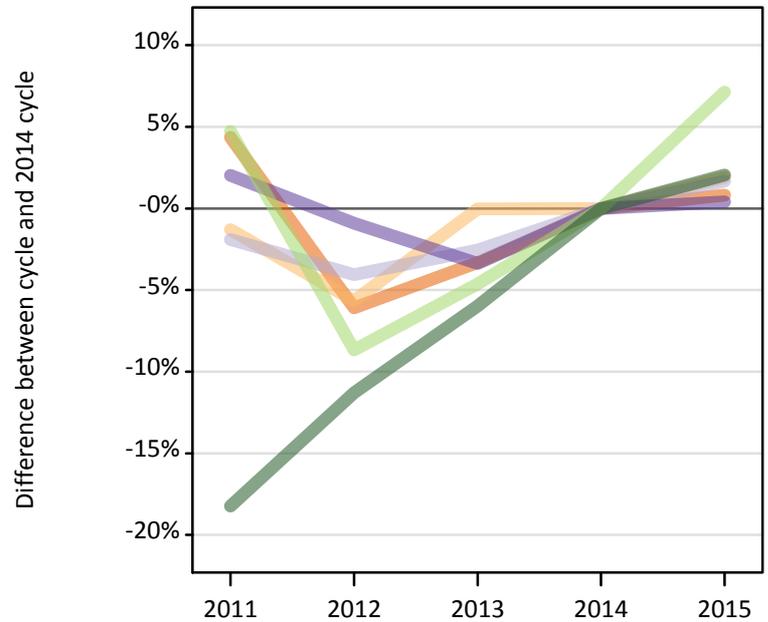


Applicants at the 30 June deadline (2015 cycle - No Scot. X1)

IX.1 Applicants for all courses by domicile group Difference between cycle and 2014 cycle

- England
- Northern Ireland
- Scotland
- Wales
- EU (excluding UK)
- Not EU



IX.2 Applicants for all courses by domicile group

| Domicile of applicant | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
|-----------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| England | 476,770 | 429,100 | 441,790 | 456,920 | 460,640 |
| Northern Ireland | 20,030 | 19,150 | 20,290 | 20,300 | 20,680 |
| Scotland | 42,950 | 42,000 | 42,670 | 43,780 | 44,510 |
| Wales | 23,920 | 23,240 | 22,660 | 23,450 | 23,540 |
| --UK | 563,680 | 513,480 | 527,410 | 544,450 | 549,380 |
| EU (excluding UK) | 47,520 | 41,440 | 43,280 | 45,380 | 48,610 |
| Not EU | 56,470 | 61,250 | 64,940 | 69,060 | 70,470 |
| --All | 667,660 | 616,180 | 635,630 | 658,880 | 668,460 |

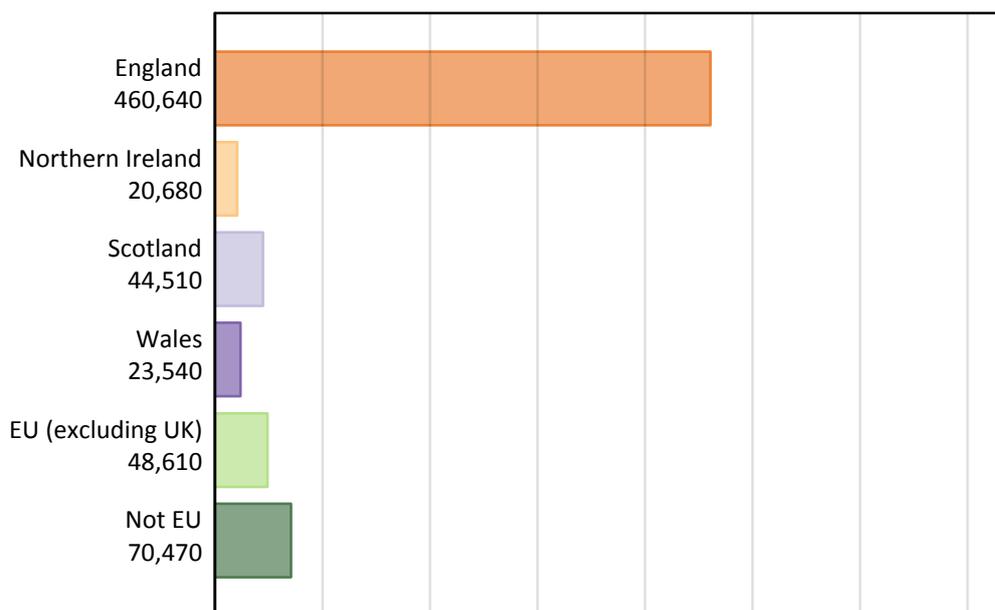
IX.3 Applicants for all courses by domicile group Difference between cycle and 2014 cycle

| Domicile of applicant | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
|-----------------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| England | 4% | -6% | -3% | 0% | 1% |
| Northern Ireland | -1% | -6% | 0% | 0% | 2% |
| Scotland | -2% | -4% | -3% | 0% | 2% |
| Wales | 2% | -1% | -3% | 0% | 0% |
| --UK | 4% | -6% | -3% | 0% | 1% |
| EU (excluding UK) | 5% | -9% | -5% | 0% | 7% |
| Not EU | -18% | -11% | -6% | 0% | 2% |
| --All | 1% | -6% | -4% | 0% | 1% |

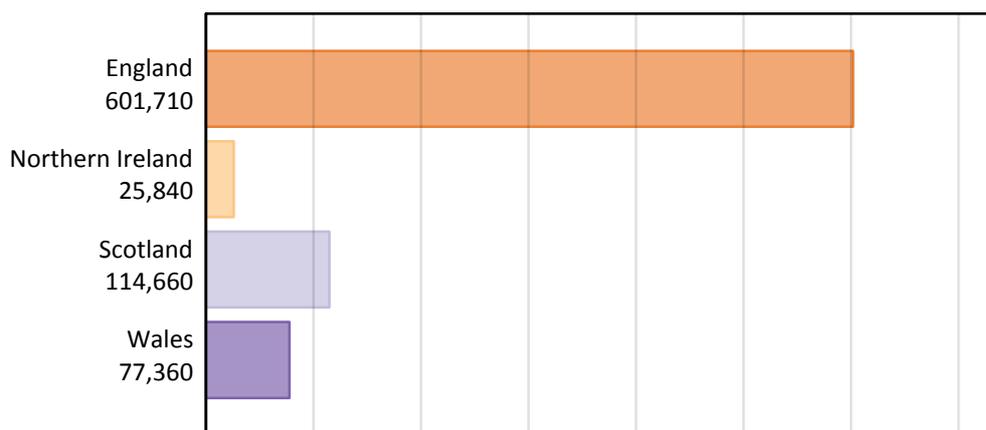
IX.4 Applicants for all courses by country of domicile and provider , 2015 cycle

| Domicile of applicant | Country of provider | | | | |
|-----------------------|---------------------|------------------|----------|--------|---------|
| | England | Northern Ireland | Scotland | Wales | UK |
| England | 459,220 | 3,270 | 29,530 | 44,270 | 460,640 |
| Northern Ireland | 10,690 | 18,440 | 5,240 | 1,040 | 20,680 |
| Scotland | 4,520 | 210 | 43,720 | 220 | 44,510 |
| Wales | 17,110 | 110 | 860 | 18,290 | 23,540 |
| --UK | 491,540 | 22,010 | 79,350 | 63,820 | 549,380 |
| EU (excluding UK) | 41,330 | 1,920 | 18,930 | 4,840 | 48,610 |
| Not EU | 68,840 | 1,900 | 16,380 | 8,710 | 70,470 |
| --All | 601,710 | 25,840 | 114,660 | 77,360 | 668,460 |

IX.5 Applicants for all courses by domicile group



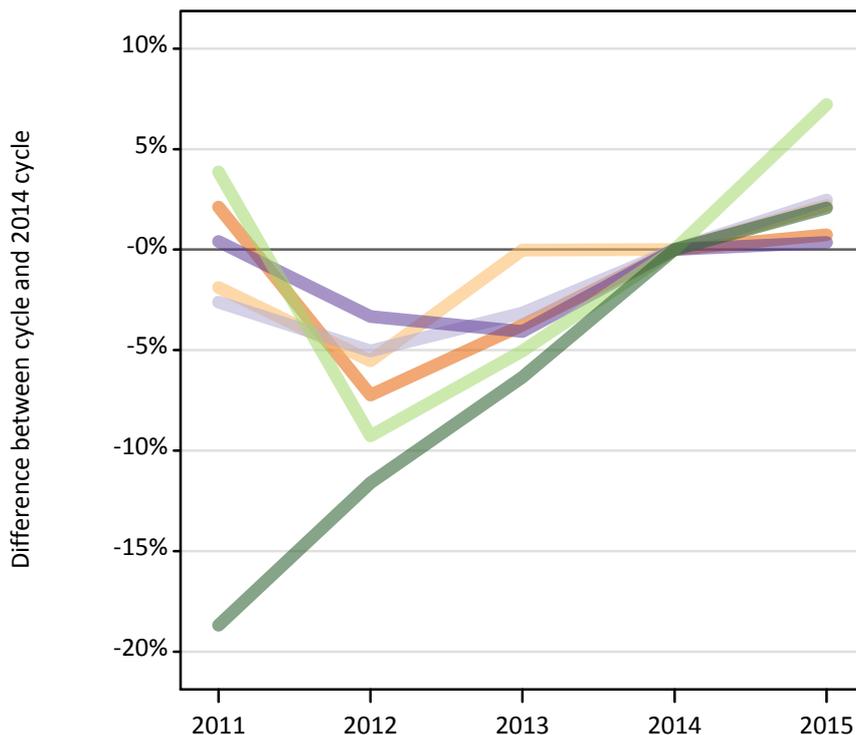
IX.6 Applicants for all courses by country of provider



IX.7 Applicants for all courses by country of domicile and provider

| Domicile of applicant | Country of provider | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
|-----------------------|---------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| England | England | 475,760 | 428,260 | 440,840 | 455,910 | 459,220 |
| | Northern Ireland | 1,830 | 2,130 | 2,320 | 2,670 | 3,270 |
| | Scotland | 26,420 | 24,930 | 28,530 | 29,000 | 29,530 |
| | Wales | 42,980 | 37,520 | 41,320 | 43,660 | 44,270 |
| | UK | 476,770 | 429,100 | 441,790 | 456,920 | 460,640 |
| Northern Ireland | England | 11,480 | 9,900 | 10,370 | 10,460 | 10,690 |
| | Northern Ireland | 17,090 | 16,840 | 17,900 | 18,000 | 18,440 |
| | Scotland | 5,980 | 5,100 | 5,910 | 5,320 | 5,240 |
| | Wales | 1,150 | 970 | 1,160 | 1,040 | 1,040 |
| | UK | 20,030 | 19,150 | 20,290 | 20,300 | 20,680 |
| Scotland | England | 5,150 | 4,340 | 4,410 | 4,450 | 4,520 |
| | Northern Ireland | 190 | 180 | 170 | 130 | 210 |
| | Scotland | 42,010 | 41,210 | 41,930 | 43,030 | 43,720 |
| | Wales | 350 | 220 | 220 | 230 | 220 |
| | UK | 42,950 | 42,000 | 42,670 | 43,780 | 44,510 |
| Wales | England | 15,530 | 15,870 | 15,750 | 16,670 | 17,110 |
| | Northern Ireland | 80 | 90 | 80 | 90 | 110 |
| | Scotland | 840 | 860 | 840 | 880 | 860 |
| | Wales | 19,740 | 18,670 | 18,060 | 18,390 | 18,290 |
| | UK | 23,920 | 23,240 | 22,660 | 23,450 | 23,540 |
| --UK | England | 507,920 | 458,370 | 471,370 | 487,480 | 491,540 |
| | Northern Ireland | 19,180 | 19,240 | 20,470 | 20,880 | 22,010 |
| | Scotland | 75,250 | 72,100 | 77,210 | 78,220 | 79,350 |
| | Wales | 64,220 | 57,370 | 60,760 | 63,320 | 63,820 |
| | UK | 563,680 | 513,480 | 527,410 | 544,450 | 549,380 |
| EU (excluding UK) | England | 41,550 | 34,320 | 35,770 | 38,070 | 41,330 |
| | Northern Ireland | 2,220 | 2,040 | 2,010 | 2,010 | 1,920 |
| | Scotland | 16,840 | 18,020 | 18,830 | 18,690 | 18,930 |
| | Wales | 4,460 | 3,670 | 4,020 | 4,380 | 4,840 |
| | UK | 47,520 | 41,440 | 43,280 | 45,380 | 48,610 |
| Not EU | England | 54,700 | 59,650 | 63,160 | 67,380 | 68,840 |
| | Northern Ireland | 800 | 970 | 1,120 | 1,500 | 1,900 |
| | Scotland | 11,620 | 13,780 | 14,580 | 15,730 | 16,380 |
| | Wales | 6,280 | 6,460 | 7,620 | 8,740 | 8,710 |
| | UK | 56,470 | 61,250 | 64,940 | 69,060 | 70,470 |
| --All | England | 604,170 | 552,340 | 570,290 | 592,920 | 601,710 |
| | Northern Ireland | 22,190 | 22,250 | 23,600 | 24,400 | 25,840 |
| | Scotland | 103,710 | 103,890 | 110,620 | 112,640 | 114,660 |
| | Wales | 74,960 | 67,510 | 72,390 | 76,430 | 77,360 |
| | UK | 667,660 | 616,180 | 635,630 | 658,880 | 668,460 |

IX.8 First time applicants for all courses by domicile group
Difference between cycle and 2014 cycle



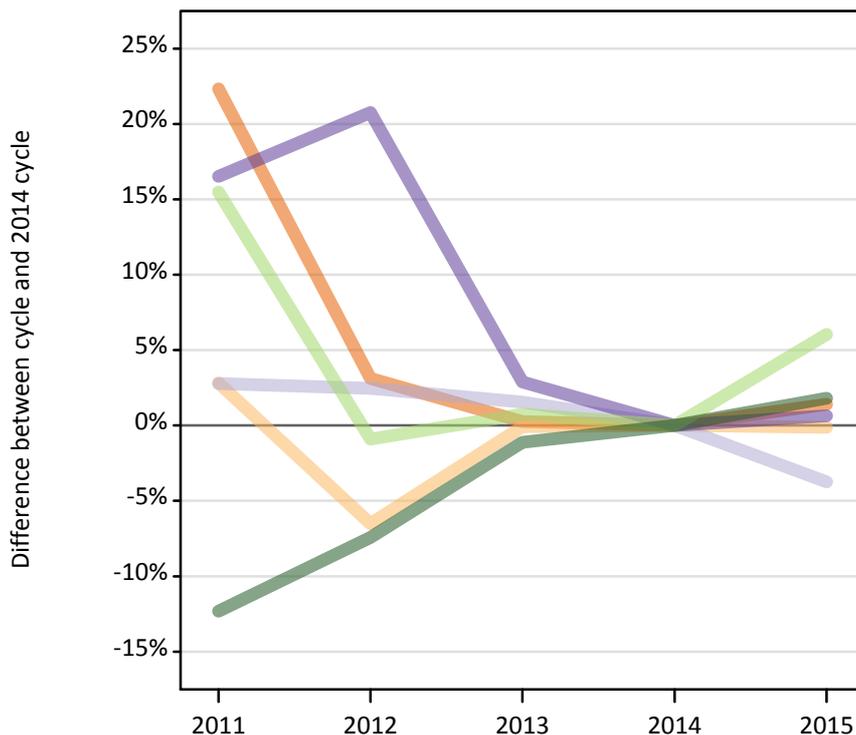
IX.9 First time applicants for all courses by domicile group

| Domicile of applicant | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
|-----------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| England | 415,170 | 377,160 | 391,300 | 406,560 | 409,580 |
| Northern Ireland | 17,450 | 16,790 | 17,780 | 17,780 | 18,170 |
| Scotland | 37,070 | 36,150 | 36,870 | 38,070 | 39,010 |
| Wales | 21,180 | 20,390 | 20,240 | 21,100 | 21,170 |
| --UK | 490,870 | 450,500 | 466,180 | 483,500 | 487,930 |
| EU (excluding UK) | 43,700 | 38,170 | 39,950 | 42,070 | 45,110 |
| Not EU | 52,180 | 56,730 | 60,100 | 64,170 | 65,500 |
| --All | 586,750 | 545,400 | 566,230 | 589,740 | 598,540 |

IX.10 First time applicants for all courses by domicile group
Difference between cycle and 2014 cycle

| Domicile of applicant | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
|-----------------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| England | 2% | -7% | -4% | 0% | 1% |
| Northern Ireland | -2% | -6% | 0% | 0% | 2% |
| Scotland | -3% | -5% | -3% | 0% | 2% |
| Wales | 0% | -3% | -4% | 0% | 0% |
| --UK | 2% | -7% | -4% | 0% | 1% |
| EU (excluding UK) | 4% | -9% | -5% | 0% | 7% |
| Not EU | -19% | -12% | -6% | 0% | 2% |
| --All | -1% | -8% | -4% | 0% | 1% |

IX.11 Reappliers for all courses by domicile group Difference between cycle and 2014 cycle



IX.12 Reappliers for all courses by domicile group

| Domicile of applicant | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
|-----------------------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| England | 61,600 | 51,930 | 50,490 | 50,360 | 51,060 |
| Northern Ireland | 2,590 | 2,350 | 2,520 | 2,520 | 2,510 |
| Scotland | 5,870 | 5,850 | 5,800 | 5,710 | 5,500 |
| Wales | 2,740 | 2,840 | 2,420 | 2,360 | 2,370 |
| --UK | 72,800 | 62,980 | 61,230 | 60,940 | 61,450 |
| EU (excluding UK) | 3,820 | 3,280 | 3,330 | 3,310 | 3,510 |
| Not EU | 4,290 | 4,520 | 4,830 | 4,890 | 4,980 |
| --All | 80,910 | 70,780 | 69,400 | 69,140 | 69,930 |

IX.13 Reappliers for all courses by domicile group Difference between cycle and 2014 cycle

| Domicile of applicant | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
|-----------------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| England | 22% | 3% | 0% | 0% | 1% |
| Northern Ireland | 3% | -7% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| Scotland | 3% | 2% | 2% | 0% | -4% |
| Wales | 17% | 21% | 3% | 0% | 1% |
| --UK | 19% | 3% | 0% | 0% | 1% |
| EU (excluding UK) | 15% | -1% | 1% | 0% | 6% |
| Not EU | -12% | -7% | -1% | 0% | 2% |
| --All | 17% | 2% | 0% | 0% | 1% |

IX.14 Applicants for all courses by country of domicile and age group

Selected age groups split by first time applicants and reapplicants

| Domicile of applicant | Age group | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|
| England | 18 | 224,440 | 215,180 | 217,540 | 223,560 | 232,360 |
| | 19 | 94,500 | 76,940 | 86,730 | 88,470 | 89,320 |
| | 19 First time applicant | 61,700 | 51,930 | 60,120 | 63,350 | 63,910 |
| | 19 Reapplicant | 32,800 | 25,020 | 26,600 | 25,130 | 25,410 |
| Northern Ireland | 18 | 11,960 | 11,700 | 11,700 | 11,500 | 11,980 |
| | 19 | 3,110 | 2,760 | 3,040 | 3,120 | 3,170 |
| | 19 First time applicant | 1,320 | 1,190 | 1,290 | 1,560 | 1,540 |
| | 19 Reapplicant | 1,790 | 1,570 | 1,740 | 1,560 | 1,630 |
| Scotland | 18 | 19,110 | 18,850 | 18,910 | 19,320 | 19,520 |
| | 19 | 5,560 | 5,590 | 5,520 | 5,500 | 5,730 |
| | 19 First time applicant | 2,960 | 3,010 | 2,980 | 3,090 | 3,270 |
| | 19 Reapplicant | 2,600 | 2,580 | 2,540 | 2,410 | 2,460 |
| Wales | 18 | 11,630 | 11,430 | 11,120 | 11,540 | 11,930 |
| | 19 | 4,320 | 4,140 | 4,150 | 4,310 | 4,210 |
| | 19 First time applicant | 2,830 | 2,690 | 2,960 | 3,100 | 3,010 |
| | 19 Reapplicant | 1,480 | 1,450 | 1,190 | 1,200 | 1,200 |

IX.15 Applicants for all courses by country of domicile and age group

Difference between cycle and 2014 cycle for selected age groups split by first time applicants and reapplicants

| Domicile of applicant | Age group | 2011 | 2012 | 2013 | 2014 | 2015 |
|-----------------------|-------------------------|------|------|------|------|------|
| England | 18 | 0% | -4% | -3% | 0% | 4% |
| | 19 | 7% | -13% | -2% | 0% | 1% |
| | 19 First time applicant | -3% | -18% | -5% | 0% | 1% |
| | 19 Reapplicant | 31% | 0% | 6% | 0% | 1% |
| Northern Ireland | 18 | 4% | 2% | 2% | 0% | 4% |
| | 19 | 0% | -12% | -3% | 0% | 2% |
| | 19 First time applicant | -15% | -24% | -17% | 0% | -1% |
| | 19 Reapplicant | 15% | 1% | 12% | 0% | 5% |
| Scotland | 18 | -1% | -2% | -2% | 0% | 1% |
| | 19 | 1% | 2% | 0% | 0% | 4% |
| | 19 First time applicant | -4% | -3% | -4% | 0% | 6% |
| | 19 Reapplicant | 8% | 7% | 6% | 0% | 2% |
| Wales | 18 | 1% | -1% | -4% | 0% | 3% |
| | 19 | 0% | -4% | -4% | 0% | -2% |
| | 19 First time applicant | -9% | -13% | -5% | 0% | -3% |
| | 19 Reapplicant | 23% | 20% | -1% | 0% | 0% |

IX.16 Technical notes and definitions

These additional tables have been produced to help comparisons through time, particularly when considering Scottish domiciled applicants and Scottish providers.

In 2015, a set of courses relating to teacher training that historically would only have been available through UCAS Teacher Training, and therefore not previously counted in the scope of this statistical release, were brought into the undergraduate UCAS scheme. These courses are all offered by providers based in Scotland and are in the JACS3 detailed subject reporting grouping of 'X1'. The large majority of applications to these courses are from applicants living in Scotland.

These additional tables exclude any applications made by applicants to subject group 'X1' at Scottish providers and provide a better 'like for like' comparison particularly when considering Scottish domiciled applicants and Scottish providers. The primary deadline applicant statistics which include all applications to Scottish providers are available upon the UCAS website.

Applicants have been able to submit applications for all 2015 courses since early September.

People who submit their applications to UCAS by the January deadline are considered 'on time' applicants for the large majority of courses offered through UCAS. Some art and design courses have a later deadline of 24 March. By definition all main scheme applications have been received by 30 June deadline.

Counts of the number of applicants reported have been rounded to the nearest 10 applicants, this may result in instances where totals do not equal the sum of the components. Proportional changes have been rounded to the nearest whole percentage point.

Age

This statistical release uses country-specific age definitions which align with the cut off points for school/college cohorts within the different administrations of the UK. For England and Wales ages are defined on the 31 August, for Northern Ireland on the 1 July and for Scotland on the 28 February the following year. Defining ages in this way matches the assignment of children to school cohorts. For applicants outside of the UK the cohort cut off for England and Wales has been used.

Applicant

A person who has made an application in the UCAS system during the cycle reported (including applications for deferred entry). Records of prior acceptance (RPAs) are excluded.

Country of provider

An applicant may be counted once for each provider country they have applied to in the main scheme. If an applicant has applied to providers in multiple countries then the applicant is counted once within each country of provider applied to.

This statistical release excludes a small number of applications to a provider based in the EU.

Domicile

Declared area of permanent residence. The Channel Islands and the Isle of Man have been assigned as 'Not EU'.

First time applicant

An applicant that did not apply to the UCAS scheme in the previous cycle.

Main scheme

The main UCAS application scheme through which up to five provider/courses can be applied to. This opens in September and closes to new applications on 30 June the following year.

Reapplicant

An applicant that applied to the UCAS scheme in the previous cycle.