

28 and 29 June 2017

OXFORD OPEN DAYS



Oxford is a fantastic university, renowned for academic excellence – the teaching is world class, and being taught by experts in my Subject area in this way really appealed to me.

Megan

Funnily enough, Oxford was also actually the cheapest place for me to go to university. Even before I was aware of the Moritz-Heyman Scholarship, the Oxford Bursaries scheme is the most comprehensive one at the time of my application.

Bertrand



I was really attracted by the collegiate structure. Everything works on a smaller scale with concentrated resources, a close-knit community and highly individual teaching with tutors who take a real interest in you.

Archie



**Maps on
pages 16
and 18**



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Disabled students

If you can, please let colleges and departments know in advance if you have mobility or other special needs. If you'd like us to coordinate this for you, please email study@ox.ac.uk or call +44 (0)1865 288000. Our Disability Advisory Service will be in the Open Day Information Centre to discuss the support that's available. Please see page 13 for details. You may also like to see our access guide at www.admin.ox.ac.uk/access.

MAKING THE MOST OF YOUR DAY

- 2 There's a lot to pack in during your visit to Oxford and you won't be able to do or see everything in just one day. Remember that the University of Oxford is made up of colleges and departments so there is no central campus to explore.
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- 6 **What's happening where?**
- 9 **Departments:** course talks, sample lectures, demonstration interviews, practical taster sessions, tours, parent talks, opportunities to meet students and tutors. (See page 9)
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- 15 **Open Day Information Centre:** exhibition space with stands representing student services, general information talks. (See pages 12 and 13)
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- 18 **Museums and Libraries:** exhibitions, tours. (See pages 14 and 15)
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- Language Centre:** view facilities and meet staff. (See page 15)

Events listed in this guide are all available on a drop-in basis, you do not need to have booked ahead. However, please do arrive early for sessions to make sure you get a place and to keep things running smoothly all day.

The best times to visit the different venues are shown in the example timetable below.

OPEN DAY TIMETABLE

09:00	10:00	11:00	12:00	13:00	14:00	15:00	16:00	17:00
AM			Lunch		PM			
Subject departments								
			Colleges					
					Colleges and Subject departments			
Museums, Libraries and Open Day Information Centre								



WHERE CAN I FIND OUT ABOUT...

Fees and Funding

There will be a talk about Student Finance and Careers in the Open Day Information Centre at 14:30. If you have a particular query about your own circumstances, you can talk to our experts at the Student Fees and Funding stand in the Open Day Information Centre. You can also pick up the latest information about fees and funding when you visit colleges.

Did you know that for UK and EU students:

- Oxford offers generous financial support for eligible students from lower-income households.
- You do not have to pay fees upfront.
- You may apply for student loans from the government to cover fees and some living costs.
- You do not have to pay this money back until you have completed your course and are earning more than a certain amount.

Accommodation

Colleges are the place to ask about this as there is no central accommodation service. Most colleges will show you round student rooms as part of their tours and will provide information about the types of accommodation they offer. You can pick up general information about accommodation, including average rents, at colleges or at the Open Day Information Centre.

Did you know that:

- If you study at Oxford, you are guaranteed to get a college room for your first year. You don't need to make any arrangements yourself.
- No one has to share a bedroom.
- All colleges offer at least one other year of accommodation and some can offer this for the entire duration of your degree.

Disability Advice

The Disability Advice Service will have staff available all day in the Open Day Information Centre and can provide information and advice on the individual support and adjustments available for a range of needs. Individual colleges will also be able to advise you on access arrangements, facilities and support available to students.

Careers

There will be a talk about Student Finance and Careers in the Open Day Information Centre at 14:30. You may also visit the Careers Service stand at the Open Day Information Centre if you want more information about the support offered to students to progress into their chosen career. Tutors at departments and colleges will be able to talk to you about the kind of jobs recent graduates have gone on to do.

Careers prospects for Oxford students are excellent. £27,000 is the average annual starting salary for our recent graduates. There is a wide range of support and resources available to students in preparation for their future careers including:

ADVICE FOR PARENTS AND CARERS

Lots of students come to Open Days with their parents. Having a second pair of eyes and ears can be really helpful on such a busy day. Parents are welcome to attend many of the events in the programme but sometimes if a room is full and students might miss out, we will ask you to give up your place. We will run extra talks on topics of especial interest for parents so that you can still make good use of the time. These are highlighted in blue in the listings on pages 6–11.

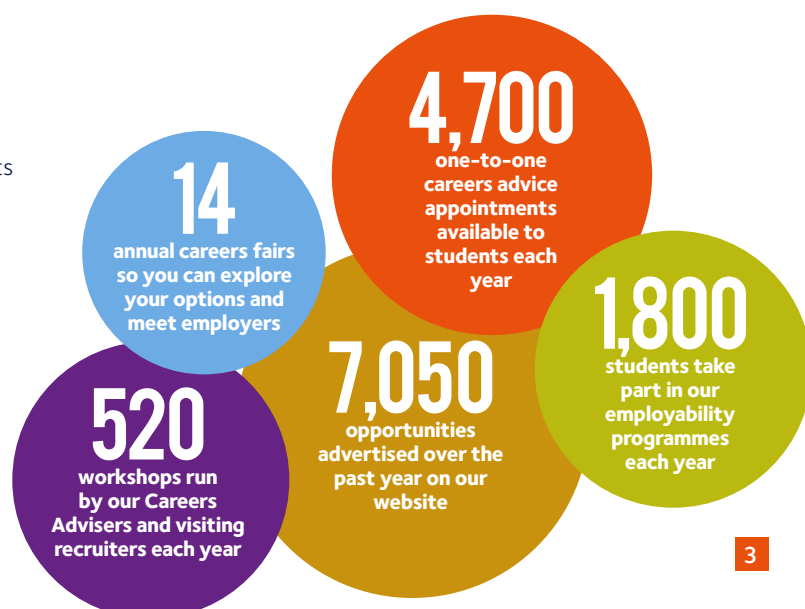
Here are some suggestions for making the most of the day:

- Unless you arrive the night before or before 09:00, we strongly advise that everyone visits their subject department first and then goes to look round colleges and where possible, talk to students and tutors.
- Choosing a course is the most important decision for your child to make so if they are not sure what they want to study, we suggest they focus on this. Not every course is offered at every college. See a table showing "Which colleges offers my course?" on page 4.
- Oxford's Common Framework for Admissions means that the admissions process is the same at every college. (In this we differ from Cambridge.) You don't need to attend more than one admissions talk in the day.
- Be aware that you are unlikely to have enough time to visit as many colleges as you might like – even visiting one or two will give you a good idea how the system works.
- If your child is attending talks without you, you might like to attend some of the general information talks at the Open Day Information Centre. The talk about Supporting the Transition to University is particularly helpful and will be valuable no matter which university your child ends up going to.

TOP TIP

If you have downloaded this guide in advance and would like to see if places are still available for college or department events which require booking, please visit:

www.ox.ac.uk/opendays



VISITING COLLEGES

What is a college?

A college is an academic community, like a mini-campus. If you study at Oxford you will live in a college and most of your teaching will usually happen there, in small groups called tutorials. Those who teach you are called tutors. You will have the chance to meet tutors today and if you are successful with your application you will be interviewed by tutors in December. Tutors and tutorials are one of the main things that make Oxford different from most other universities. By visiting colleges, we hope you will understand how the system works and why we think it's a great way to learn.

You will live in your college for your first year and often for other years of your course. You will have meals there, make friends, participate in sports and social activities and have access to libraries, bars and a range of support and welfare services.

What can I see or do today?

Some colleges offer pre-booked programmes of talks and workshops. All offer tours and you are welcome to visit all the colleges at the opening times listed on pages 6–8. Current students will be happy to show you round and answer your questions about studying here and about student life at their college.

Some colleges also offer the opportunity to attend talks and meet subject tutors on a drop-in basis. However, please be aware that many tutors are dividing their time between departments and colleges during the Open Days and their availability cannot be guaranteed. Please look out for details posted within the colleges or ask staff or students for more information.

Which colleges should I visit?

Confused about which colleges to visit? Don't worry, you are not alone. This is one of the most common questions we get asked on Open Days.

You should try to draw up a shortlist before you get here. There is advice about choosing a college on our website. See ox.ac.uk/collegechoice. Oxford University Students' Union also offers a handy college suggester. See <http://apply.ousu.org/colleges/suggester>

Which college offers my course?

The first thing you need to do when deciding which colleges to visit is check which ones offer the course you want to study. Most colleges offer most courses. But not all colleges offer all courses. The table shown here summarises the courses offered at each college.

You might also like to consider:

- The **size** of the college
- The **location** of the college (Is it in the heart of the city centre or a few minutes away? Is it near your department building, the park, the river or the swimming pool?)
- How **old or new** it is
- **Accommodation** – number of years of college accommodation, where it is, how much it will cost
- **Facilities** – all colleges have a library, dining hall and common room but other resources do vary

Which colleges offer my course?

	Balliol	Brasenose	Christ Church	Corpus Christi	Exeter	Harris Manchester	Hertford	Jesus College
Archaeology and Anthropology						•	•	
Biochemistry (Molecular and Cellular)		•	•	•	•		•	
Biological Sciences	•	•	•				•	•
Biomedical Sciences	•			•	•			
Chemistry	•	•	•	•	•		•	•
Classical Archaeology and Ancient History	•	•	•	•	•			
Classics	•	•	•	•	•			•
Classics and English		•		•	•	•		•
*Classics and Modern Languages	•	•	•		•			•
*Classics and Oriental Studies	•	•	•		•	•		
Computer Science	•		•					•
Computer Science and Philosophy	•						•	
Earth Sciences (Geology)					•			
Economics and Management	•	•	•		•	•	•	•
Engineering Science	•	•	•		•	•	•	•
English Language and Literature	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
*English and Modern Languages	•	•	•		•		•	•
*European and Middle Eastern Languages		•	•					•
Fine Art		•	•		•			
Geography		•	•				•	•
History	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
History (Ancient and Modern)	•	•	•	•	•			
History and Economics	•	•					•	•
History and English	•			•	•	•		•
*History and Modern Languages	•	•	•		•	•	•	•
History and Politics	•	•	•	•		•	•	•
History of Art			•			•		
Human Sciences						•	•	
Law (Jurisprudence)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Law with Law Studies in Europe	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Materials Science				•				
Mathematics	•	•	•	•	•		•	•
Mathematics and Computer Science	•		•	•	•			
Mathematics and Philosophy	•	•	•	•	•		•	•
Mathematics and Statistics		•	•	•	•			•
Medicine	•	•	•	•			•	•
Medicine (Graduate Entry)						•		
*Modern Languages	•	•	•		•		•	•
*Modern Languages and Linguistics	•	•	•		•		•	•
Music			•		•		•	•
*Oriental Studies	•		•			•	•	
*Philosophy and Modern Languages	•	•	•		•		•	•
Philosophy, Politics and Economics (PPE)	•	•	•	•	•	•	•	•
Philosophy and Theology			•			•		•
Physics	•	•	•	•	•		•	•
Physics and Philosophy	•	•	•	•	•		•	
Psychology (Experimental)		•	•	•		•		•
*Psychology, Philosophy and Linguistics		•	•	•		•		•
Religion and Oriental Studies			•			•		
Theology and Religion			•			•		

- **Access** – most colleges have facilities and accommodation for disabled students; however, given the age of the buildings, some areas of some colleges are not accessible for students with mobility issues. Our Disability Advisory Service have a stand at the Open Day Information Centre and can advise you about this.

This information is correct as of March 2017, but is subject to change.
*For marked courses, available course combinations vary between colleges.

If you don't want to, you don't have to choose a college at all. Many students make an "open" application. This means they don't name a college on their UCAS application and the University allocates the college which will consider them.

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COLLEGE EVENTS

Visiting colleges is a great way to get an understanding of what sets Oxford apart from other universities. Descriptions of the most common events are listed below. If events become full, priority will be given to prospective students.

Admissions talk/Q&A: These talks will cover the application process and what factors admissions tutors take into account during the selection process. At a college, this is likely to include advice on choosing a college.

Life at 'this college' talk: These talks may cover the tutorials, which take place within colleges, but will likely focus on the non-academic side to student life. They are likely to include information on recreation facilities, support and welfare networks and clubs and societies. They may also talk about the accommodation and meals provided by the college.

Meet the tutors: Your opportunity to meet tutors in your chosen subject, and ask them questions about the course in an informal setting.

Subject sessions with tutors: These sessions are offered by some colleges, and will usually be a short talk about a particular course delivered by a tutor, with an opportunity to ask questions. These tutors teach tutorials for this course at the college.

Meet the students: Your opportunity to speak to current students, who will be able to answer questions on student life, provide information about their college or course, and share their experience of the admissions process.

Parents, carers and teachers talk/Q&A: These often run alongside events which are only available to prospective students. They will cover topics that are often of concern to parents, such as welfare support, finances, and accommodation, as well as information on admissions. These events are highlighted in blue throughout this listing.

Balliol

Where: Broad Street, OX1 3BJ

When: 10:00–17:00

Tours throughout

11:00–12:00 and **15:00–16:00:**

Admissions talk

11:00–15:00: Subject sessions with tutors (please see Balliol website for specific times)

www.balliol.ox.ac.uk

Brasenose

Where: Radcliffe Square, OX1 4AJ

When: 09:00–17:00

Tours, meet the students and refreshments throughout

11:00–12:00 and **15:00–16:00:** Life at Brasenose and Admissions talk

12:00–17:00: Subject sessions with tutors, at specific times (please check Brasenose website)

www.bnc.ox.ac.uk

Christ Church

Where: St Aldates, OX1 1DP

When: 09:00–17:00

Tours and refreshments 10:00–16:30

09:00–10:00: Application workshop

11:00–12:00: Teachers workshop

28 June only:

13:00–14:00: Admissions talk and demonstration interview (sciences), for prospective students

14:00–15:00: Admissions talk and demonstration interview (humanities), for prospective students

14:00–15:00: Subject sessions with tutors (sciences)

15:00–16:00: Subject sessions with tutors (humanities)

OR Parents and carers Q&A

15:00–17:00: Meet the science tutors, for prospective students

16:00–17:00: Meet the humanities tutors, for prospective students

29 June only:

14:00–15:00: Admissions talk and demonstration interview, for prospective students

Booking advisable but spaces may be available on the day

www.chch.ox.ac.uk

Corpus Christi

Where: Merton Street, OX1 4JF

When: 10:00–16:30

Tours throughout

12:30–13:15: Lunch (first come, first served)

13:30–14:30: Demonstration interviews (science and humanities) plus Life at Corpus Christi talk

14:30–15:30: Meet the tutors, with refreshments

www.ccc.ox.ac.uk

Exeter

Where: Turl Street, OX1 3DP

When: 10:00–16:30

Tours throughout

10:00–15:00: Meet the students, with refreshments

13:00–13:30: Studying the humanities and social sciences talk

13:15–13:45 and 14:15–14:45: Drop-in Q&A for parents, carers and teachers

14:00–14:30: Studying the sciences talk

14:00–14:30: Meet a tutor: Classics

29 June only:

14:00–14:30: Meet a tutor: Modern Languages

Booking advisable for talks but spaces may be available on the day

www.exeter.ox.ac.uk

Harris Manchester¹

Where: Mansfield Road, OX1 3TD

When: 09:00–17:00

14:00–15:15: Talks – including returning to study, applying and finances

15:15–16:00: Meet the tutors

Booking advisable for both sessions but spaces may be available on the day

www.hmc.ox.ac.uk

Hertford

Where: Catte Street, OX1 3BW

When: 10:00–17:00

Tours throughout

12:30–13:00: Subject sessions with tutors: Archaeology & Anthropology, Biology, Law, Maths, Modern Languages, Music, PPE and Physics

12:45–13:15: Parents and carers Q&A

13:00–13:30: Subject sessions with tutors: Biochemistry, Computer Science, Economics & Management, Geography, Human Sciences, Medicine and Oriental Studies

13:15–13:45: Subject sessions with tutors: Chemistry, Computer Science &

Philosophy, other Philosophy joint courses, Engineering, English and History.

14:00–14:30: 'Why choose Oxford, why chose Hertford?' talk

www.hertford.ox.ac.uk

9 Jesus College

Where: Turl Street, OX1 3DW

When: 10:00–17:00

Tours throughout

13:00–13:30 and **13:30–14:00:**

Subject sessions with tutors

13:00–14:00: Admissions talk for parents and carers

14:00–15:00: Admissions talk for prospective students

www.jesus.ox.ac.uk

10 Keble

Where: Parks Road, OX1 3PG

When: 09:00–17:00

Tours throughout both days

29 June only:

09:00–09:45: Life at Keble talk for parents, carers and teachers

13:15–14:15: Subject sessions with tutors, for prospective students

OR Admissions talk for parents and carers

14:15–17:00: Drop-in meet the students and Q&A for parents, carers and teachers

Booking advisable for subject sessions but spaces may be available on the day

www.keble.ox.ac.uk

11 Lady Margaret Hall

Where: Norham Gardens, OX2 6QA

When: 09:30–18:00

Tours and refreshments throughout

11:00–12:00: Welcome from the Principal and Admissions talk

12:00–12:55: Meet the tutors

OR Parents, carers and teachers talk

13:00–14:00: Lunch

17:00–18:00: 'Get a scoop on Lady Margaret Hall': ice cream and tea

Booking advisable for admissions talk but spaces may be available on the day

www.lmh.ox.ac.uk

12 Lincoln

Where: Turl Street, OX1 3DR

When: 09:00–17:00

Tours throughout

12:45–13:30: Life at Lincoln talk, for prospective students

OR Admissions Q&A for parents, carers and teachers

13:30–14:15: Subject sessions with tutors, for prospective students

13:30–14:00: Student finance talk for parents, carers and teachers

www.lincoln.ox.ac.uk

13 Magdalen

Where: High Street, OX1 4AU (please use Longwall Street entrance)

When: 10:00–16:30

Tours throughout

12:30–13:00: Life at Magdalen and Admissions talk

13:15–13:45: Q&A for parents, carers and teachers

13:15–14:15: Subject sessions with tutors (sciences)

14:30–15:30: Subject sessions with tutors (humanities)

www.magd.ox.ac.uk

14 Mansfield

Where: Mansfield Road OX1 3TF

When: 08:45–17:00

Tours throughout

09:00–09:45 and **12:45–13:30:** Admissions talk and demonstration interview

13:30–14:00: Subject sessions with tutors

OR Parents, carers and teachers talk

www.mansfield.ox.ac.uk

15 Merton

Where: Merton Street, OX1 4JD

When: 09:45–17:00

Tours, student life display and refreshments throughout

09:00–09:30: Life at Merton talk

12:00–14:00: Sandwich lunch

13:15–14:00: Subject sessions with tutors for prospective students

OR Parents, carers and teachers Q&A

Booking advisable for subject talks but spaces may be available on the day

www.merton.ox.ac.uk

16 New College

Where: Holywell Street, OX1 3BN (Use New College Lane entrance)

When: 10:00–17:00

Tours and meet the students throughout

12:15–14:00: Meet the tutors

Booking advisable for meet the tutors but spaces may be available on the day. See New College website for specific times.

www.new.ox.ac.uk

17 Oriel

Where: Oriel Street, OX1 4EW

When: 09:00–17:00

Tours 10:00–12:00 and 14:30–17:00

09:00–09:45 and **13:15–14:00:**

Admissions talk and Q&A

12:30–13:00: Meet the tutors

Booking advisable but spaces may be available on the day

www.oriel.ox.ac.uk

18 Pembroke

Where: Pembroke Square, OX1 1DW

When: 08:30–18:00

Tours, meet the students, admissions advice and refreshments throughout

12:15–18:00: Meet the tutors. Drop-in for most subjects, with specific time slots for:

- Oriental Studies – Arabic, Chinese and Japanese
- Theology and Religion
- Mathematics, Chemistry and Physics (please see Pembroke website for details)

13:00–14:00: Taster lecture and tutorial in Physics

www.pmb.ox.ac.uk

19 The Queen's College

Where: High Street, OX1 4AW

When: 09:00–17:30

Tours 09:30–16:30, drop-in meet the students and refreshments throughout

14:00–15:00: Meet the tutors

16:15–17:00: Drop-in Admissions Q&A

www.queens.ox.ac.uk

20 Regent's Park

Where: Pusey Street, OX1 2LB

When: 09:00–16:00

Tours throughout

10:00–16:00: Subject sessions with tutors (please see Regent's Park website for specific times)

www.rpc.ox.ac.uk

21 St Anne's

Where: Woodstock Road, OX2 6HS

When: 09:15–17:00

Tours throughout

09:15–09:45: Tour and Q&A

12:15–13:00: Meet the tutors, for prospective students

OR Parents, carers and teachers talk

13:00–13:45: Lunch (first come, first served)

14:00–14:30: Life at St Anne's talk

www.st-annes.ox.ac.uk

22 St Benet's Hall*Where: 38 St Giles', OX1 3LN**When: 10:00–17:00***Tours, refreshments and drop-in****Q&A throughout****www.st-benets.ox.ac.uk****23 St Catherine's***Where: Manor Road, OX1 3UJ**When: 09:30–18:00***Tours throughout****12:15–13:00:** Meet the tutors**OR Parents, carers and teachers talk****13:00–13:45:** Sandwich lunch (first come, first served)**13:45–14:30:** Introduction to Oxford, St Catherine's and the admissions process**www.stcatz.ox.ac.uk****24 St Edmund Hall***Where: Queen's Lane, OX1 4AR**When: 09:30–16:30***Tours throughout****13:45–14:45:** Meet the tutors**OR Parents and carers talk and Q&A****www.seh.ox.ac.uk****25 St Hilda's***Where: Cowley Place, OX4 1DY**When: 08:30–16:30***Tours and meet the students throughout****14:30–15:30:** Admissions talk, Q&A and refreshments**www.st-hildas.ox.ac.uk****26 St Hugh's***Where: St Margaret's Road, OX2 6LE**When: 09:00–18:00***Tours and refreshments throughout****10:30–11:00, 12:30–13:00 and****16:30–17:00:** Q&A session**11:00–14:00:** Sandwich lunch**13:15–13:45:** Meet the tutors**17:00–18:00:** 'Last stop' tea and cake**www.st-hughs.ox.ac.uk****27 St John's***Where: St Giles', OX1 3JP**When: 10:00–17:00***Tours throughout****14:00–14:55:** Meet the tutors (Maths, Medicine and sciences), with refreshments**15:00–15:55:** Meet the tutors (humanities), with refreshments**www.sjc.ox.ac.uk****28 St Peter's***Where: New Inn Hall Street, OX1 2DL**When: 09:00–17:00***Tours and refreshments throughout****09:00–10:00 and 15:00–16:00:**

Personal statement workshop

14:00–15:00: Careers Q&A with alumni**12:30–13:30:** Demonstration interview (English) and Q&A**13:00–13:30 and 13:30–14:00:**

Demonstration tutorials (Law, Physics, Biological Sciences, Philosophy or Archaeology & Anthropology)

13:00–17:00: Meet the tutors (please see St Peter's website for specific times)**28 June only:****13:30–14:30:** Taster lecture (Maths)**29 June only:****13:00–14:00:** Taster lecture (History)**www.spc.ox.ac.uk****30 Somerville***Where: Woodstock Road, OX2 6HD**When: 09:00–16:45***Tours throughout, refreshments from 09:45****09:00–09:45:** Admissions talk**12:30–14:00:** Meet the tutors**12:30–14:00:** Sandwich lunch**www.some.ox.ac.uk****31 Trinity***Where: Broad Street, OX1 3BH**When: 10:00–16:00***Tours throughout****11:45–12:30:** Life at Trinity talk**13:15–14:00 and 14:00–14:45:**

Subject sessions with tutors

14:00–14:30: **Parents, carers and teachers Q&A***Booking advisable but spaces may be available on the day***www.trinity.ox.ac.uk****32 University College***Where: High Street, OX1 4BH**When: 10:00–17:00***Tours throughout****12:15–14:15:** Subject sessions with tutors, for prospective students (please check University College website for specific times)**14:30–15:15 and 15:15–16:00:**

Making a competitive application workshop and Q&A

15:15–16:00: Exploring beyond the school syllabus workshop**www.univ.ox.ac.uk****33 Wadham***Where: Parks Road, OX1 3PN**When: 09:00–17:00***Tours throughout****12:45–13:15:** Admissions talk**13:15–14:00:** Subject sessions with tutors, for prospective students**OR Parents, carers and teachers Q&A****www.wadham.ox.ac.uk****34 Worcester***Where: Worcester Street, OX1 2HB**When: 10:00–17:00***Tours throughout****09:00–10:00:** Admissions Q&A with refreshments**12:35–13:00:** Admissions talk**13:00–14:30:** Subject sessions with tutors**13:00–13:45:** **Parents and carers Q&A****www.worc.ox.ac.uk****35 Wycliffe Hall¹***Where: 54 Banbury Road, OX2 6PW**When: 13:30–15:30***www.wycliffe.ox.ac.uk**

¹ Harris Manchester and Wycliffe Hall only accept applications from mature students: those who are 21 and over at the start of their course.

SUBJECT DEPARTMENT EVENTS

Oxford students are not only members of a college, but also members of a department with access to other libraries and facilities. Depending on the course you choose, you would usually have your lectures and do any laboratory work in your department with students from other colleges. Open Days offer a rare opportunity to visit departments and meet tutors and current students as well as attend events. If events become full, priority will be given to prospective students.

'This course' at Oxford talk: These talks will include information about the content of the course and the way it is taught and assessed. Unless a separate admissions talk is offered, they will also cover the specific admissions process for that course.

Admissions talk/Q&A: These talks will cover the application process and what factors admissions tutors take into account during the selection process. At a department, the admissions advice will be specific to the course, and will be able to cover topics like admissions tests and written work.

Meet the tutors: Your opportunity to meet tutors in your chosen subject, and ask them questions about the course in an informal setting.

Meet the students: Your opportunity to speak to current students, who will be able to answer questions on student life, provide information about their college or course, and share their experience of the admissions process.

Parents, carers and teachers talk/Q&A: These often run alongside events which are only available to prospective students. They will offer advice on how best to support an applicant, and will usually provide an opportunity to ask questions. These events are highlighted in blue throughout this listing.

Departments

These map references refer to the main city map on page 16.

Archaeology and Anthropology (map ref: ①)

Where: School of Archaeology, 1 South Parks Road, OX1 3TG

When: 11:00–16:00

Tours throughout

11:00–14:00: Meet the tutors and current students, with refreshments

14:00–15:00: Archaeology and Anthropology at Oxford talk and Q&A

15:00–15:45: Guided tour of the Pitt Rivers Museum or Research Laboratory for History of Art and Archaeology
Booking is advisable for guided tour but spaces may be available on the day

www.arch.ox.ac.uk

Classics (map ref: ⑥)

including Classical Archaeology and Ancient History, Ancient and Modern History, Classics and English, Classics and Modern Languages, Classics and Oriental Studies

Where: Ioannou Centre for Classical and Byzantine Studies, 66 St Giles', OX1 3LU

When: 09:15–16:00

10:00–11:00 and 15:00–16:00:

Admissions talk

11:00–11:30 and 11:30–12:00: Taster lectures

14:00–15:00: Q&A with tutors and students

Booking advisable for talks and lectures but spaces may be available on the day

www.classics.ox.ac.uk

Economics and Management (map ref: ⑨)

Where: Main Building, Saïd Business School, Park End Street, OX1 1HP

When: 10:00–12:00

Prospective students can sign up on the day for short tours of the Saïd Business School

10:00–11:00 and 11:00–12:00:

Economics and Management at Oxford talk and Q&A

www.economics.ox.ac.uk

www.sbs.ox.ac.uk

English Language and Literature (map ref: ⑪)

including all joint courses with English

Where: English Faculty, St Cross Building, (corner of Manor and St Cross Roads), OX1 3UL

When: 10:00–16:00

10:15–10:35, 10:50–11:10 and

15:00–15:20: Taster lectures

11:30–12:10 and 14:00–14:40: English at Oxford talk

15:00–15:30: Joint courses Q&A

www.english.ox.ac.uk

Fine Art (map ref: ⑬)

Where: Ruskin School of Art, 74 High Street, OX1 4BG

10:00–11:30 and 14:30–16:00: Fine Art at Oxford talk with Q&A and tour of the studios

Please arrive at least 15 minutes early to be seated before the start of the talk.

www.rsa.ox.ac.uk

History (map ref: ⑮)

including all joint courses with History

Where: Open Day Information Centre, Examination Schools, 75–81 High Street, OX1 4BG

When: 09:00–14:00

Information desk throughout

10:00–11:30: Admissions Q&A

11:30–12:00: Meet the tutors and students

12:00–12:30: Taster lecture

Due to space restrictions the taster lecture is for prospective students only, and for other events priority will be given to prospective students. Latecomers cannot be admitted.

www.history.ox.ac.uk

Human Sciences (map ref: ⑰)

Where: Institute of Human Sciences, The Pauling Centre, 58a Banbury Road, OX2 6QS

When: 10:00–17:00

Tours throughout

10:00–11:00: Human Sciences at Oxford and Admissions talk

11:00–12:00: Talk introducing the disciplines within Human Sciences

www.ihs.ox.ac.uk

Law (map ref: 18)

Where: Law Faculty, St Cross Building,
(corner of Manor and St Cross Roads)
St Cross Road, OX1 3UL

When: 09:00–17:00

Tours and meet the students throughout

10:00–12:00 and **14:00–16:00**: Law at Oxford talk

www.law.ox.ac.uk

Mathematics (map ref: 20)

Where: Andrew Wiles Building, Radcliffe
Observatory Quarter, Woodstock Road,
OX2 6GG

When: 09:30–16:00

09:30–10:00 and **14:00–14:30**:
Refreshments

10:00–10:30 and **14:30–15:00**:
The Oxford Mathematics courses

10:30–11:00 and **15:00–15:30**:
Pure Mathematics

11:00–11:30 and **15:30–16:00**:
Applied Mathematics

11:30–12:00 and **14:00–14:30**:
The Maths and Statistics courses
OR The Maths and Philosophy course

www.maths.ox.ac.uk

Modern Languages (map ref: 22)

Where: Main Hall, Taylor Institution,
St Giles', OX1 3NA

When: 14:00–15:00

Drop-in Q&A. To see the main reading room and for information about the Taylor Institution Library resources for Modern Languages, please ask at the enquiry desk from 09:00–17:00

www.mod-langs.ox.ac.uk

Music (map ref: 23)

Where: Faculty of Music Building,
St Aldate's, OX1 1DB

When: 9:30–17:00 (closes at 16:30 on 29 June)

28 June:

Tours 09:30–10:00 and **11:30–12:00**

10:00–10:45 and **12:30–13:15**:
Music at Oxford talk

10:45–11:30 and **13:15–14:00**:
Meet the students

14:30–16:30: Meet the tutors

29 June:

Tours 09:30–10:00 and **11:30–14:00**

10:00–10:45: Music at Oxford talk

10:45–11:30: Meet the students

14:00–16:00: Meet the tutors

www.music.ox.ac.uk

Oriental Studies (map ref: 24)

Where: Oriental Institute, Pusey Lane,
OX1 2LE

Tours of the Bodleian Oriental Institute Library available on request (please ask at the library issue desk, 09:00–17:00)

10:45–11:30: Meet the tutors

11:30–12:00: Language demonstrations

www.orinst.ox.ac.uk

Philosophy

You can study Philosophy at Oxford only in conjunction with another subject or other subjects: Classics, Computer Science, Linguistics (as part of PPL – see Psychology), Mathematics, Modern Languages, Politics and Economics (PPE), Physics, Psychology (as part of PPL), or Theology and Religion. Please visit the Open Day events for these other subjects to find out about joint honours courses involving Philosophy.

www.philosophy.ox.ac.uk

Philosophy, Politics and Economics (PPE) (map ref: 25)

Where: Manor Road Building, Manor Road,
OX1 3UQ

When: 10:00–16:00

10:00–10:50, **11:00–11:50**,
14:45–15:35 and **15:45–16:35**: PPE at Oxford talk

10:50–11:10, **11:50–12:10**,
14:15–14:35 and **15:15–15:35**:
Social Science Library tour

www.ppe.ox.ac.uk

Psychology (Experimental) (map ref: 12)

including Psychology, Philosophy and Linguistics (PPL)

Where: Open Day Information Centre,
Examination Schools, 75–81 High Street,
OX1 4BG

When: 09:00–17:00

Information desk throughout

10:00–11:00 and **15:00–16:00**:

Psychology at Oxford and Admissions talk

11:00–12:00: Meet the tutors

11:15–11:45: PPL at Oxford

12:00–15:00: Drop-in meet the students and admissions staff

16:00–16:30: Presentation from current students

www.psy.ox.ac.uk

Theology and Religion (map ref: 28)

Where: Gibson Building, Radcliffe
Observatory Quarter, Woodstock Road,
OX2 6GG

When: 10:00–15:00

Tours throughout

10:00–11:00: Theology and Religion at Oxford talk

11:00–12:00: Taster lecture

12:00–14:00: Drop-in meet the students

14:00–14:30: Making a competitive application workshop

14:30–15:00: Q&A

www.theology.ox.ac.uk

Departments in the city's Science Area

Map references refer to the Science Area map on page 18. If you need help finding events in this area, please ask at the information point on the corner of Parks Road and South Parks Road (see map ref: 4).

Biochemistry (map ref: 2)

Where: Biochemistry Building, Dorothy
Hodgkin Road, OX1 3QU

When: 10:00–12:00 and 14:00–16:00

10:30–11:00, **11:15–11:45**, **14:30–15:00** and **15:15–15:45**: Biochemistry at Oxford talk

10:00–12:00 and **14:00–16:00**:

Demonstrations and opportunity to meet tutors and students

www.bioch.ox.ac.uk

Biological Sciences (map ref: 3)

Where: Oxford University Museum of
Natural History, Parks Road, OX1 3PW

When: 09:00–12:00

Information desk throughout

10:00–10:30: Admissions talk

10:30–11:00: Demonstration interview

www.biology.ox.ac.uk

Biomedical Sciences (map ref: ④)

Where: Department of Pharmacology,
Mansfield Road, OX1 3QT

When: 09:45–15:00

10:00–10:20 and **11:00–11:20:**

Biomedical Sciences at Oxford talk

10:20–10:40 and **11:20–11:40:**

Admissions talk

10:40–11:00 and **11:40–12:00:**

Demonstration interview

www.medsci.ox.ac.uk/study/bms

Chemistry (map ref: ⑤)

Where: Inorganic Chemistry Laboratory,
South Parks Road, OX1 3QR

When: 10:30–16:00

Tours throughout

11:00–12:00 and **14:30–15:30:**

Chemistry at Oxford, Admissions talk
and Q&A

15:15–16:00: Chemistry show

www.chem.ox.ac.uk

Computer Science (map ref: ⑦)

Where: Department of Computer Science,
Wolfson Building, entrance at 7 Keble
Road, OX1 3QD

When: 09:30–17:30

10:00–10:45 and **14:30–15:15:**

Computer Science at Oxford talk

11:00–11:30, 15:30–16:00, 16:00–

16:30: Taster lectures (see Computer
Science website for details)

11:00–11:30 and **15:30–16:00:**

Admissions talk

11:30–12:00 and **14:00–14:30:**

Thinking machines, computational models
and moral robots: the philosophical
frontiers of computer science

12:00–14:30: Student project and

research demonstrations

16:00–16:30: Day in the life of a

Computer Science student

16:45–17:15: Demonstration interview

and UCAS forms

17:15–17:30: Q&A

www.cs.ox.ac.uk

Earth Sciences (map ref: ⑧)

Where: Earth Sciences Building, South Parks
Road, OX1 3AN

When: 10:00–16:00

Tours throughout

10:00–11:00 and **15:00–16:00:** Earth

Sciences at Oxford talk

11:00–11:30: Taster lecture

11:30–12:00: Practical display

12:00–14:00: Aspects of Earth Sciences:

visit stands and meet the researchers

www.earth.ox.ac.uk

Engineering Science (map ref: ⑩)

Where: Thom Building, Department of
Engineering Science, Parks Road, OX1 3PJ

When: 10:00–16:00

Tours 10:00–12:00 and 14:00–16:00

10:00–10:20: Meet the students

OR Parents and carers talk

10:40–11:00 and **14:00–14:20:** Taster

lecture OR demonstrations

11:20–11:40 and **14:45–15:05:** Taster

lecture OR demonstrations

www.eng.ox.ac.uk

Geography (map ref: ⑭)

Where: Dyson Perrins Building, Oxford
University Centre for the Environment,
South Parks Road, OX1 3QY

When: 09:30–15:00

Information desk from 10:00

09:30–10:30: Physical geography

demonstration

10:30–11:30: Geography at Oxford and

Admissions talk

www.geog.ox.ac.uk/undergraduate

Human Sciences (map ref: ⑰)

This department is not in the Science
Area, please refer to listings on page 9.

Materials Science (map ref: ⑲)

Where: Hume–Rothery Building,
Department of Materials, Parks Road,
OX1 3PH

When: 10:00–16:00

Information desk throughout

10:15–11:00: Department tours (booked
on the day on a first come, first served
basis – prospective students only)

11:00–11:30: Materials Science at

Oxford talk

11:30–12:00: Meet the tutors and

students, with refreshments

www.materials.ox.ac.uk

Mathematics (map ref: ⑳)

This department is not in the Science Area,
please refer to listings on page 10

Medicine (map ref: ㉑)

Where: Medical Sciences Teaching Centre,
South Parks Road, OX1 3PL

When: 09:30–16:30

Please note that admission to the Medical
Sciences Teaching Centre is limited to
prospective students and teachers only
due to space restrictions. **A separate talk**

for parents and carers will take place at
10:00 and 14:30.

Tours 9:30–12:30 and 14:00–16:30

10:00–10:25 and **14:30–14:55:**

Medicine at Oxford talk

10:30–10:55 and **15:00–15:25:**

Admissions talk

11:00–11:25 and **15:30–15:55:**

Demonstration interview

11:30–12:00 and **16:00–16:25:**

Student life Q&A

www.medsci.ox.ac.uk/study/medicine

Physics (map ref: ㉒)

Where: Denys Wilkinson Building, Keble
Road, OX1 3RH

When: 10:00–16:00

Tours throughout

10:30–11:30, 11:30–12:30,

14:15–15:15 and **15:15–16:15:**

Admissions talk

Space is limited: priority will be given to
prospective students

www.physics.ox.ac.uk

Statistics (map ref: ㉓)

Where: Department of Statistics,
24–29 St Giles', OX1 3LB

When: 14:45–16:30

Tours and meet the tutors and students
throughout

15:00–15:20 and **16:00–16:20:**

Statistics at Oxford talk

www.stats.ox.ac.uk

OPEN DAY INFORMATION CENTRE

Open 09:00–17:00, Examination Schools, 75–81 High Street, Oxford, OX1 4BG (map ref: 12)

Colleges and departments are the best places to meet tutors and students and to find out all you need to know about the course you are interested in and about studying at Oxford. However, if you've still got any questions, or if the event you planned to attend is full, then please come to the Open Day Information Centre where you may attend talks or visit information stands which are open all day.

Talks for all

Student Finance and Careers

When: 14:30–15:00

Where: South School, First Floor, Examination Schools

Hear all the latest information about tuition fees and living costs at Oxford. We will talk you through the funding available to UK and EU students to cover these costs, including UK government funding and Oxford's generous, non-repayable bursaries. A current student will also be on hand to answer any questions about financing your studies at Oxford.

We will complete the picture by updating you on career prospects for Oxford graduates as well as presenting the comprehensive support and career development opportunities available to Oxford students during and after their studies here.

Applying to Oxford

When: 15:10–15:40

Where: South School, First Floor, Examination Schools

If you haven't attended a college's or department's admissions talk earlier in the day, we will talk you through the whole process, and suggest how to make a competitive application.

Student Life

When: 15:50–16:20, repeated 16:30–17:00

Where: Room 6, Ground Floor, Examination Schools

Hosted by Oxford University's Students' Union and Oxford University Sport, our students will answer questions on a range of topics such as clubs and societies, night life, work-life balance, student support and the hundreds of non-academic opportunities available at Oxford. *Please note that this session will not cover admission to the University. Questions about admissions will be answered at colleges, departments and at the admissions stand upstairs in the Open Day Information Centre.*

Guide to the Examination Schools:

www.venues.ox.ac.uk/venues/examination-schools

Talks for parents and carers

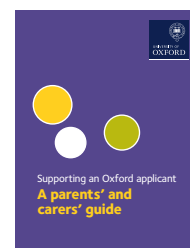
Why not come and have some of your own questions answered? Staff and students will consider our admissions process and aspects of life at Oxford from your perspective as a parent or carer. Many colleges and departments also offer talks specifically for parents and carers and these are highlighted in the listings on pages 6–11.

Supporting the Transition to University

When: 11:00–11:30

Where: Room 6, Ground Floor, Examination Schools

How can you help your child successfully make the transition from school to university? Our support and welfare team will advise on supporting students during this challenging time as well as explaining the wide range of welfare services offered by the University to all its students. Questions will be welcome.



Being the parent or carer of an Oxford applicant

When: 12:00–12:30

Where: Room 6, Ground Floor, Examination Schools

As well as answering your questions, we will explain our application timeline, highlighting key dates and focusing on how you may support your child at each stage.

Talks for teachers

Teachers' Forum

When: 13:30–14:15

Where: Room 6, Ground Floor, Examination Schools

A chance for teachers to meet with admissions staff, receive an update on recent changes to the Oxford admissions process and ask questions about how to support students through all aspects of considering, and applying to, Oxford. Teachers are also very welcome to visit the admissions desk in the Information Room at any time during the day.

www.ox.ac.uk/teachers



The Information Room

Find out about student services and student life by visiting the stands listed below anytime between 09:00 and 17:00.

Admissions – UK and rest of the world

Pick up a prospectus and ask our admissions team your questions about your Oxford application.

www.ox.ac.uk/study

www.ox.ac.uk/int

Careers Service

Find out about the support and opportunities available to Oxford students during and after their studies, including information about graduate career prospects.

www.careers.ox.ac.uk

Continuing Education

Information about adult learning at Oxford: 1000+ part-time award and degree programmes, short online courses, professional development, weekly classes, weekend events and summer schools.

www.conted.ox.ac.uk

Disabled Students

Staff will be available to advise on disability related study support, funding and how to access it.

www.ox.ac.uk/swd

IT Services

Find out more about the range of IT services available to assist your learning while at Oxford.

www.it.ox.ac.uk

Mature Students

Any student who will be 21 or over at the start of their course is considered a mature student. Staff at this stand can talk to you about topics of particular interest such as entry requirements, finance and more.

www.ox.ac.uk/mature

Oxford Admissions Tests

Representatives from the organisation which runs most Oxford Admissions tests will be available to answer questions about Oxford Admissions tests including registering, taking the test and getting your results.

www.ox.ac.uk/tests

Student Fees and Funding

Pick up the latest information about fees and funding and ask the team about topics such as Oxford's financial support provision, applying for government funding and the cost of living at Oxford.

www.ox.ac.uk/funding

Student Life

Come and talk to current students about their life here. Oxford Students' work hard but there is still time to pursue interests outside your course. Whether you are a budding journalist or a keen sportsperson, love music, performing, debating or volunteering, Oxford has clubs and societies for everyone. The Oxford University Students' Union (OUSU) will be joined by some of the University's clubs and societies to give you a taste of student life.

Oxford University Students' Union

www.ousu.org

Oxford University Sport

www.sport.ox.ac.uk

Other University Clubs and Societies

www.ox.ac.uk/students/life/clubs

TOP TIP

See OUSU's Alternative Prospectus at:
www.apply.ousu.org

Equality and Diversity

The University of Oxford is committed to fostering an inclusive culture which promotes equality, values diversity and maintains a working, learning and social environment in which the rights and dignity of all its staff and students are respected. Our Equality and Diversity Unit has a team of advisers covering each area of equality and diversity, in relation to both staff and students. For more information on the work of the team please visit: www.admin.ox.ac.uk/eop



UNIVERSITY MUSEUMS

The University museums are an important and exciting resource for Oxford students. All offer free admission to Open Day visitors.

Ashmolean Museum (map ref: **A**)

Where: Beaumont Street, OX1 2PH

When: 10:00–17:00

The Ashmolean Museum is home to the University's collection of art and archaeology. Founded in 1683, it was the first public museum in the UK and is one of the oldest in the world. Highlights include mummies from Ancient Egypt; classical sculpture from Greece and Rome; paintings by the masters of European art; and the greatest collection of Chinese art in the Western world. Particularly relevant to: Ancient and Modern History; Archaeology and Anthropology; Classical Archaeology and Ancient History; Classics; Fine Art; History of Art; Oriental Studies.

Free entry on the day to our *Raphael: The Drawings* exhibition for parents/carers/prospective students with this Open Day Guide.

www.ashmolean.org

Museum of the History of Science (map ref: **J**)

Where: Broad Street, OX1 3AZ

When: 12:00–17:00

Tours running on Thursday 29 June only at 2.30pm and 3.15pm.

This museum houses an unrivalled collection of historic scientific instruments, including Einstein's blackboard and Queen Elizabeth I's astrolabe. Particularly relevant to all science and history courses.

www.mhs.ox.ac.uk

Oxford University Museum of Natural History (map ref: **K**)

(map ref: **K**)

Where: Parks Road, OX1 3PW

When: 10:00–17:00

The museum houses an impressive range of scientific collections of zoological and geological specimens in a spectacular Victorian building. Particularly relevant to: Biology; Earth Sciences.

www.oum.ox.ac.uk



Pitt Rivers Museum (map ref: **M**)

Where: Parks Road, OX1 3PW (Entry through the Museum of Natural History (map ref: **K**))

When: 10:00–16:30

The Pitt Rivers Museum is home to a remarkable collection of man-made objects from all parts of the world. It is equally famous for its celebrated displays and its leading role in contemporary research. Particularly relevant to: Archaeology and Anthropology; History of Art.

www.prm.ox.ac.uk

University of Oxford Botanic Garden (map ref: **F**)

Where: High Street (opposite Magdalen College Tower)

When: 09:00–18:00 (last entry at 17:15)

One person will be admitted free for each Open Day Guide shown. The Garden, founded in 1621 contains more than 4,000 different species in just two hectares making it one of the most diverse collections of living plants in the world. Particularly relevant to Biological Sciences.

www.botanic-garden.ox.ac.uk



UNIVERSITY LIBRARIES

Oxford's many libraries are a unique part of undergraduate life here, providing printed and electronic books, journals and other materials that you will need for your degree as well as a range of study spaces and research skills support. Please take the opportunity to visit the libraries during the Open Days.

Bodleian Library and History Faculty Library (Radcliffe Camera) (map ref: **D**)

Where: Corner of Broad Street and Catte Street. Meet at the Great Gate, Catte Street, OX1 3BG

When: Tours leave at 15 minutes past and 15 minutes to each hour from 11:15–15:45. 12 places per tour. Please note that this tour involves a lot of stairs. Prospective students can arrange an accessible tour by emailing: access@bodleian.ox.ac.uk (subject to availability). Key library for undergraduates studying: Classics, English, History, Philosophy, Theology.

www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/bodley

Bodleian Law Library (map ref: **C**)

Where: St Cross Building, Manor Road, OX1 3UR

When: Guided tours between 09:00 and 10:00; 12:00 and 14:00; 16:00 and 17:00. Please ask the Law Faculty staff and student helpers, whom you will find in the main foyer of the St Cross building.

Key library for undergraduates studying Law.

www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/law

Bodleian Social Science Library (map ref: **E**)

Where: Manor Road Building, Manor Road, OX1 3UQ (Ground floor ramped entrance)

When: Guided tours at 10:50, 11:50, 14:15 and 15:15. Self-guided tours available all day 09:30–17:00

Key library for undergraduates studying PPE, or either Politics or Economics as part of a joint honours degree.

www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/ssl

Sackler Library (map ref: **Q**)

Where: 1 St John Street, OX1 2LG (Meet at the Porters' Lodge)

When: Tours at 10:00, 12:00, 14:00 and 16:00 (drop-in visits not possible) Maximum of 10 per tour

Key library for undergraduates studying: Ancient History, Archaeology, Assyriology, Classics, Egyptology, Fine Art and History of Art.

www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/sackler

Philosophy and Theology Faculties Library

(map ref: **X**)

Where: Radcliffe Humanities, Radcliffe Observatory Quarter, Woodstock Road, OX2 6GG (Press library buzzer at front door)

When: 10:00–16:00

Key library for undergraduates studying Philosophy and Theology.

www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/ptfl

Radcliffe Science Library (map ref: **G**)

Where: Parks Road, OX1 3QP

When: 09:30–16:30: tours every 15 minutes

Key library for undergraduates studying all science subjects, Engineering, Maths and Medicine.

www.bodleian.ox.ac.uk/science

LANGUAGE CENTRE

Where: 12 Woodstock Road, OX2 6HT (map ref: **I**)

When: 10:00–16:00

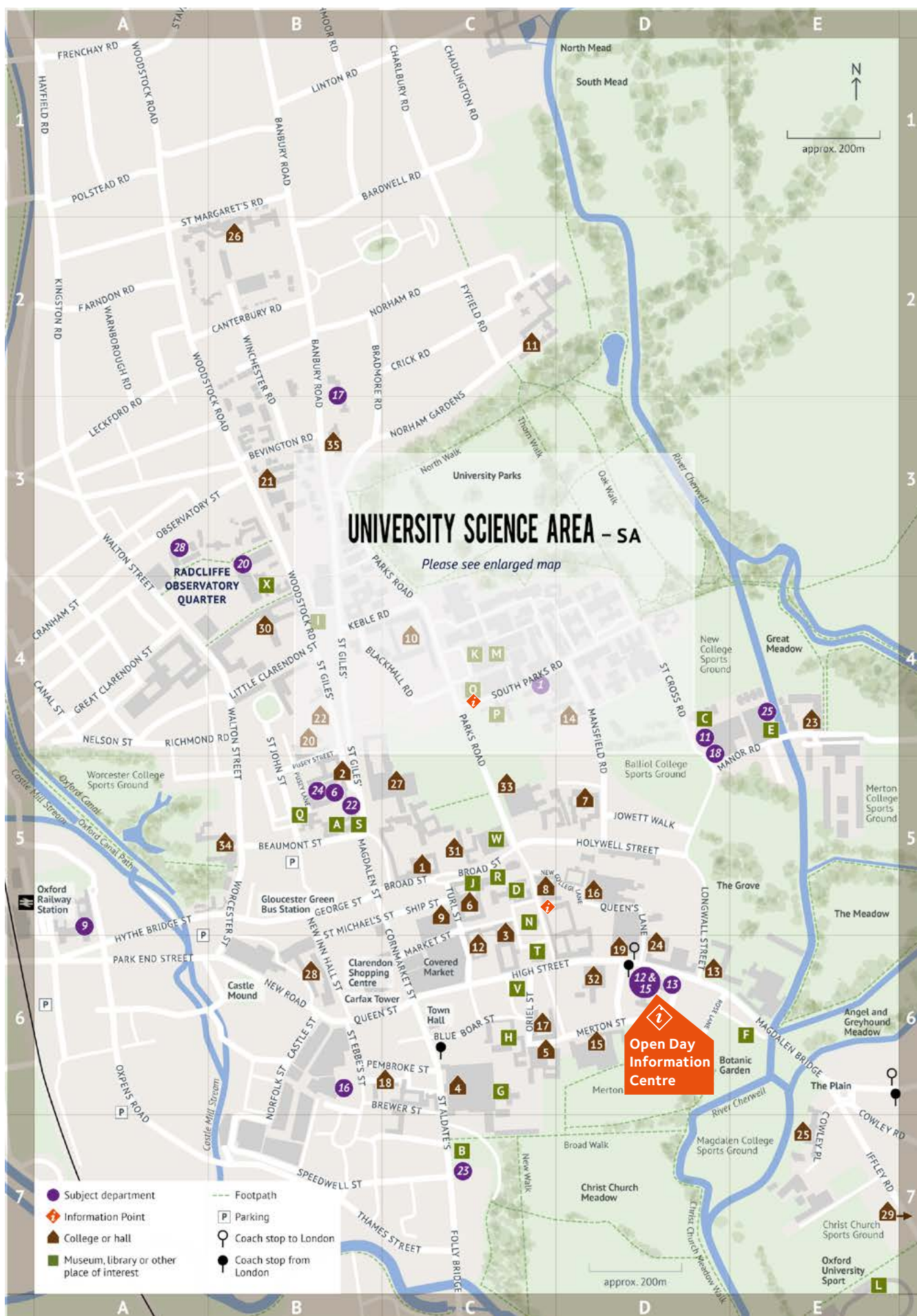
Large and well equipped, the Language Centre is open to all Oxford University students, whatever their degree subject, even if it doesn't involve languages. Open Day visitors are welcome to visit us for information on courses, tours of the facilities and to speak to staff. The Language Library has text, audio, video and computer based material in over 200 languages, foreign satellite reception and links to online language learning material.

www.lang.ox.ac.uk

The faculty library for Oriental Studies will also be open and visitors may see collections for Modern Languages at the Taylor Institution Library. Details are on page 10 with the information on departments.



OXFORD CITY CENTRE



Undergraduate colleges and halls

- 1 Balliol c5
- 2 Blackfriars B5
- 3 Brasenose c6
- 4 Christ Church c6
- 5 Corpus Christi c6
- 6 Exeter c5
- 7 Harris Manchester D5
- 8 Hertford c5
- 9 Jesus College c5
- 10 Keble c4, SA
- 11 Lady Margaret Hall c2
- 12 Lincoln c6
- 13 Magdalen E6
- 14 Mansfield D4, SA
- 15 Merton D6
- 16 New College D5
- 17 Oriel c6
- 18 Pembroke c6
- 19 Queen's College, The D6
- 20 Regent's Park B4, SA
- 21 St Anne's B3
- 22 St Benet's Hall B4, SA
- 23 St Catherine's E4
- 24 St Edmund Hall D6
- 25 St Hilda's E7
- 26 St Hugh's B2
- 27 St John's c5
- 28 St Peter's B6
- 29 St Stephen's House E7 [off map]
- 30 Somerville B4
- 31 Trinity c5
- 32 University College D6
- 33 Wadham c5
- 34 Worcester B5
- 35 Wycliffe Hall B3

Subject Departments

Buildings located in the Science Area (SA), see map on next page

- 1 Archaeology and Anthropology SA
- 2 Biochemistry SA
- 3 Biological Sciences SA
- 4 Biomedical Sciences SA
- 5 Chemistry SA
- 6 Classics (Ioannou Centre) B5
- 7 Computer Science SA
- 8 Earth Sciences SA
- 9 Economics and Management (Saïd Business School) A5
- 10 Engineering Science SA
- 11 English D4
- 12 Experimental Psychology (Open Day Information Centre at Exam Schools) D6
- 13 Fine Art (Ruskin School of Art) D6
- 14 Geography and the Environment SA
- 15 History (Open Day Information Centre at Exam Schools) D6
- 16 History of Art (by prior arrangement only) B6
- 17 Human Sciences B2
- 18 Law D4
- 19 Materials Science SA
- 20 Mathematics B3
- 21 Medicine SA
- 22 Modern Languages (Taylor Institution) B5
- 23 Music C7
- 24 Oriental Studies B5
- 25 Philosophy, Politics and Economics (PPE) E4
- 26 Physics SA
- 27 Statistics SA
- 28 Theology and Religion A3

Museums, libraries and other places of interest

- A Ashmolean Museum of Art & Archaeology B5
- B Bate Collection of Musical Instruments C7
- C Bodleian Law Library D4
- D Bodleian Library c5
- E Bodleian Social Science Library E4
- F Botanic Garden E6
- G Christ Church Cathedral c6
- H Christ Church Picture Gallery c6
- I Language Centre B4, SA
- J Museum of the History of Science c5
- K Oxford University Museum of Natural History C4, SA
- L Oxford University Sport* E7
- M Pitt Rivers Museum C4, SA (entrance at K)
- N Radcliffe Camera (Bodleian) c5
- O Radcliffe Science Library C4, SA
- P Rhodes House c4, SA
- Q Sackler Library B5
- R Sheldonian Theatre c5
- S Taylor Institution Library B5
- T University Church, St Mary's c6
- V University of Oxford Shop c6
- W Weston Library c5
- X Philosophy & Theology Faculties Library B4

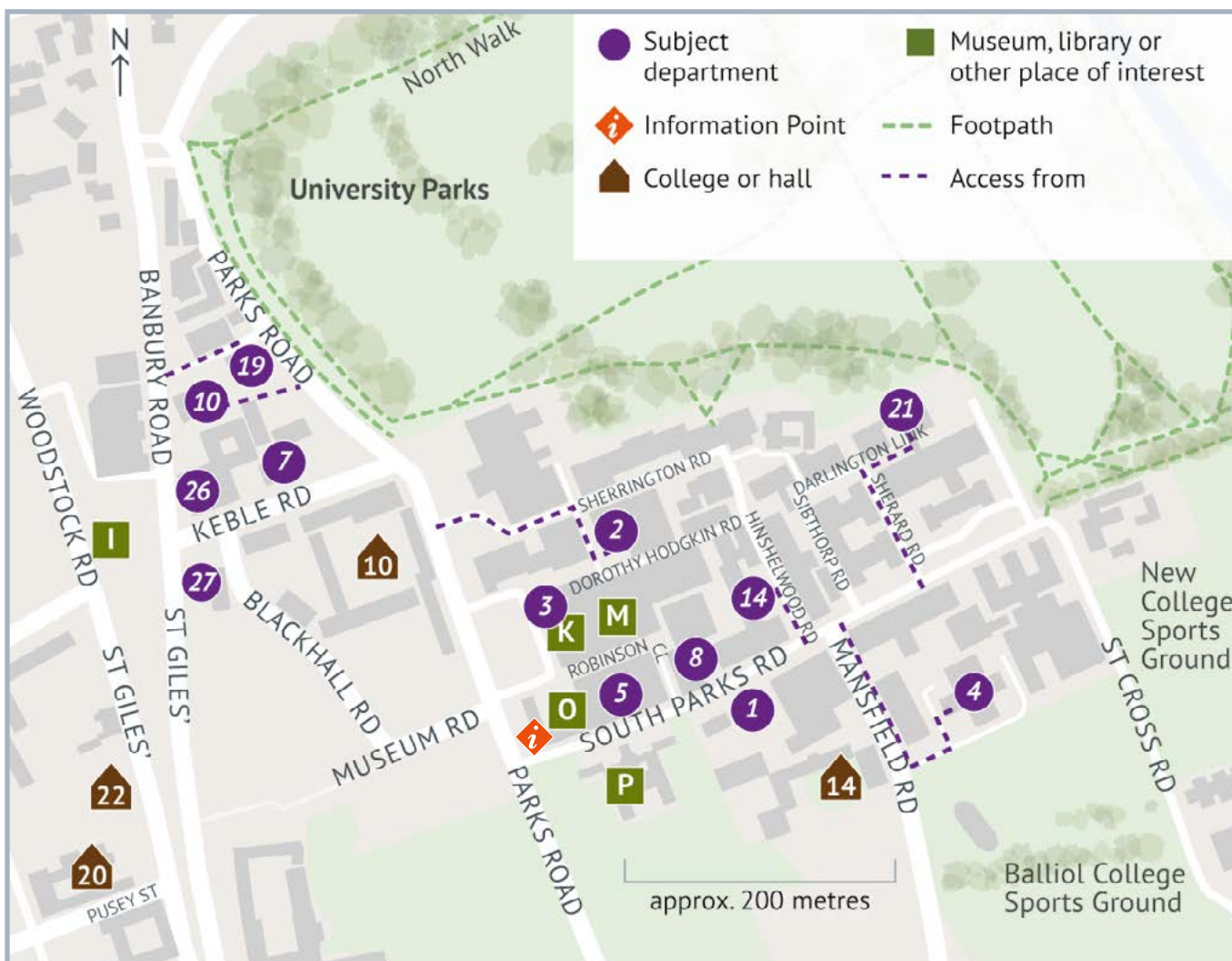
Information Point

* The Sports Centre is currently closed for building works. Please visit the stand at the Open Day Information Centre for information about University Sport.



UNIVERSITY SCIENCE AREA (SA)

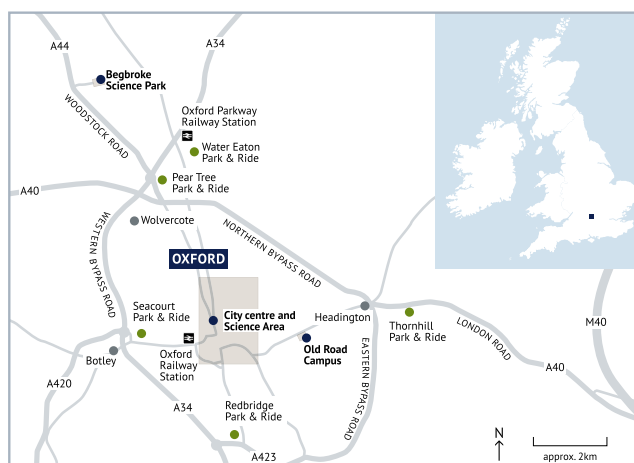
This map and key show the locations of individual departments within the Science Area. Those listed are open to visitors during the Open Days.



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| 2 Biochemistry
(New Biochemistry Building) | 5 Chemistry (Inorganic Chemistry Laboratory) | 14 Geography and the Environment
(Dyson Perrins Building) | 26 Physics
(Denys Wilkinson Building) |
| 3 Biological Sciences (Oxford University Museum of Natural History) | 7 Computer Science
(Wolfson Building) | 19 Materials Science
(Hume-Rothery Building) | 27 Statistics |
| 4 Biomedical Sciences
(Dept of Pharmacology) | 8 Earth Sciences | 21 Medicine (Medical Sciences Teaching Centre) | Information Point |
| 10 Engineering Science
(Thom Building) | | | |

GETTING AROUND

Oxford is a compact city and most colleges and departments are within 15 minutes' walk of the city centre. Our advice is to wear comfortable shoes and walk between venues if you can. It's a great way to get a feel for the city and it's the quickest option. Students usually cycle in the city, but as you'll probably need to read a map, walking is better for Open Days. There is a city bus service, but lots of traffic. Trust us – walk!



Places to eat and drink

Many colleges offer free lunch or refreshments as part of their Open Day programmes. There are also many good cafés and restaurants all over the city of Oxford. You will be spoilt for choice in Broad Street, the Covered Market (between Market Street and the High Street), Cornmarket, the High Street, Little Clarendon Street and the Oxford Castle area.

Turl Street Kitchen (16–17 Turl Street, OX1 3DH) is in the heart of the city centre just opposite Exeter College. Open early until late serving breakfast from 08:00–10:00, lunch from 12:00–14:30 and dinner from 18:00–22:00: fresh, local, seasonal food with a menu which changes twice daily. The building houses Oxford Hub, the Kitchen's sister charity, which supports student community volunteering.

The Oxford University Club café (11 Mansfield Road, OX1 3SZ) will be open for snacks and refreshments all day, serving breakfast 07:30–10:30, lunch 12:00–14:00 and dinner from the bar menu 17:30–20:30.

The Biochemistry café (South Parks Road, OX1 3QU) will be open 08:30–16:15 for continental-style breakfast, hot or cold lunches, snacks and drinks. Please note this café can only accept cash.

Café π, Mathematical Institute (Woodstock Road, OX2 6GG) will be open from 08:30–16:15 for breakfast, lunch, snacks and drinks.

The Museum café (Museum of Natural History, Parks Road, OX1 3PW) is situated on the upper gallery overlooking the dinosaurs. There are child-friendly options available and families are always welcome. Open 10:00–16:30.

If we are lucky with the weather and you feel like a picnic, perhaps by the river, then you may like to go to the University Parks or Christ Church Meadow, both of which are central. (See maps on pages 16 and 18).

Explore the lifestyle tab within the interactive maps at www.maps.ox.ac.uk.

Any unanswered questions?

If you feel you need further information after the Open Day, please refer to our website at www.ox.ac.uk/study or contact Undergraduate Admissions and Outreach at: ox.ac.uk/ask

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PLEASE BE AWARE...

During your visit to Oxford you may see organisations handing out leaflets in the street, claiming to offer advice on the application process. Please be warned that these businesses are not affiliated with the University of Oxford, and they may charge for their services. We encourage you to take advantage of the many free opportunities the University is offering to find out more.



OPEN DAY CHECKLIST

Make the most of your day by following our advice and ticking off the items on the checklist below:

- ☐ Attend a talk about your subject – finding out all about your course is the most important thing you can do today so try to arrive in good time for department events.
- ☐ Find out the admissions criteria for your course – what grades are expected, in what subjects, do you need to sit an admissions test, do you need to submit written work or a portfolio?
- ☐ Talk to students and tutors – you can usually meet both in subject departments and in colleges.
- ☐ Visit some colleges – even visiting one or two will give you a good idea how the college system works, what the accommodation options are and what facilities are available. Missed out on one you want to know more about? See the 360° virtual tours on our website. See ox.ac.uk/collegechoice
- ☐ Pick up information about fees and funding at a college, attend the Student Finance and Careers talk at the Open Day Information Centre, or talk to our fees and funding experts at their exhibition stand in the Open Day Information Centre open from 09:00–17:00.

If you still have time:

- ☐ Visit a library or museum and get inspired!
- ☐ Visit the stands in the Open Day Information Centre and ask those questions you forgot about earlier. (List of exhibitors on page 13)
- ☐ Last chance to fit in another college visit.....Lady Margaret Hall, Pembroke, St Catherine's and St Hugh's are open until 18:00.

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