

# UCAS: Clearing, Adjustment and Results Day

## Results Day

- **A Level Results Day** is **Thursday 18 August 2022**
- Don't leave the country!
- **School** is open **8.30-11.30am**
- **UCAS** updates at **8am**
- **UCAS won't give you your results**, it will only tell you if you have been accepted by your firm/insurance university.

# Results Day Offers

## **If you make your firm offer**

Congratulations! Your offer will change to 'Unconditional Firm'  
You'll then receive detail on what to do next from the University

## **If you miss your firm offer**

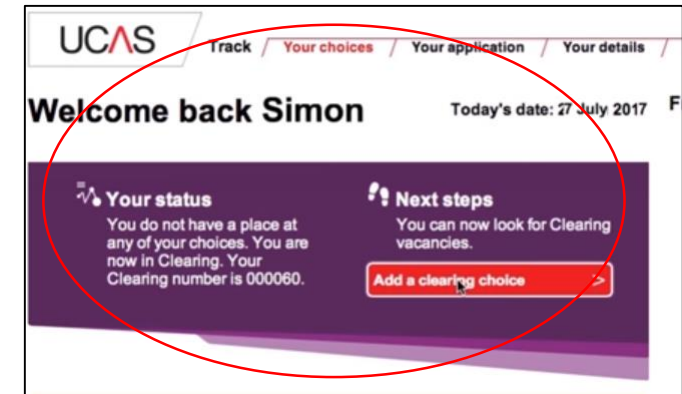
- Check UCAS – there is a chance the university might accept you anyway
- Your firm choice might accept you, but make you an alternative course ('a changed course offer') e.g. foundation year
- Check to see if you have been accepted by your insurance choice
- You can apply to different universities through Clearing

# Clearing...

- If you aren't accepted by your firm or insurance choice, you can apply through Clearing
- Clearing is not just for students with low exam results. If you have done better than expected, or have changed your mind, you can apply through Clearing.
- **THERE ARE GOOD COURSES IN CLEARING.** Any course can enter Clearing if the university has places they want to fill.
- The good places get snapped up quickly (often before 12pm). Do your research now – if you don't get the grades, where else could you apply? What is your Plan B?
- Register your interest with universities ahead of Results Day – take a look on the university's website.

## On the day - the Clearing process...

- If you are in Clearing, your UCAS status will say, 'You are now in Clearing'
- Your Clearing number will appear in UCAS Hub.
- Contact the university that you are interested in.
- It can take a long time to get through so be patient. Contact as many universities as you like, but **you can only accept one offer.**
- If they make you an offer, you can **add a Clearing choice in Track from 15:00 on Results Day.**
- Once you've accepted an offer, you might be invited to a Clearing Open Day at the university.



# Clearing Tips

- **Prepare in advance-** research alternative courses and universities now
- **On Results Day:** If you speak to a university about a course vacancy, they may ask you for: your **UCAS ID, Clearing Number, Exam Results,** questions about your **Personal Statement.**
- **Prepare a list of questions for you to ask them:** i.e. ‘do you have guaranteed accommodation for students applying through Clearing?’
- **Get informal offers from universities over the phone then decide which one you want to accept.**
- **Ask the university to confirm any verbal offers by email.**



Good luck!



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