

UCAS APPLY 2021 - EX-STUDENTS INSTRUCTIONS

KEY FACTS

- MUST still apply to UCAS through the college using the buzzword **freeman44** to enable us to provide you with a reference. UCAS will then ask which group to allocate yourself – you will be either Ex-students 10s, 20s, 30s or 40s, depending on your tutor number when you were at PSC. Eg, F35 = Ex-students 30s or F1E = Ex-students 10s
- For help and information about applying to UCAS as an ex-student, please contact the Careers Department, **NOT your former tutor or subject teachers. We advise that you go through your college reference with your tutor before you leave officially leave college (July 2020), to ensure it is up to date and correct, if you haven't already seen it/discussed it with your tutor.**
- If you are unhappy with the grade you are awarded this summer and wish to take the exam in June 2021, tutoring and examination entries are available through Wessex Tutors in Southampton - www.wessex tutors.com There may be an opportunity to sit exams in the Autumn term 2020 but we are waiting for confirmation of this from the exam boards. When we have more information, we will share this with students.
- We will provide predicted grades if you are resitting any courses at another examination centre – these are usually one grade higher than your original results
- A number of universities have Compact Agreements or Contextual Offers with Peter Symonds College, enabling some students to receive a slightly reduced conditional offer or additional support, if they meet a certain set of criteria. Contact the Careers Department for further information

Ex-students must still meet the college's internal UCAS deadlines of either

**Tuesday 22 September or
Monday 16 November
2020**

**DON'T MISS
THE DEADLINE!**

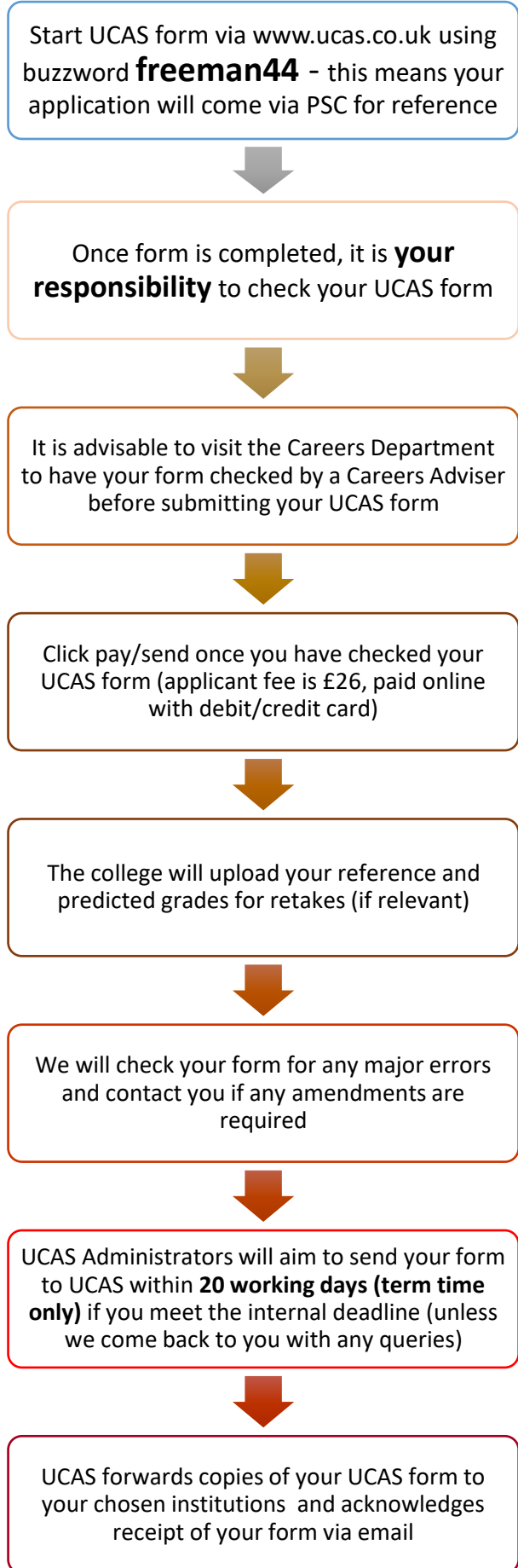
SUPPORT FROM THE CAREERS DEPARTMENT

The Careers Department are responsible for supporting and processing ex-students UCAS applications. We are available to help ex-students who have left the college in the summer of 2020 between 9.00– 10.00am, or from 2.45 – 3.40pm Monday to Friday during term time. Unfortunately, due to demand from current students, we can only see ex-students once, for a 20 min appointment.

***NB** We cannot provide one-to-one support for students who left PSC in previous years, however you should still apply through PSC using the college buzzword, where we will be able to process your form and provide you with a college reference.*

**If you have any queries, ex-students can email ucas@psc.ac.uk
or phone 01962 857571**

Procedures for Applying to Higher Education at Peter Symonds College



Key Dates

June 2020	Can start filling out UCAS form
22 Sept 2020	Internal deadline for all applications to Oxford, Cambridge, or to courses in Medicine, Dentistry & Vet Science
16 Nov 2020	Internal deadline for all other applicants
February 2021	Apply for Student Finance
May 2021	Deadline for most students to reply to offers and student finance

FAQs

Link with school/college - this means that by adding the buzzword we can check your application and add references easily, we will then forward your application to UCAS

College buzzword - **freeman44**

Fee code - code is usually 02

Qualifications - add all qualifications, including U grades and resits you may be taking. Date for qualifications is August

GCSE – please make sure the grades match those we have on your Student Record (be careful with type eg: Number/letter grades, Double Science)

EPQ - add a subject if your title is too long and remember this is an AS Level

Grammar - Use capital letters when necessary and check your spelling!

College UCAS Buzzword – **freeman44**