


Important! Students who are interested in overseas universities, please sign up for the briefing on 19 July, Wed (Deadline: 7 July) via <https://for.edu.sg/2023tjcoverseasunibriefing>

 Information current as of **May 2023**

Follow up

on outstanding application matters

Overseas University Application

② Apply

Settle application

- Attend briefing in TJC (Term 3) - Details will be given in late May
- Draft personal statement
- Liaise with Coordinator (Submit TJC UK/ US Form 2023)
- Liaise with referee(s)
- Make payment online when all relevant sections are completed to enable submission (by Coordinator (UK) / by self (US))
- Attend to any pre-requisites (admission tests, transcripts, etc)

Notify early of your intent to study abroad

③ Prepare

Settle outstanding matters

- Monitor correspondence / email
- Prepare for any interview
- Settle any outstanding submission of documents (transcripts, test scores, portfolios, etc)
- Notify Coordinator of acceptance outcome where possible

Due to the constantly evolving circumstances & government policies in various countries, ensure you keep updated via the educational, government health & immigration websites

Major Deadlines

UCAS 

29 Sep 2023

Registration deadline for any tests (BMAT/ENGAA/NSAA/TMUA)

15 Oct 2023

All Oxford & Cambridge courses, medicine, dentistry & veterinary medicine/science

30 Jan 2024

Most courses



Common App

**variable; college-dependent*

Early Nov 2023 *

Early Action / Early Decision

Early Jan 2024 *

Regular Decision

① Research, Plan & Notify

Notify Coordinator

- Which deadline?
- Who are your referees?
- Do you need predicted grades / other documents?

Do your research


- Application process
- Courses / Institutions
- Application deadlines
- Entry requirements (tests, personal statement, etc)
- Secure academic referee(s) for application reference(s)
- Plan, register / attempt any required tests




UK Applications

Ms (+ other countries)

 ng_lay_ling@moe.edu.sg

 Math Dept, Staffroom 3, Ext 154

 **1 x referee required for UK**

 **Append UCAS buzzword to application: TJCUK2024**



US Applications

(+ other countries)

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 GP Dept, Staffroom 2, Ext 140

 **3 x referees required for US**

(1 school counsellor (usually your CT) + 2 applicant-nominated referees)

Begin your search: Useful sources of information

 For UK education
www.ucas.com

 For US education
www.commonapp.org



USPO Website
- <https://sites.google.com/moe.edu.sg/uspo/zone-3-how-do-i-get-there> --> Higher Ed --> Overseas Uni
TJC Telegram Overseas Universities
-- <https://t.me/+L7ol0u9QD5o3MWNl>

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Overseas University Application Information

	United Kingdom (UK)	United States (US)	Other Countries
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Application Mode	Universities and Colleges Admissions Service (UCAS) Append Centre buzzword: TJCUK2024	The Common Application (Common App)	Dependent on country / institution
Online Application Guidance	https://tinyurl.com/ahpsyn7 Course search: https://digital.ucas.com/search	https://www.commonapp.org/apply Some US universities do not use the CommonApp platform. Please check for every university you intend to apply to.	Visit relevant country's education portal / institution's website for details
Number of Course Choices	Max 5	Max 20 Colleges	Dependent on country / institution
Major Deadlines (information listed here serves as a guide only; the onus is on you to verify and track relevant deadlines)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 29 Sep 2023 (Registration deadline for any admission tests: BMAT, ENGAA, NSAA & TMUA, take note to check if any test(s) is needed) • 15 Oct 2023 (for any course offered by Oxbridge universities, most medicine, dentistry & veterinary medicine/science courses) • 30 Jan 2024 (for majority of other courses) • Coordinator will assist to submit UCAS application, please adhere to the school deadlines (will be given during the briefing in July) as we will need to check through your applications and submit before the deadline. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Early Nov 2023 (for Early Action / Early Decision for most colleges) • Early Jan 2024 (for Regular Decision) <p>Note: College-dependent; refer to specific colleges for exact deadlines; submission is by 2359h of local time zone as posted on Common App Dashboard</p> <p>Check if any admission tests are required, and their registration deadlines.</p>	Dependent on country / institution
Cut-off for Notification to Coordinator (before intended application submission date) Note: Submissions by Coordinators will be batched for the different deadlines	<p>Submit the TJC UK form to coordinator for approval by</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 19 Sep 2023 (for any course offered by Oxbridge universities, most medicine, dentistry & veterinary medicine/science courses) • 31 Oct 2023 (for all other undergraduate courses) <p>Complete UCAS application and notify coordinator by</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 8 Oct 2023 (for any course offered by Oxbridge universities, most medicine, dentistry & veterinary medicine/science courses) • 31 Dec 2023 (for all other undergraduate courses) <p>Note: Update the Coordinator upon linking your UCAS application via the Centre buzzword TJCUK2024</p>	<p>Submit the TJC US form to coordinator for approval by</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 29 Sep 2023 (for Early Action/ Early Decision) • 20 Oct 2023 (for Regular Decision) <p>Set up a CommonApp account. Add the coordinator as an "Advisor".</p>	<p><u>Applying with 'A' Level results</u> At least 1 month's notice</p> <p><u>Applying with predicted grades</u> At least 1½ month's notice</p> <p><u>Request for school report</u> At least 1½ month's notice; check with institution on what is required in report</p>
Referee (ensure you liaise with referee ahead of time and notify Coordinator of consented referees)	1 referee (preferably academically-related)	1 school counsellor (usually your CT) and 2 applicant-nominated referees	
References, Predicted Grades & School Reports	All references, predicted grades & school reports are provided in- confidential to UCAS / Common App or via direct correspondence to the receiving institution. Applicants are advised to check with respective Coordinators before appointing any external handling agents.		
Personal Statement	1 common statement for all courses (max 4000 character / 47 lines https://tinyurl.com/ys4nftpd)	1 personal essay (250 to 650 words) – choose from 7 question prompts given on CommonApp. Colleges may also require other write-ups.	
Admissions Tests	Refer to institution / course requirements (eg. BMAT for medicine, LNAT for law, etc) https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/applying-university/admissions-tests Note: Plan ahead as certain tests are only available annually during a specific period and results may have a validity period; search for local test centres to sit for tests	Refer to each College's requirements for standardised admissions tests (e.g. SAT/SAT Subject, ACT etc) https://appsupport.commonapp.org/applicantsupport/s/article/What-do-the-Standardized-Test-search-criteria-mean	
Deferred Entry	For males serving NS / applicants intending to take a gap year; check with institution if deferred entry is possible (ensure validity of results / language proficiency, etc), otherwise apply during appropriate application period for the year of commencement of studies.		

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TJC Telegram Overseas Universities
-- <https://t.me/+L7o10u9QD5o3MWNl>

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