



Supporting your KS5 students

The School and College Engagement team regularly visit schools to deliver the talks and sessions listed below. These can be delivered in person or online and are booked through our <u>website</u>. Our sessions can help your school or college to meet the Gatsby Benchmarks, a framework for world class careers provision.

Activity	Description	Gatsby Benchmarks
Introduction to higher education	Overview of post 18 options with a focus on opportunities available in HE.	1, 2, 3, 7
Introduction to student finance	Up-to-date information including costs, support and loan repayment. Also includes an overview of the financial support offered by the University of Exeter.	1, 3, 7
The UCAS process	Detailed overview of the application process to Higher Education, including entry criteria, the UCAS form, personal statements and teacher references.	1, 3, 7
Choosing a course	Overview of the types of courses available and advice on how to choose a course.	1, 2, 3, 7
Considering a competitive university	Overview of what competitive universities are and the benefits of studying at one.	1, 3, 7
Considering the University of Exeter	Overview of our courses and application process as well as insight into life and study at our Devon and Cornwall campuses.	1, 3, 7
Writing an effective personal statement	Insight into what competitive universities look for and tips for writing an effective personal statement.	1, 3, 7
Applying to Medicine and Nursing	Overview of the application process including admissions test and interviews.	1, 3, 7
Degree apprenticeships	Introduction to degree apprenticeships including how they work and benefits. Overview of degree apprenticeships offered at the University of Exeter.	1, 2, 3, 7
Student life at the University of Exeter	Delivered by two undergraduate students, this session provides students with an insight into life at university.	1, 3, 7
Managing your money at university	Overview of financial support, plus tips and advice on managing money successfully whilst at university.	1, 3, 7
Introduction to the Extended Project Qualification	Overview of the EPQ and benefits, as well as advice and tips on completing a successful project.	1, 3, 7

Higher education and careers fairs

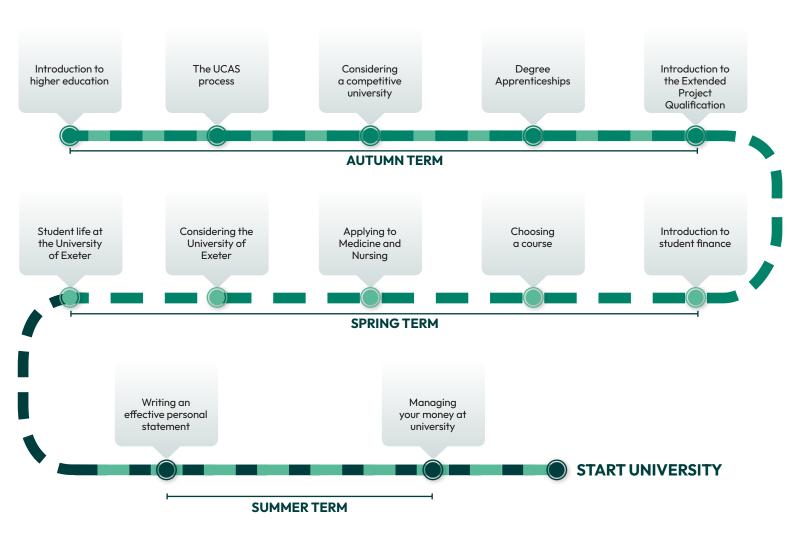
We can attend HE and careers fairs that you host in school. Please visit our **website** to find out more.

Campus visits

We host campus visits at set points during the year. Please visit our visit our <u>website</u> to find out more.

Activity timeline

Whilst you can book a talk for any time during the academic year, the timeline below makes some suggestions for timings. Please note that these talks are for both Year 12 and Year 13 so may suit a different time according to which year group you are booking for.



We also have a range of fantastic free resources aimed at KS3-5 students. These include videos and PDF guides on topics such as writing a personal statement or preparing for the transition to university. We also run a range of free online information sessions for KS5 students. Find out more on our **Discover University website**.

Our team also provide resources for teachers and advisors to gain further insight into the admissions process at the University of Exeter. Find out more on our <u>Teachers and Advisors website</u>.

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