Welcome to Lucy Cavendish College!
Student life and the JCR
Meet the JCR!

(it’s a cambridge thing)
What is the JCR?

- JCR stands for Junior Common Room and is actually a physical space!
- The JCR is also a committee - made up of four executive officers and over twenty other officers i.e. Welfare Officer
- The role of the JCR is to be the voice for the students, we are the representatives of your opinions and problems.
- We hold events such as bops (big-organised parties) each term, welfare events and other fun activities to take your mind off the stress of Cambridge!
- The JCR can be considered another branch of support, we know it is often easier for students to talk to other students about their problems than staff.
The Current JCR!

Ents Team + Me!

the JCR on a night out!
Student Life...

DON’T LET YOUR DEGREE BECOME A BURDEN!

MAKE FRIENDS!

TAKE PART IN SOCIETIES

ATTEND EVENTS AND SOCIALS

EXPLORE THE CITY
QUESTIONS?
What happens next?

March
Cambridge Trust – applicants contacted with updates on their application
Student Finance – applications for Student Finance in England, Wales, Scotland and NI open

April
Accommodation – all offer holders will receive a link to our accommodation preference form
Financial Guarantee – offer holders with Overseas fee status will be sent a financial guarantee form

May
31st May – deadline for completing your accommodation preference form

June
6th June – all offer holders must reply to their offer (accept or reject) by this date, or UCAS will automatically reject their offers for them
1st – 30th – Window for sending us your completed Financial Guarantee (1st–30th)

July
1st – 31st – Window for sending your completed exam certificates (1st–31st) to admissionsdocuments@lucy.cam.ac.uk
If you have an English Language condition, you must meet this by 31st July

August
Meet academic terms of your offer by 31st August – Outstanding qualifications must be completed and final, official results received.
What happens next? Subject specific deadlines

**Medicine and Veterinary Medicine**
Health Assessment Form (and Immunisation Record Form for Medics) to be returned directly to Occupational by **29th March**

**Mathematics**
Your registered test centre (usually your school/college) must register you to take **STEP by 4th May**. Entries open from 1st March.

**Classics 3 years**
JACT Summer school for intensive Greek—30th July–12th August
Applications and bursary forms should be submitted by 31st March
[www.greeksummerschool.org](http://www.greeksummerschool.org)

**Classics 4 years**
Summer course in Cambridge
1st – 14th September
What happens next? Mathematics - STEP

**STEP MATHS 2024 TIMELINE**

- **March 2024**: STEP registration opens. Centres can register candidates from this date.
- **April 2024**: Last date to request modified question papers for STEP.
- **May 2024**: STEP registration closes. Last date to request access arrangements for STEP.
- **June 2024**: STEP paper 2 test date**.
- **August 2024**: Last date for results enquiries.
- **August 2024**: STEP test results released.
Applying for student finance in the UK

- Applications open in March
- Apply early – even if you haven’t decided where you would like to study
  - Apply with your preferred choice, you can change this later if needed
- If you think you may be eligible we recommend applying regardless of whether you plan to take the loan(s)

[Website links]

- [https://www.cambridgestudents.cam.ac.uk/cambridge-bursary](https://www.cambridgestudents.cam.ac.uk/cambridge-bursary)
What about visa applications?

• Detailed information on VISA applications will be sent in Spring.

• You can only apply for a VISA once you have received your CAS (Confirmation of Acceptance for Studies) number, which is issued once all conditions of your offer are met (both academic and non-academic) and your place is confirmed.

• Our advice is to ensure you are aware of the VISA application process in your home country, and see whether you can reserve any appointments in advance.

• Information from the International Student Office is available here: www.internationalstudents.cam.ac.uk/student-visa-entry-clearance
I’ve received exam results – what next?

Please email us your exam results! We are NOT notified of your results automatically:

• The vast majority of European qualifications (e.g. the German Abitur, the French Baccalaureate, the Romanian Baccalaureate etc.)
• English language results, including IELTS
• Advanced Placement Tests (APs) and SATs
• Canadian Diplomas
• Hong Kong Diploma
• Indian school leaving certificates
• Australian secondary school certificates
• Degree results

Nothing! We are notified of your results automatically:

• AS and A-levels (including EPQs)
• Cambridge International AS and A-level, including Singapore H1, H2 and H3
• Cambridge Pre-U
• International Baccalaureate
• SQA Highers and Advanced Highers
• Welsh Baccalaureate
• Access to HE
• STEP
Getting to know us further

• Attend our second offer holder webinar - full details on the offer holders page
• Come visit us for a college tour - book via the link on our offer holders page
• Email the admissions team on admissions@lucy.cam.ac.uk
• Check out our social media!
  • Instagram
  • TikTok