

NURSING APPLICATION

Here is a simple and easy guide to your Nursing application.

APPLY THROUGH UCAS

All applications to the University of Gloucestershire for full-time study must be made online through **UCAS**. The application includes details of the qualifications you are taking, or have taken, your personal statement and your reference.

We will be looking for applicants committed to nursing. This must be clearly demonstrated in the 'personal statement' section of the application form by saying why you want to study nursing and stating any relevant work experience that you have gained to date.

ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

In order to pass our initial assessment of your application, you must meet the minimum requirements. The university considers a wide range of qualifications for entry:

GCSE

For all applicants, a minimum of 5 subjects at grade C or above, or grade 4 under newly reformed GCSE grading, to include English Language, Mathematics, and a Science or equivalent Level 2 functional skills Maths/English (or an alternative through www.equivalencytesting.com). Please note the university does not accept Certificates in Adult Numeracy and Literacy as suitable alternatives to GCSEs.

English language requirement

If your first language is not English, you should have a minimum IELTS score of 7.0 or above with a minimum of 7.0 in all sections of the test.

Full details of this language test can be obtained from the British Council.

To find out more about international fees and grants visit our [finance](#) page.

A-Level subjects

Grade C or above in a Science or Social Science subject. Points from A-Level General Studies and AS-Level subjects (not taken on to full A-Level) can also count towards your overall tariff points.

You must have a minimum of two A-Levels.

Specific subjects

Subjects that meet the Science/Social Science requirement for this course:

Biology, Applied Biology, Human Biology, Chemistry, Health and Social Care, Mathematics, Psychology, Applied Science, Science (Biology route), Science (Chemistry route), Science in Society, Sociology, Sport and Physical Education, Sports Studies.

Edexcel (BTEC) Diploma

To include six units in a Science or Social Science subject. Access: Achievement of the Access to HE Diploma; to include 30 level 3 credits at merit, of which 15 credits must be in a Science or Social Science subject.

If you an international student please see the specific entry requirements (overseas fee status).

We welcome mature applicants (aged 21 or over)

If you do not meet the minimum academic entry requirements but have significant life and/or work experience, you will be considered on an individual basis. However, you still need to meet the GCSE English and Maths requirements, and should have evidence of recent study in a science/health-related subject area or recognised equivalent.

INTERVIEW

Once we have accepted you as a candidate, you will then be invited to an interview. You must attend the interview to be considered for this course. As part of the interview you will watch a short film, write a short piece of work, and take part in both a group discussion and an individual interview. The individual interview can include representatives from practice partners and/or service user care. Feedback from your interview will be provided, and more detailed feedback from the course leader is available.

YOUR OFFER

If you successfully pass the interview stage of the application we will then send you your offer along with a handy guide with instructions on how to complete the application process including: DBS check, health check and submitting evidence of your qualifications.

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Once all of your health assessments have been completed and your qualifications are verified you can enrol with us.

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