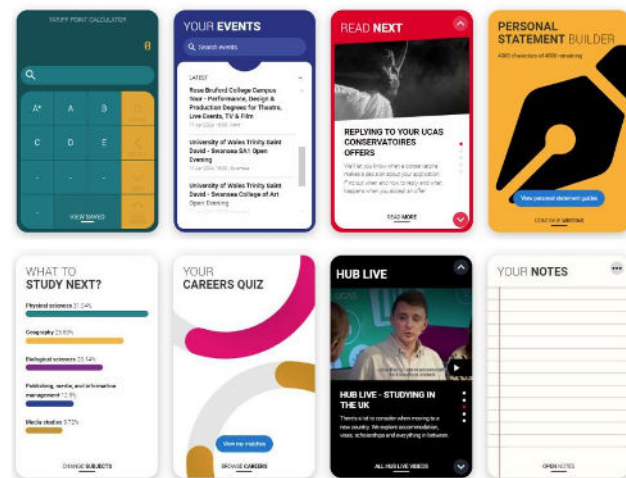




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You can start to research
your options – university
courses and apprenticeships

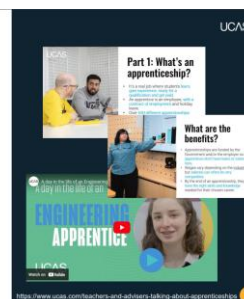
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NEW APPRENTICESHIP RESOURCES TO USE IN CLASS

Our new apprenticeships area gives you access to:

- editable presentations
- a video for students
- our series of application guides per industry.



DISCOVER PATHWAYS SIDE BY SIDE

Students can see apprenticeship opportunities alongside undergraduate courses.

The UCAS Hub enables them to explore all their options and build their profile in one place.



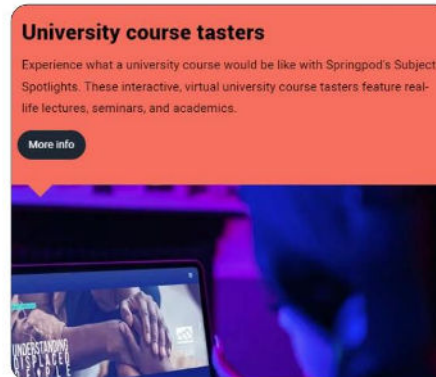
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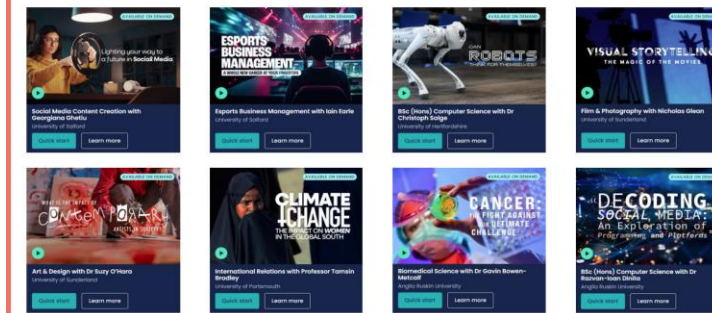
Learn from some of the UK's finest academics as they give you a genuine, insightful, and engaging experience of studying their courses at their universities.

- On-demand interactive video **experiences**
- Have a go at **interactive quizzes and activities**
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- **Certificate** of completion



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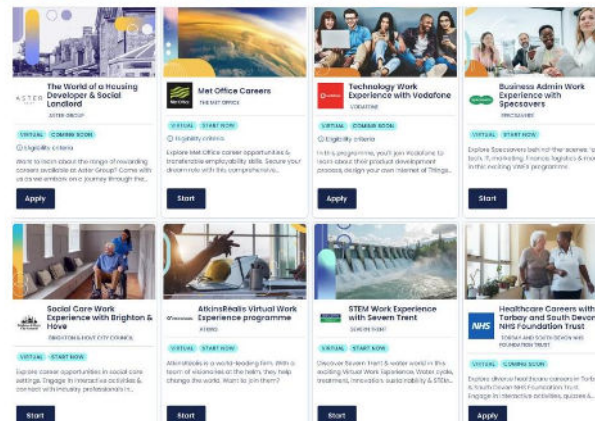


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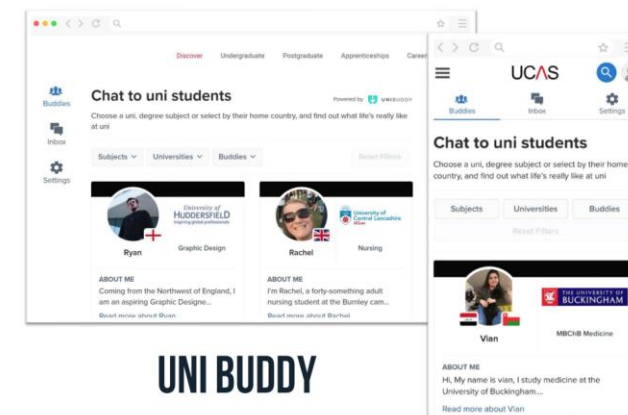
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NEW! UCAS Personal Statement

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THE PERSONAL STATEMENT

-  The only part of the application that a student has full control over
-  The only chance for a student to market themselves as an individual
-  Three separate sections with question prompts.
-  A maximum of 4,000 characters, minimum of 350 characters per section.
-  The same for all choices.
-  There isn't a spelling or grammar check
-  No formatting allowed

UCAS' similarity detection service: every personal statement is run through software to check for plagiarism.

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WHAT ARE THE QUESTIONS?



Why do you want to study this course or subject?



How have your qualifications and studies helped you to prepare for this course or subject?



What else have you done to prepare outside of education, and why are these experiences useful?

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EXAMPLES OF EVIDENCE

In person work experience	Blogs & vlogs	Positions of responsibility	Projects or essays	Mentoring
Virtual work experience	Documentaries	Awards	Books	Tutoring
Work shadowing	Podcasts	Challenges	Influencers	Online subject courses
Paid employment	TED Talks	Personal life experiences	Hobbies	Trips or visits
Volunteering	Articles	Work based learning / training	Clubs	Competitions