



**QUEEN'S
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Information for Students, Parents and Guardians

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Welcome to Queen's

The COVID-19 pandemic has had a significant impact on all of our lives. During this difficult time we want to reassure you that we have taken significant measures to make the process of transitioning to higher education easier for you.

You may have found you have had to quickly re-adjust to planning for your new life at university. We are fully committed to helping students progress and for this reason we will apply maximum flexibility in our admissions criteria where we can. We have also taken the unprecedented step of providing additional places for our local students for the Academic Year 2020-21.

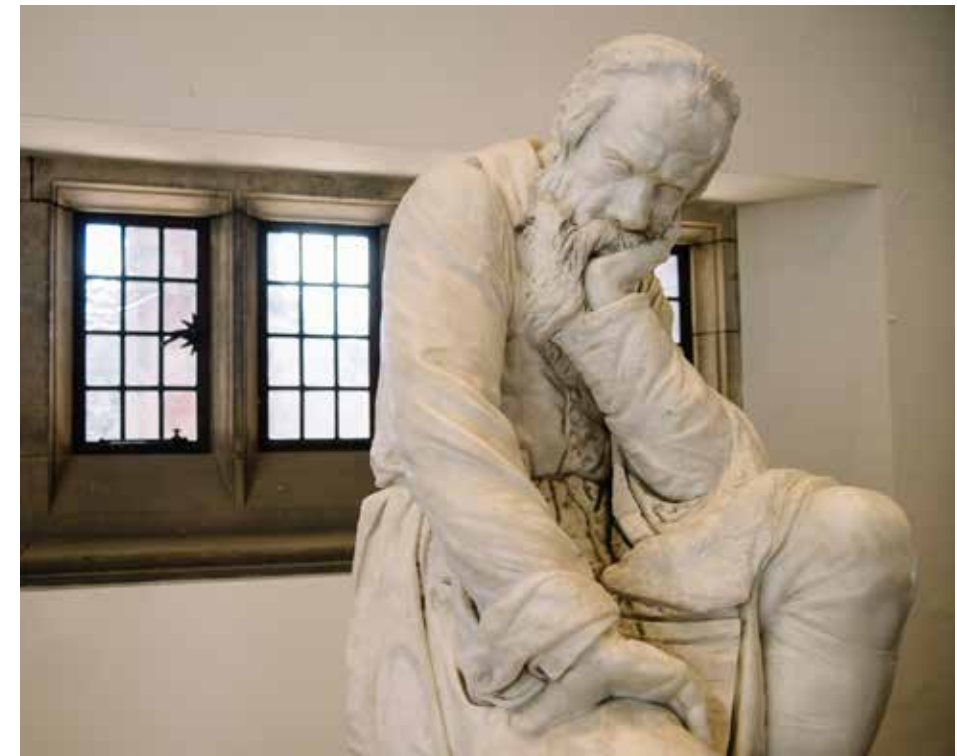
Your wellbeing and future success are key priorities for us and this guide will help you make the right choice during these challenging times. Whether you have already applied to Queen's or would like to study with us in the future, we believe it all starts here at Queen's.

We look forward to welcoming our Undergraduates to Queen's in the next academic year, which we plan to commence in September 2020. We will continue to provide a world-class university experience in a safe campus environment. From our innovative approaches to learning and teaching, to the online delivery of classes and a commitment to health and wellbeing, I am confident we will emerge even stronger from these uncertain times.

We hope you will join us.



Professor Ian Greer
President and Vice-Chancellor



We're here for you

It's not too late to apply

At this difficult time, we hope this 'How To' Guide, will answer some of the questions you might have. The really good news is that we are still open for business.

Remember, it's still not too late to apply and we are actively seeking new applicants. Our accommodation,

manned by dedicated staff 24/7, with full provisions for dealing with the current crisis, is also still open.

It's important we all stay engaged and we would encourage you to get in touch with our dedicated student recruitment team and stay up-to-date with [life at Queen's](#).

If you have any questions, just get in touch in with student recruitment team
studentrecruitment@qub.ac.uk
028 9097 1323

Changing your UCAS choice/What happens if I change my mind?

How to: Change your UCAS choice

What happens if I've changed my mind?

If you are holding an insurance offer or have previously declined an offer at Queen's and wish to explore your options further, make [UCAS your first port of call](#). To change your UCAS choices, they recommend:



1. Contact UCAS and explain you wish to amend your Firm/Insurance choice



2. Next, contact each Institution and explain you wish to amend your Firm/Insurance choice



3. When UCAS have permission from each Institution they will amend your choices

How To: Apply to Queen's for 2020 entry

The good news is that we are still open to new applications* for entry in September 2020 from applicants who have not applied to Queen's

Here's what you need to do:



1. Before making any decisions, or any changes to your current UCAS choices, please contact admissions@qub.ac.uk providing full details of your academic background and course to be considered for, via [UCAS Extra](#)



2. Admissions will advise the applicant/School if the applicant is eligible to be considered



3. An eligible student who decides to progress an application to Queen's should decline any offers they already have and apply to their chosen course via [UCAS Extra](#) using their UCAS Track Account

*(with exception of Medicine, Dentistry, Social Work, Nursing and Midwifery, and Actuarial Science and Risk Management).

Your Application – What Next at Queen's?

For help with changes to applications:

[UCAS has a helpful FAQ.](#)

How To: Find Out More About Queen's

Our [dedicated online hub](#) has all the relevant information and resources including:

STUDENT LIFE EVENTS

Our Student Recruitment Team host events with staff and students talking about Queen's and life in Belfast.

You can also watch, or register to watch, upcoming and pre-recorded virtual webinars.

SUBJECT EVENTS

Hear all about our courses from our academics.

TAKE A VIRTUAL TOUR

See what life at Queen's and Belfast is like for yourself.

HEAR FROM OUR STUDENTS

First-hand experience of studying and adapting to life as a student.

CHAT WITH US

Talking is sometimes better. Our Student Recruitment Team are here to answer your questions.

FEES AND FUNDING

Get the latest advice on financial support arrangements



Staying Safe

OUR CAMPUS IS A SAFE CAMPUS

We've implemented all Government and Scientific advice regarding COVID-19. When our planned return to teaching in September commences, we will continue to apply social distancing and hygiene measures to ensure the safety of students.

CONNECTED LEARNING

Online delivery of classes will be fully complemented with face-to-face teaching, following the latest public health advice in our friendly campus, community environment.

Accommodation Open

Applications for the September 2020-21 Academic Year are now open. First-year students from Northern Ireland are guaranteed an offer of accommodation.

[Here's how to get a room](#)

We understand that you may have questions about accommodations in light of Covid-19. Relevant safety measures will ensure all students' safety and comfort. Please do get in touch with us [if you have any questions](#).



Coronavirus FAQs

To review the latest guidance [visit our FAQs](#).

Our dedicated Student Recruitment Team

We would encourage students to get in touch:

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