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NO. 1
A-LEVEL COLLEGE
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OXFORD
INTERNATIONAL COLLEGE

Online University Preparation Programme

In partnership with



The Global Space
Design Challenge

Our Course

The programme is designed for students anywhere in the world who are targeting top-ranking universities such as **University of Cambridge, University of Oxford, Imperial College London, London School of Economics**, and **University College London** in the UK, the **Ivy League colleges** in the USA, or any other elite university around the world.

The programme is built on Oxford International College's **Three Pillars of Success** that have led the school to the number one number one A-level ranking in the UK.

The Pillars are:

- Academic excellence
- Careers knowledge and preparation
- Personal development beyond the school curriculum



The **University Preparation Programme** combines three of the UK's most innovative and impactful educational offerings into a single unique experience:

- **Oxford International College's** highly successful University Preparation Programme, which has delivered unparalleled university destinations - this year it has achieved 100% success rates for applications to medical school in the UK and worldwide, and G5 universities (Oxford, Cambridge, Imperial, UCL, LSE).
- The unique **Global Space Design Challenge** at Imperial College London, delivered by some of the world's leading academics.
- InvestIN Education's highly sought-after online Internships offering a practical insight into the following careers: **Architecture, Computer Science, Medicine, Engineering, Entrepreneurship, Film Making, Investment Banking, Law, Politics, and Psychology**. This is a highly recommended optional package bolt-on charged at the reduced rate of £300 per student.

We are delivering the course in partnership with:



GLOBAL SPACE DESIGN CHALLENGE

This course was designed by Yasmin Sarwar, Chief Education Officer of Oxford International College and world-class educator with a perfect university admission streak.

As of 2020, 100% of her students were successful in securing a Russell Group university offer.



Course dates:

**Two-week course:
July 6th – July 17th 2020**

**Four-week course:
July 6th – July 31st 2020**

**Six-week course:
July 6th – Aug 14th 2020**

Yasmin Sarwar joined Oxford International College in 2017 as its Chief Education Officer. Under her academic leadership, OIC has gained global recognition as UK's Number 1 A-Level college. She is also the co-founder of a school named 'Britain's brainiest school' for topping the A-Level tables for nine consecutive years.

Throughout her nearly 20-year career, Ms Sarwar has sent over 350 students to medical schools and over 250 to world-class institutions including Oxford, Cambridge, London School of Economics, Imperial College London, Harvard, and Hong Kong University. Ms Sarwar is on the interview panel at several top Russell Group Universities, enabling her to design successful personalised academic and career plans for students.



For enquiries and bookings for the University Preparation Programme reach out to shortcourses@oxcoll.com

2019 Graduate Destinations

University of Cambridge

Medicine; Engineering; Law; Computer Science

Imperial College London

Medicine; Chemistry with Medicinal Chemistry; Biochemistry; Engineering; Design Engineering; Civil Engineering; Physics with Theoretical Physics

University College London

Medicine; Philosophy, Politics, and Economics; Economics; Psychology; Computer Science; Biochemical Engineering; Mathematical Computation; Physics

London School of Economics

Philosophy, Politics and Economics; Politics and Economics; Financial Mathematics and Statistics; Economics

Chinese University of Hong Kong

Medicine; Quantitative Finance

Hong Kong University

Medicine

National University of Singapore

Medicine

Durham University

Law

King's College London

Medicine

Oxford International College is a world-famous admissions expert.

2019

75% of students obtained **A*AA** or better in their A-Level examinations

100% success rate into **Medical schools**

60% of the cohort have progressed into **Cambridge, Imperial, LSE, UCL**

25% success rate for entry to the **University of Cambridge**

100% success to **Russell Group universities**

100% success rate into medicine and law at **Chinese University of Hong Kong**

100% success rate into medicine and law at **Hong Kong University**

2020

UCL success rates: **85%** non-medicine, **24%** medicine

Imperial success rates: **55%** non-medicine, **14%** medicine

45% overall **G5 universities** success rate

50% **University of Oxford** success rate (32.1% to Oxbridge)

63% **LSE** success rate

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Learn more here at www.bucksmore.com.



Key Programme Elements

Oxford International College's University Preparation Programme has five unique parts that supports students to achieve academic success.

Personal Statement Preparation

The personal statement is your first opportunity to show an admissions tutor who you are, and why they should consider you for a place at their university.

Over the course of the programme, you will be able to **hone their personal statement to a finished article**. You will be given sessions on writing skills for a personal statement and will have one-to-one sessions with skilled tutors who have years of experience in advising students in your specific subject.

Admission Test Preparation

The admissions test is a key part of the application process. Most courses at Oxford, Cambridge and other top UK universities require an admissions test, as well as all Medical Schools and Dentistry courses.

Excelling in Admissions Tests shows an admissions tutor how you think, the knowledge that you have learned, and your ability to apply this knowledge to new and unexpected situations.

During the programme you will be taught the different skills required to do well: **Problem Solving, Verbal Reasoning, Critical Thinking, Essay Writing, Mathematical Reasoning, and General Science** (if required). By the end of the course you will sit **mock admissions tests with substantial feedback** from expert tutors on how to improve for the real exam.

Academic Enrichment

The best way to demonstrate your interest in your chosen subject is to show what you have learned outside of what would normally be covered in school. For subjects taught in school, this could be reading outside of the syllabus. For courses not taught in schools, it is showing how you can link your current learning to the course.

The Academic Enrichment Programme provides you with the **opportunity to learn new topics** that would normally be taught in detail at university. It also gives you the chance to **discuss your interests with other similarly ambitious students**, and shows you **how to select good literature** to read as preparation for studying the course at university.

University Interview Preparation

With every course at Oxford, Cambridge, and other top ranking universities, as well as all medical schools and dentistry courses requiring an interview, this is your final chance to prove that you deserve a place on these courses. You will watch model interviews, acted out by tutors who have gone through the experience themselves, and will receive written model answers to questions, including - the thinking process that they went through to arrive at the correct answer. You will also receive one to one practice interviews, with detailed feedback on each question asked, and at the end of the course you will have mock panel interviews replicating the interview process as closely as possible.

UCAS Preparation

During this programme you will be taught the skills essential for any successful university application. You will be guided through the UCAS application form, showing you examples of good applications, including what activities and awards to include, as well as what to avoid.



The Global Space Design Challenge

The Global Space Design Challenge is an intensive 3-day competition designed and delivered by academics from Imperial College London. **Imperial College London** is the only university in the UK to focus solely on science, engineering, medicine and business.

The Global Space Design Challenge offers participants a chance to learn from teachers at Imperial College London and industry experts, as well as the opportunity to read outside of the normal school curriculum – a factor crucial to any strong university application. You will experience a unique opportunity to **learn design, presentation and communication skills in an industry setting.**

As a participant you will:

- **Work as a team** to design a settlement in space set up to 70 years in the future
- **Experience the challenges** of working in a large industrial company;
- **Take your subject knowledge to the next level** through a challenging academic programme that balances lectures, seminars and a high level of practical work;
- **Receive mentoring and lectures** from world-class academics and industry experts.

For more information visit:

<https://gspacedc.com/programme/>



InvestIN

InvestIN is a London-based organisation led by a group of experienced professionals from some of the world's most competitive careers. InvestIN provides students with **an immersive experience of their dream career** before they start university so they can get a head-start over their competition. InvestIN will be offering students a **three-day online academic internships.** You can participate in an internship with industry professionals to apply their knowledge.

Internships courses offered include (but allow up to 12 different industries):

- Computer Science
8-10 August
- Entrepreneurship
8-10 August
- Medicine
1-3 August / 29- 31 August
- Investment Banking
1-3 August / 29-31 August
- Engineering
1-3 August / August 29-31
- Law
1-3 August / 29-31 August

Find out more about InvestIN programmes at:
<https://investin.org/collections/all>

Course Details

Base two-week programme includes:

- Seminars and masterclasses
- 3.5 hours of one-to-one classes (personal statements and one-to-one interviews)
- Weekend Global Space Design Competition
- Optional InvestIN Digital Internship seminars from industry professionals

Fee: £1970

Key outcomes:

- First draft of personal statement
- Fundamental understanding of UK university applications.
- Sample admissions tests
- Basic interview preparation
- Bridging content beyond school syllabus.

Age group for all courses: 15-19

Extended four-week programme includes:

- Seminars and masterclasses
- 7 hours of one-to-one classes (personal statements and one-to-one interviews)
- Weekend Global Space Design Competition
- **Admissions Test Simulation Day**
- **Optional InvestIN Digital Internship**
- **Seminars from industry professionals**

Fee: £3743

Key outcomes:

- Completed personal statement
- Fundamental understanding of UK university applications.
- Solid understanding of UK admissions tests
- Understanding of university interview styles
- Bridging content beyond your school syllabus

Comprehensive six-week programme includes:

- Seminars and masterclasses
- 10.5 hours of one-to-one classes (personal statements and one-to-one interviews)
- Weekend Global Space Design Competition
- **Admissions Test Simulation Day**
- **Two-panel Oxbridge-style mock interviews**
- **Optional InvestIN Digital Internship**
- **Seminars from industry professionals**

Fee: £5023

Key outcomes:

- Completed and refined personal statement
- Strong understanding of UK university applications.
- Advanced understanding of UK Admissions Tests
- Extensive understanding of university interview styles
- Bridging content beyond your school syllabus including introduction to first year of degree-level content

Course Details

Sample timetable for a two-week course:

	0800 - 0825	0830 - 0855	0900 - 0925	0930 - 0955	1030 - 1150	1200 - 1320
Week 1						
Monday	Course Welcome (CD) (Seminar)		Introduction to Personal Statements (Seminar)		Introduction to Admissions Tests and University Interviews (Seminar)	The UK education system (Seminar)
Tuesday	Personal Statement (Small Groups)	Personal Statement refinement (Self Study)	Personal Statement (Small Groups)	Personal Statement refinement (Self Study)	Advanced Science (BRIDGING)	Guest Speaker from Industry (Seminar)
Wednesday	Interview Preparation (Small Groups)	Personal Statement refinement (Self Study)	Interview Preparation (Small Groups)	Personal Statement refinement (Self Study)	Getting into the UK's top Universities (Seminar)	Advanced Science (BRIDGING)
Thursday	Personal Statement (Small Groups)	Personal Statement refinement (Self Study)	Personal Statement (Small Groups)	Personal Statement refinement (Self Study)	Advanced Science (BRIDGING)	Admissions Test Training (Group Work)
Friday	Admissions Test Preparation (Small Groups)		Admissions Test Practice Questions (Self Study)		Global Space Design Challenge (Introduction Sessions)	
Saturday / Sunday	GLOBAL SPACE DESIGN CHALLENGE WEEKEND					
Week 2						
Monday	Personal Statement (1-2-1)	Personal Statement refinement (Self Study)	Personal Statement (1-2-1)	Personal Statement refinement (Self Study)	Problem Solving Skills (Seminar)	Guest Speaker from Industry (Seminar)
Tuesday	Interview Preparation (1-2-1)	Personal Statement refinement (Self Study)	Interview Preparation (1-2-1)	Personal Statement refinement (Self Study)	Essay Writing Skills (Workshop 2)	Advanced Science (BRIDGING)
Wednesday	Admissions Test Preparation Feedback (Small Groups)		Personal Statement refinement (Self Study)		UCAS and the Application Process	Critical Thinking Skills (Seminar 2)
Thursday	Personal Statement (1-2-1)	Personal Statement refinement (Self Study)	Personal Statement (1-2-1)	Personal Statement refinement (Self Study)	Advanced Science (BRIDGING)	Guest Speaker from an Academic (Seminar)
Friday	Personal Statement refinement (Self Study)		Break	Personal Statement final feedback (1-2-1)	Admissions Test Preparation (Small Groups)	Course farewell



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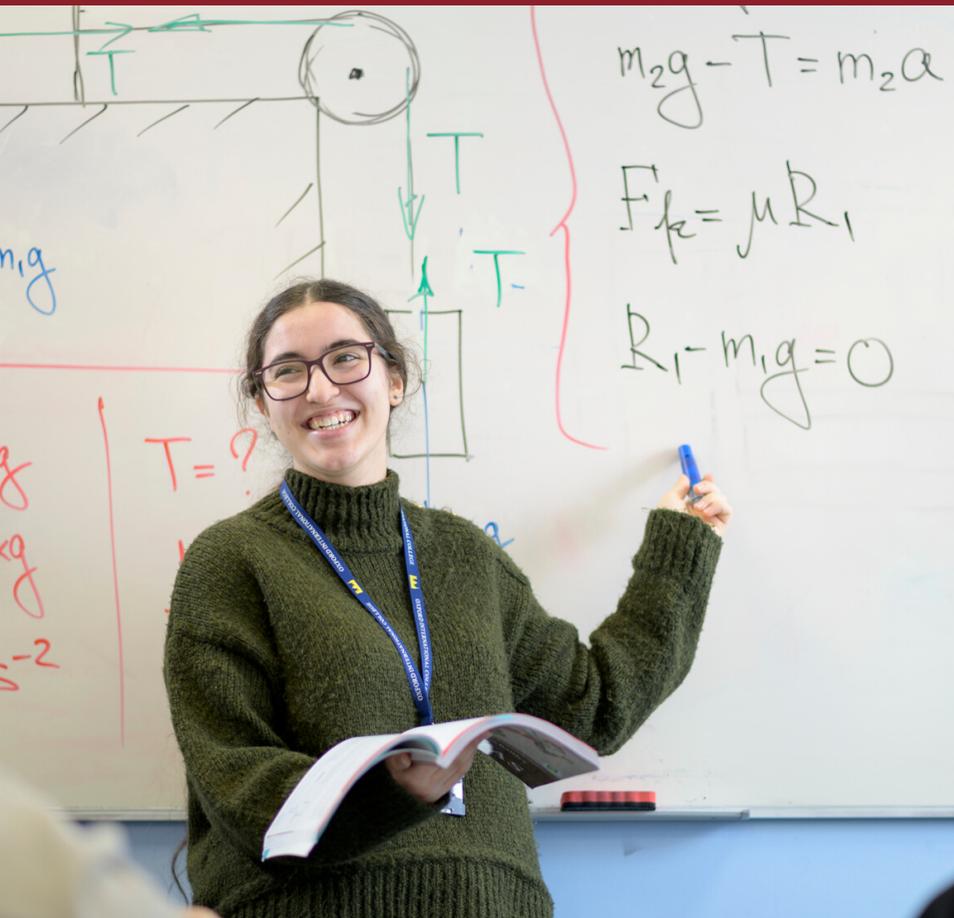


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STUDENT CONTACT DETAILS

(PLEASE WRITE IN CAPITALS)

FIRST NAME:

SURNAME:

EMAIL ADDRESS:

PARENT EMAIL ADDRESS:

MOBILE PHONE NUMBER:

COUNTRY:

WHICH MAJOR DO YOU PLAN TO STUDY IN THE FUTURE?

(E.G. ENGINEERING, MEDICINE, ARCHITECTURE...): _____

LIST FIVE TOP UNIVERSITIES THAT YOU WANT TO APPLY TO:

I WOULD LIKE TO STUDY (TICK ONE):

- TWO-WEEK COURSE (JULY 6TH – JULY 17TH 2020)
- FOUR-WEEK COURSE (JULY 6TH – JULY 31ST 2020)
- SIX-WEEK COURSE (JULY 6TH – AUG 14TH 2020)

I WISH TO ADD THE INVESTIN DIGITAL INTERNSHIP (TICK YES/NO):

- Yes
- No

I WISH TO CHOOSE THE FOLLOWING DIGITAL INTERNSHIP (TICK ONE):

- The Young Architect Summer Internship
- The Young Computer Scientist Summer Internship
- The Young Doctor Summer Internship
- The Young Engineer Summer Internship
- The Young Entrepreneur Summer Internship
- The Young Filmmaker Summer Internship
- The Young Investment Banker Summer Internship
- The Young Lawyer Summer Internship
- The Young Political Leader Summer Internship
- The Young Psychologist Summer Internship