Deadline Applicant Statistics: March



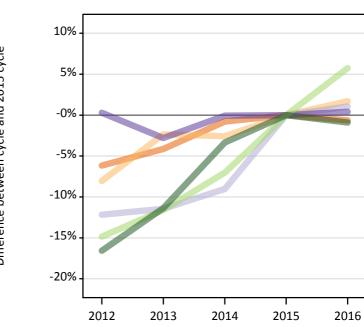
Applicants at the 24 March deadline (2016 cycle)

F.1 Applicants for all courses by domicile group

Difference between cycle and 2015 cycle



Difference between cycle and 2015 cycle



F.2 Applicants for all courses by domicile group

Domicile of applicant	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
England	405,110	413,820	428,250	431,700	428,940
Northern Ireland	18,800	19,960	19,910	20,440	20,780
Scotland	40,980	41,320	42,460	46,670	47,150
Wales	22,130	21,450	22,050	22,070	22,160
UK	487,020	496,550	512,660	520,880	519,030
EU (excluding UK)	38,540	40,030	42,090	45,270	47,870
Not EU	50,060	53,180	58,000	60,000	59,460
All	575,620	589,750	612,750	626,150	626,360

F.3 Applicants for all courses by domicile group

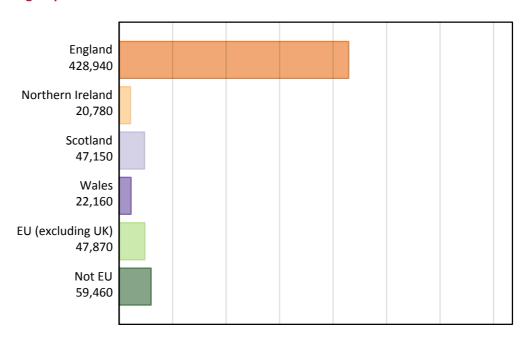
Difference between cycle and 2015 cycle

Domicile of applicant	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
England	-6%	-4%	-1%	0%	-1%
Northern Ireland	-8%	-2%	-3%	0%	2%
Scotland	-12%	-11%	-9%	0%	1%
Wales	0%	-3%	0%	0%	0%
UK	-7%	-5%	-2%	0%	0%
EU (excluding UK)	-15%	-12%	-7%	0%	6%
Not EU	-17%	-11%	-3%	0%	-1%
All	-8%	-6%	-2%	0%	0%

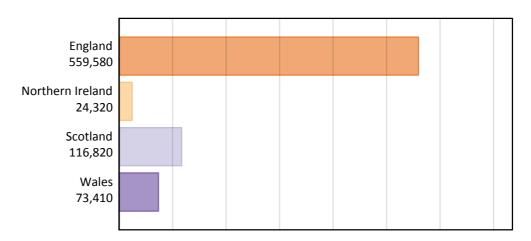
F.4 Applicants for all courses by country of domicile and provider, 2016 cycle

	Country of provider				
Domicile of applicant	England	Northern Ireland	Scotland	Wales	UK
England	428,100	2,470	29,580	43,010	428,940
Northern Ireland	11,220	18,300	5,610	1,250	20,780
Scotland	4,530	200	46,420	200	47,150
Wales	16,630	100	900	17,160	22,160
UK	460,480	21,070	82,500	61,620	519,030
EU (excluding UK)	40,800	1,810	19,260	5,240	47,870
Not EU	58,300	1,450	15,060	6,550	59,460
All	559,580	24,320	116,820	73,410	626,360

F.5 Applicants for all courses by domicile group



F.6 Applicants for all courses by country of provider



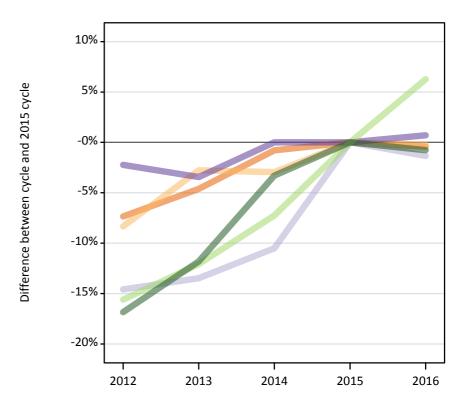
F.7 Applicants for all courses by country of domicile and provider

Domicile of applicant	Country of provider	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
England	England	404,420	413,030	427,450	430,460	428,100
	Northern Ireland	2,100	2,270	2,550	3,090	2,470
	Scotland	24,730	28,340	28,740	29,320	29,580
	Wales	36,790	40,410	42,830	43,450	43,010
	UK	405,110	413,820	428,250	431,700	428,940
Northern Ireland	England	9,770	10,230	10,320	10,550	11,220
	Northern Ireland	16,570	17,660	17,710	18,150	18,300
	Scotland	5,200	6,070	5,360	5,390	5,610
	Wales	960	1,140	1,040	1,030	1,250
	UK	18,800	19,960	19,910	20,440	20,780
Scotland	England	4,170	4,230	4,270	4,340	4,530
	Northern Ireland	180	170	130	200	200
	Scotland	40,300	40,680	41,800	45,970	46,420
	Wales	210	200	210	200	200
	UK	40,980	41,320	42,460	46,670	47,150
Wales	England	15,490	15,350	16,180	16,620	16,630
	Northern Ireland	90	80	90	110	100
	Scotland	860	840	880	860	900
	Wales	17,720	17,030	17,230	17,030	17,160
	UK	22,130	21,450	22,050	22,070	22,160
UK	England	433,840	442,840	458,230	461,970	460,480
	Northern Ireland	18,940	20,180	20,480	21,540	21,070
	Scotland	71,090	75,920	76,770	81,540	82,500
	Wales	55,680	58,770	61,300	61,710	61,620
	UK	487,020	496,550	512,660	520,880	519,030
EU (excluding UK)	England	31,710	32,900	35,140	38,120	40,800
	Northern Ireland	1,970	1,930	1,940	1,850	1,810
	Scotland	17,580	18,310	18,190	18,720	19,260
	Wales	3,330	3,660	3,990	4,350	5,240
	UK	38,540	40,030	42,090	45,270	47,870
Not EU	England	48,990	51,940	56,830	58,800	58,300
	Northern Ireland	700	790	1,160	1,400	1,450
	Scotland	12,050	12,670	13,920	14,650	15,060
	Wales	4,810	5,390	6,870	6,840	6,550
	UK	50,060	53,180	58,000	60,000	59,460
All	England	514,540	527,670	550,190	558,890	559,580
	Northern Ireland	21,610	22,900	23,580	24,800	24,320
	Scotland	100,710	106,890	108,890	114,920	116,820
	Wales	63,820	67,820	72,170	72,890	73,410
	UK	575,620	589,750	612,750	626,150	626,360

F.8 First time applicants for all courses by domicile group

Difference between cycle and 2015 cycle





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

Domicile of applicant	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
England	358,240	368,810	383,630	386,660	385,010
Northern Ireland	16,560	17,560	17,530	18,060	18,020
Scotland	35,300	35,750	36,980	41,330	40,780
Wales	19,520	19,280	19,960	19,960	20,100
UK	429,610	441,400	458,100	466,000	463,910
EU (excluding UK)	35,520	37,000	39,030	42,090	44,720
Not EU	46,480	49,300	54,060	55,890	55,460
All	511,620	527,700	551,190	563,990	564,090

F.10 First time applicants for all courses by domicile group

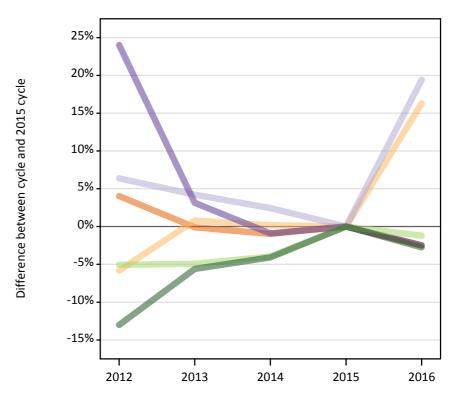
Difference between cycle and 2015 cycle

Domicile of applicant	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
England	-7%	-5%	-1%	0%	0%
Northern Ireland	-8%	-3%	-3%	0%	0%
Scotland	-15%	-13%	-11%	0%	-1%
Wales	-2%	-3%	0%	0%	1%
UK	-8%	-5%	-2%	0%	0%
EU (excluding UK)	-16%	-12%	-7%	0%	6%
Not EU	-17%	-12%	-3%	0%	-1%
All	-9%	-6%	-2%	0%	0%

F.11 Reappliers for all courses by domicile group

Difference between cycle and 2015 cycle





F.12 Reappliers for all courses by domicile group

Domicile of applicant	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
England	46,870	45,010	44,620	45,050	43,930
Northern Ireland	2,240	2,400	2,380	2,380	2,760
Scotland	5,680	5,570	5,470	5,340	6,380
Wales	2,610	2,170	2,090	2,110	2,060
UK	57,400	55,140	54,560	54,870	55,130
EU (excluding UK)	3,020	3,030	3,060	3,180	3,140
Not EU	3,570	3,880	3,940	4,110	4,000
All	64,000	62,050	61,560	62,170	62,270

F.13 Reappliers for all courses by domicile group

Difference between cycle and 2015 cycle

Domicile of applicant	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
England	4%	0%	-1%	0%	-2%
Northern Ireland	-6%	1%	0%	0%	16%
Scotland	6%	4%	2%	0%	19%
Wales	24%	3%	-1%	0%	-2%
UK	5%	0%	-1%	0%	0%
EU (excluding UK)	-5%	-5%	-4%	0%	-1%
Not EU	-13%	-6%	-4%	0%	-3%
All	3%	0%	-1%	0%	0%

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

Selected age groups split by first time applicants and reappliers

Domicile of applicant	Age group	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
England	18	213,220	215,180	221,370	230,160	232,340
	19	73,570	82,410	84,320	84,950	84,100
	19 First time applicant	50,410	57,990	61,430	61,840	61,060
	19 Reapplier	23,160	24,420	22,900	23,110	23,040
Northern Ireland	18	11,690	11,690	11,490	11,960	11,780
	19	2,670	2,950	3,030	3,090	3,520
	19 First time applicant	1,170	1,280	1,540	1,530	1,690
	19 Reapplier	1,500	1,670	1,480	1,550	1,840
Scotland	18	19,040	18,980	19,300	19,500	19,250
	19	5,560	5,410	5,400	5,600	5,850
	19 First time applicant	3,010	2,950	3,050	3,210	3,330
	19 Reapplier	2,560	2,460	2,350	2,390	2,520
Wales	18	11,340	11,020	11,410	11,780	11,830
	19	3,970	3,930	4,070	3,980	4,110
	19 First time applicant	2,610	2,860	3,000	2,890	3,060
	19 Reapplier	1,360	1,080	1,080	1,080	1,040

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

Difference between cycle and 2015 cycle for selected age groups split by first time applicants and reappliers

Domicile of applicant	Age group	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016
England	18	-7%	-7%	-4%	0%	1%
	19	-13%	-3%	-1%	0%	-1%
	19 First time applicant	-18%	-6%	-1%	0%	-1%
	19 Reapplier	0%	6%	-1%	0%	0%
Northern Ireland	18	-2%	-2%	-4%	0%	-1%
	19	-13%	-4%	-2%	0%	14%
	19 First time applicant	-23%	-16%	1%	0%	10%
	19 Reapplier	-3%	7%	-5%	0%	18%
Scotland	18	-2%	-3%	-1%	0%	-1%
	19	-1%	-3%	-4%	0%	4%
	19 First time applicant	-6%	-8%	-5%	0%	4%
	19 Reapplier	7%	3%	-2%	0%	5%
Wales	18	-4%	-6%	-3%	0%	0%
	19	0%	-1%	2%	0%	3%
	19 First time applicant	-10%	-1%	3%	0%	6%
	19 Reapplier	26%	-1%	-1%	0%	-4%

F.16 Technical notes and definitions

Applicants have been able to submit applications for all 2016 courses since early September.

Applicants 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. Almost all main scheme applications have been received by the 24 March 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, this includes those who submit 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 providers/courses can be applied to. This opens in September and closes to new applications on 30 June the following year.

Reapplier

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