
Reference approved	○
Application approved	○
Sent to UCAS	○

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Finance and Funding

Student AA Scotland

https://www.saas.gov.uk/full-time/funding-information-undergraduate/who-can-apply

SAAS are coming in to see pupils in S6 PSE in February. S5 applicants can join with their guidance teacher at this time

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Choice of Course

- Research
- Course selection
- Course codes
- 5 courses for most students

SDS, Websites, Interests, ask others

Do **not** select 2 similar courses in the same faculty area in the same university

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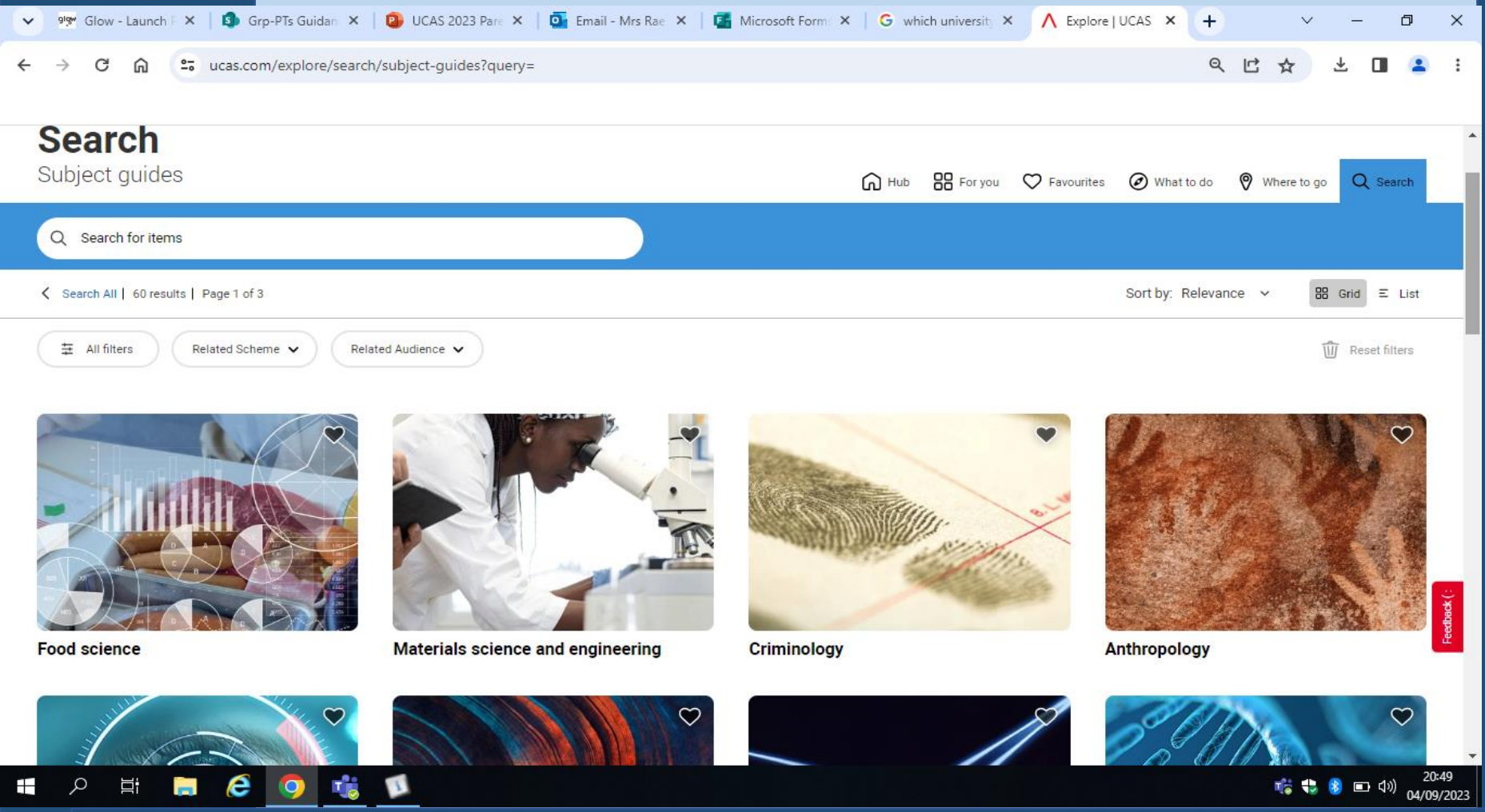
Research...



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Choices – be realistic

1 dream course

3 attainable courses

1 “banker”

Read the course descriptions

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Entrance requirements terminology

- **Standard** – typically an offer could be made
- **Adjusted/Minimum** - the lowest grades they would consider
- **Widening Access** – the grades required if you fall under certain criteria that put you at a disadvantage already
- Different information/language used in each university
- S5 entry requirements differ from S6

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Entrance Qualifications: **Standard**

Course	Glasgow University	Strathclyde University	Glas Cale University	Stirling University
Mechanical Engineering	S5: AABB S6: AAAAA Maths and Physics	AAAB Maths and Physics	ABBB Maths and a science	NA
Accounting	S5: ABBB (min) S6: AAAAAA Maths and English	S5: AAAA S6: AAAABBB English and Maths	BBBBB English and essay base	AABB or AAAB over 2 sittings (maths preferable)
Law	S6: AAAAAA AH Eng or Humanities. H Eng Plus: LNAT	First sitting: AAAAB Second sitting: AAAABBBB English	AABBB English	AABB or AAAB over 2 sittings
History/ Social Subject	S5: BBBB (min) S6: AAAAA English and a humanity	S5: AAAA S6: AAAAB English	BBBBB English	AABB or AABBB over 2 sittings

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Personal Statement

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- Usually Focuses on one subject area and mentions this
- Supplements academic credentials
- Show your interest in the subject – main focus
- Demonstrates "super curricular" interest
- Makes you stand out
- Is crucially important

Deadlines

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Early Applications

- **11th Sept** Personal Statement deadline
- **26 September** on-line form completed
- **26-29 September** 1-1 Guidance interviews
- **6 October** – last day for GT to submit paperwork to head teacher

Regular Applications

- **29 September** Personal Statement drafts to GTs
- **Oct/Nov** 1-1 Guidance interviews
- **1 November** on-line form completed
- **1 December** Guidance interviews complete
- **8 December** Last day for student to review/submit pay/send
- **11 December** Last day for GT to submit paperwork to head teacher

Support Moving Forward

- Hand in personal statement
- Pupils meet 1-1 with their guidance teacher to ensure form is accurate and as strong as can be
- Pupil makes final corrections
- Pupil review and submit (pay/send) form – this comes to school
- Guidance teacher writes reference
- Mr Paterson reviews application and reference
- Office staff do final clerical check, verified and send form to UCAS – a month ahead of national deadline
- Decisions & Offers!

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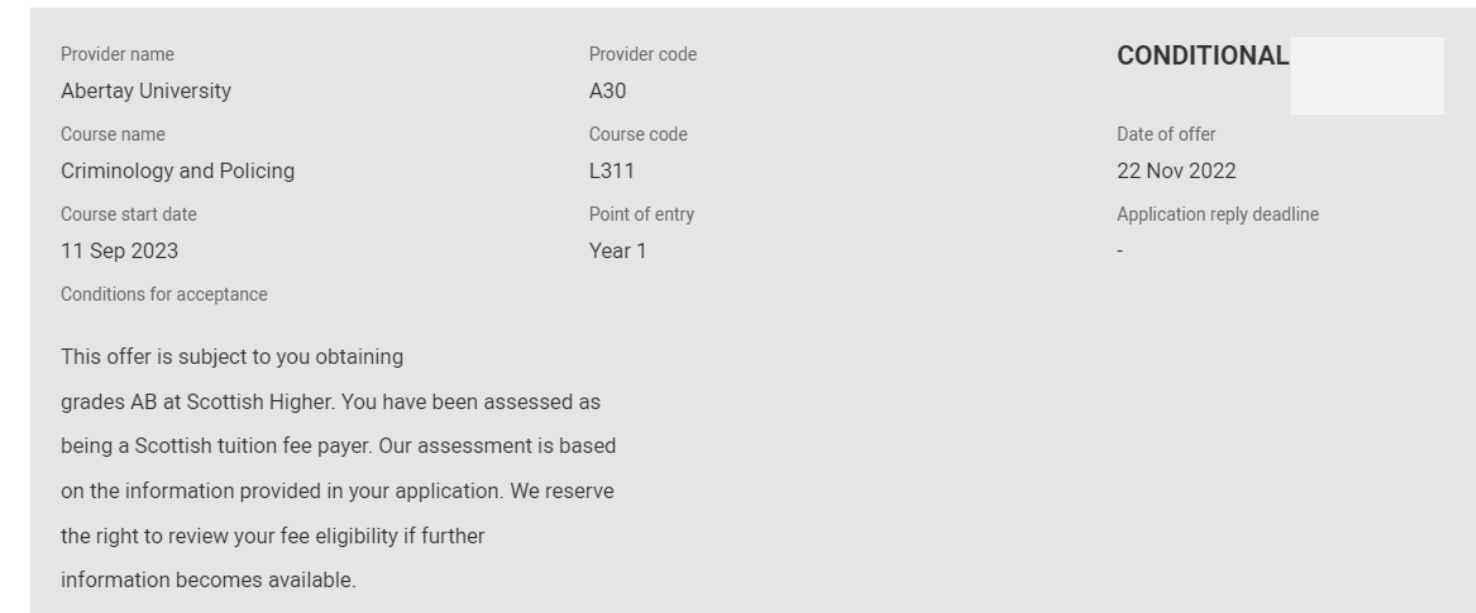
Offers

- Unconditional Offer
- Conditional Offer
- Unsuccessful



Provider name	Provider code	**CONDITIONAL**
Abertay University	A30	
Course name	Course code	Date of offer
Criminology and Policing	L311	22 Nov 2022
Course start date	Point of entry	Application reply deadline
11 Sep 2023	Year 1	-

Conditions for acceptance

This offer is subject to you obtaining grades AB at Scottish Higher. You have been assessed as being a Scottish tuition fee payer. Our assessment is based on the information provided in your application. We reserve the right to review your fee eligibility if further information becomes available.

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Example Conditional Offers:

		Standard Entry	Student's S5 Qualifications	Conditions Set
S5 Student	Aero Engineering - Glasgow	AABBB	-	AAAAA
S6 Student	Social Subjects – Glasgow	AAAAA	ABBBB	AA
S6 Student	Law – Caledonian	AABBB	AAAA	C
S6 Student	Sport and Ex Science - Stirling	AAAB	ABCCC	BB
S6 Student	Civil Engineering – Strathclyde	AAAB	AAABB	B

Interview/Supplementary Testing

- Many courses now interview
- Mock interviews available – see Miss Munro to arrange
- Supplementary tests eg LNAT, UCAT … or a portfolio may be required. Research is important.

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Offers

- Some offers will come in very quickly
- **All applications made by the course deadline (25th Jan) will be given equal consideration**
- Potential worries about not getting an offer – **places are not allocated on a first come first served basis**
- When offers are in, they need to make a decision around the start of June

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What Can You Do to Support your Young Person

- Ensure your YP continues to work hard in S6
- Provide guidance with choices of subject
- Assist with the research process
- Log on to UCAS with them to see the application
- Ensure they adhere to timeline and deadlines
- Ensure any required voluntary placements are completed
- Read personal statement before it is submitted
- Ensure this process is one of their priority
- Contact us if you have any questions

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