



Would you like to explore fascinating subjects with university researchers, experience academic and social life at Oxford University, receive expert advice on how to apply and be supported throughout the application process?

Aim for Oxford is a free-of-charge programme for Year 12 students attending state schools in the North East of England.

Participants will attend academic enrichment, information and guidance sessions hosted in Newcastle and Durham across four dates between January and April 2025, followed by a four-night summer school at Oxford University (18th-22nd August 2025). Participants who decide to make applications to Oxford will then progress to the Year 13 programme (September 2025 onwards).

To make a successful application: Your GCSE results should show strong academic potential (preference for grades 7/ 8/ 9/ A/ A*). We will also consider other criteria, including if at least one of the following applies to you:

- Your parents did not go to university
- Your POLAR postcode score is 1 or 2 (check at <https://www.officeforstudents.org.uk/data-and-analysis/young-participation-by-area/search-by-postcode/>)
- Your ACORN postcode score is 4 or 5 (check at <https://acorn.caci.co.uk/>)
- You have been eligible for free school meals
- You are from an ethnic minority background which is underrepresented at Oxford (including students with Black African, Black Caribbean, Bangladeshi or Pakistani heritage)
- You have been, or currently are, in care
- You are a young carer

Applications are now open!

<https://app.onlinesurveys.jisc.ac.uk/s/oxford/aim-for-oxford-application-form-2024>



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