The world’s greatest challenges cross disciplines and span continents. To solve them we need people who see things from different perspectives. At the University of Aberdeen, students from over 130 nationalities come together to seek truth and spark change – breaking boundaries for over 500 years.

We go beyond rigid thinking and traditional approaches, as we continue to drive change in the service of our community, our city, and our world.

- **Beyond the classroom**: teaching that is integrated with research, embracing new perspectives, and working together.
- **Beyond schedules**: flexible, supportive learning with academics who are leading their fields.
- **Beyond Scotland**: students, researchers and academics who proactively change thinking, change business, and change the world.

At the University of Aberdeen there are no boundaries for your ideas and their impact.
Beyond measure

13th IN THE UK AND HIGHEST RISING TOP 20 UK UNIVERSITY

Guardian University Guide 2023

1495

Founded

14,500

Students

4th

in the uk for overall student satisfaction

NSS 2022

40

Global top

for environmental impact

Scottish University of the Year

2019

Scottish University

World Class Sporting Facility

Aberdeen Sports Village

2nd

in the uk for sustainable education

1st

in scotland for environmental research impact

International Global Networks

Study exchange opportunities with over 150 partner institutions across the globe

Over

220

Sports clubs and societies

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named one of the most beautiful in the world

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in scotland for research power

In the top

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A place beyond expectations

People have changed the world from Aberdeen for half a millennium. A mix of old and new, urban and rural, connected but independent, our vibrant city is at the centre of global energy transition and at the heart of preventative healthcare.

At Aberdeen, the time is now. From our historic city you can be at the centre of radical, urgent global transitions, and you can help move the world.
Nestled between the sea and the mountains, Aberdeen is a unique student city with something for everyone, proving that it’s worth going that little bit further for something really special.

Close to where you can experience the northern lights, during the summer months you can enjoy glimmers of daylight as late as 11pm. In winter, discover cozy evening cafes down winding, cobbled streets with live music and chilled out, craft beer hideaways. A dynamic, diverse offering of live venues play host to big names in music, comedy, and theatre, from the state-of-the-art P&J live arena to creative, intimate spaces. With a buzzing, cultural scene, we’re also fiercely proud of our home-grown talent, and we don’t need much persuasion to show off local music, food and tradition in an array of festivals throughout the year. Then if you’re looking to blow away the cobwebs, what could be better than a spot of skiing, golfing, paddleboarding or a run along our fantastic beach? Or you can always grab an ice cream and do a spot of dolphin watching. With so much on your doorstep, Aberdeen really is the city beyond expectations.

visitabdn.com
aberdeenperformingarts.com
pandjlive.com
aberdeeninspired.com/festivals
abdn.ac.uk/study/city
Looking to get adventurous? Aberdeen’s location between miles of golden coastline and the Cairngorms National Park means you don’t have to go very far to push your boundaries. Aberdeenshire is home to four of the five highest mountains in Britain and our coastline was named one of the 20 most iconic landscapes in the world by National Geographic. With wild swimming, surfing, snowboarding, paddleboarding and trail cycling all on your doorstep, what else will you discover?

visitabdn.com
Explore beyond a traditional campus

**FORESTERHILL CAMPUS**

- The Polwarth Building
- Institute of Medical Sciences
- The Medical School Library
- Medico-Chirurgical Hall
- Institute of Applied Health Science
- The Suttie Centre (Medical School)
- The Dental School
- Rowett Institute of Nutrition and Health
- Aberdeen Royal Infirmary

**KING’S COLLEGE CAMPUS**

- King’s College
- University Office
- Regent Building
- Sir Duncan Rice Library
- The Student Union Building
- Cruickshank Botanical Gardens
- St. Mary’s Building
- The Old Town House
- Fraser Noble Building
- Zoology Building
- MacRobert Building
- Meston Building
- Aberdeen Sports Village/Aquatics Centre
- Taylor Building
- Edward Wright Building
- William Guild Building
- Old Brewery
- New King’s
- 50/52 College Bounds
- Science Teaching Hub
Go beyond the classroom

The University of Aberdeen is a modern, global, research-led university with a 500-year history of innovation. Our campuses are special. Lively, accessible and connected to both local and global industries that matter.

New King’s, one of our ‘newer’ buildings built in 1913...

Sir Duncan Rice Library, named one of the most beautiful libraries in the world

Student Union Building, home to a range of support services and AUSA

Jointly owned by NHS Grampian and the University of Aberdeen, Foresterhill is one of the largest medical campuses in Europe.

King’s Quad is the historic heart of King’s College, but don’t worry, the classrooms have been updated since 1495!
Go north... for innovation

Our fully digitised, state-of-the-art Science Teaching Hub is designed to provide flexible laboratory spaces to accommodate teaching across disciplines. Advanced laboratory facilities mean you will be using the same high quality equipment found in an industry setting. Collaborative learning spaces allow you to enhance your core science skills in a dynamic environment, giving you the tools you need to thrive in the workplace of the future.

- Digital microscope teaching facilities demonstrated through world-leading interfaces will extend the laboratory environment to the field using innovative and proven blended technologies.
- State-of-the-art analytical tools will provide experience of real world scenarios.
- Digital screens on every workbench will allow in-depth demonstrations to be seen and annotated clearly.
- A completely paperless environment will integrate the virtual learning environment with actual data capture.
- A safe working environment to equip you with the science skills of the future.

abdn.ac.uk/study/student-life/sth

...then follow the north star home

We offer a wide range of accommodation from catered rooms to self-catered flats and with Hillhead Student Village being only a short walk from the main campus and a quick bus ride away from the city centre you’re never far from home.

If you want to explore further afield, Aberdeen boasts an extensive range of student and private accommodation across the city.

University of Aberdeen Accommodation offers:

- Guaranteed accommodation (T&Cs apply)
- Accommodation on or within walking distance of the main campus
- Frequent bus service
- 24hr social and study facilities at Hillhead Student Village
- A dedicated team to provide support and information
- 24/7 maintenance support
- Single study bedrooms
- Wireless network throughout
- Car parking and bike storage facilities
- Limited accommodation for couples and families
- Accessible accommodation

abdn.ac.uk/accommodation

Costs and additional information

- Up-to-date information on the various accommodation offered by the University (including the all-important costs) is available on the accommodation website.
- Applicants who have firmly accepted an offer of admission can apply online for accommodation up to the application deadline. We endeavour to allocate first choice where possible but this is not guaranteed.

For more information and Frequently Asked Questions visit:

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#BoundaryBreakers

Our inspiring alumni go beyond rigid thinking and traditional approaches, making them truly original, world changing #BoundaryBreakers. With their unique ability to think, work and innovate across disciplines, locations and perspectives, our alumni are known for their unique ability to take things further, not only making them stand out to employers, but empowering them with the qualities needed to make real, lasting change.

Adaku Ufere
LLM Law (Oil and Gas). 2012

Adaku is an international energy lawyer and business consultant, with over a decade’s experience leading multicultural and multilingual teams in the structuring, negotiation and implementation of billion-dollar oil & gas, power, gender, mining, infrastructure and energy policy projects in Africa.

Neil Fachie MBE
BSc (Hons) Physics, 2006

Neil is a British multiple gold medallist in the Paralympics, where he competed with the GB Para-Cycling Team and set a world record in the Men’s 1km Time Trial. As if his sporting career wasn’t impressive enough, last year Neil wrote his first book titled ‘Earn Your Stripes’. The book is designed to help readers rise up and reach their potential by applying Neil’s methodology to the challenges they face.

Dr Jolene Moore
MBChB Medicine, 2007
BSc Physiology, 2002

Dr Jolene is a Consultant Anaesthetist at NHS Grampian and works extensively in the field of global anaesthesia. She is actively engaged in capacity building and training initiatives with organisations working to improve surgical and anaesthesia safely across the world, particularly in resource constrained environments.

Reem Masri
BSc (Hons) Neuroscience with Psychology, 2012

After graduating with a BSc in Neuroscience with Psychology, Reem worked in a private clinic before relocating to Lebanon to work with War Child Holland, an international non-governmental organisation that works to improve the resilience and wellbeing of children living with violence and conflict.

Benjamin Karenzi
MSc Oil and Gas Enterprise Management, 2018

Benjamin is the CEO of ZoraBots Africa, specialists in humanoid robots in healthcare, retail, education and research. Zorabots recently deployed Smart Anti-Epidemic Robots in Rwanda’s Covid-19 Special Treatment Centres and other high-footfall areas such as airports to mitigate cross-contamination.

Gayle Mackie
MA History-Spanish, 2000

From MA Spanish and Hispanic Studies to intrepid entrepreneur, Gayle’s linguistic and cultural studies helped her journey from Aberdeen to Andalucia where she launched a successful food related tour business.

Dr Jolene Moore
MBChB Medicine, 2007
BSc Physiology, 2002

...if you are working towards something that truly inspires you, that drive will last a lifetime.

Neil Fachie MBE
Go north to find a community

Your Students’ Union at the University of Aberdeen is here to make your life better while you’re at university. Whether you’re looking for new things to get involved with, exciting events to attend, or want to change the campus around you, we can help!

Sports, clubs, societies and events

Clubs and societies are a huge part of your student experience and a great way to meet new people and try new things. With over 180 societies and 55 sports clubs to choose from, there’s something for everyone. To find out more, get in touch with us at:

activities@abdn.ac.uk

Where we are?

You’ll find us on the ground floor of the Students’ Union Building on Elphinstone Road. Also look out for us at the Aberdeen Sports Village. You can reach us online at:

ausa.org.uk

or email us at:

ausa@abdn.ac.uk

Your voice heard

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Support that goes above and beyond

We want you to have the support you need to reach your full potential. Right from the start, our staff and student support teams will be here to help you.

**Personal Tutors**
On arrival at the University you will be allocated a Personal Tutor (or, for Medicine and Dentistry students, a Regent), who will meet you during Welcome Week. Your Personal Tutor can provide general support to you throughout your studies and will be a point of contact for any queries you have as a student. They will often be the first person you turn to if you encounter difficulties.

**Childcare**
The campus-based Rocking Horse Nursery provides childcare for pre-school age children of students and staff. The nursery has three departments which cater for 0-2, 2-3 and 3-5 year-olds respectively.

[abdn.ac.uk/rockinghorse](abdn.ac.uk/rockinghorse)

**Student Advice & Support Office**
Located on the second floor of the Students’ Union Building, the Student Advice & Support Office offers impartial, confidential advice and support to students across a wide range of issues including finance, disabilities and specific learning differences, visa and immigration matters, mental health and wellbeing, and more. Students studying on the Foresterhill campus have access to student support staff based in the Suttie Centre and the Institute of Medical Sciences.

[abdn.ac.uk/students/support](abdn.ac.uk/students/support)

**Disability advice**
A team of Advisers provide information, advice and support for students and applicants with physical and mobility difficulties, visual impairments, hearing impairments, medical conditions, specific learning differences, and mental health conditions. They also provide assistance to students who are eligible to apply for the Disabled Students’ Allowance (DSA).

[student.disability@abdn.ac.uk](student.disability@abdn.ac.uk) 01224 273935

**International Student Advisers**
Our ISAs provide advice on immigration issues, in particular Tier 4 visa extensions, and queries regarding dependants. British immigration legislation is complex and our immigration advice and services are regulated by the Office of the Immigration Services Commissioner. The HOST UK scheme for international students at the University is administered by the International Advisers.

[student.international@abdn.ac.uk](student.international@abdn.ac.uk) 01224 273935

**Mental health support**
If you have a diagnosed mental health condition we provide a range of professional, free and confidential support appropriate to your personal and academic needs through our team of Mental Health Mentors. You can also come and speak to us about any issues you may be experiencing and get help in seeking support in the local community and NHS.

[student.support@abdn.ac.uk](student.support@abdn.ac.uk) 01224 273935

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**Welfare support in Halls of Residence**
A Community Liaison Officer and team of Student Resident Assistants (SRAs) are based in the University owned Halls of Residence to look after the welfare of residents. The team work very closely with the Student Advice and Support Office and often signpost students to see an Adviser in the team.

**The Counselling Service**
This is a free, confidential and professional service for students who have personal, social or emotional concerns. The service is student focused and is located in Dunbar Street on the Old Aberdeen campus.

[counselling@abdn.ac.uk](counselling@abdn.ac.uk) 01224 272139

**Chaplaincies**
The University Multi-faith Chaplaincy is a community hub for people of all faiths and none. The team comprises of Honorary Chaplains and Faith Representatives who seek to encourage the spiritual life on campus. There is always a warm welcome for all and the Chaplaincy team is committed to giving personal and pastoral care to anyone who needs it: offering a listening ear, a hospital visit and much more. The Chaplains also encourage community across the University campus and oversee University services within King’s College Chapel.

[abdn.ac.uk/chaplaincy](abdn.ac.uk/chaplaincy)

**Our obligations and yours**
The University has a student charter that sets out the responsibilities of the University and of students. It gives details of various University policies and procedures. As a condition of enrolment in the University, all students are required to abide by the University’s Code of Practice on Student Discipline, as amended from time-to-time.
Your future without boundaries

We support your career and skills development throughout your time at University and beyond.

Explore your options
You can make informed career choices and gain insights into your job options by connecting with our careers team and exploring our online courses and resources.

Develop your skills
You will gain the attributes employers are looking for throughout your degree programme. Alongside your studies you can develop your skills and experience through a range of employability programmes, mentoring and work experience initiatives.

Connect with employers
There are many opportunities to connect with our regional, national and international employer partners and alumni networks via your courses and a wide range of fairs and networking events.

Find out where your degree can take you at:
abdn.ac.uk/career-options

GLOBAL OPPORTUNITIES
Our global networks offer you the opportunity to make an international experience part of your degree. We offer a wide range of study and work placements for our students to spend a structured period abroad and for the majority of students a semester or year abroad is not an additional period of study and the credits obtained will count towards your degree.

Beyond expectations

Open to all
We want to encourage students from the widest possible range of backgrounds to participate in university studies, and we appreciate that not all students have the same opportunity to meet our standard entry requirements.

We look at every aspect of each application to decide if we can make an offer of entry that asks for reduced grades and/or participation in our bridging programme. If an applicant meets one of the factors that the University considers under contextualised admissions then we will be able to make them what is called an “adjusted” or reduced offer.

Please also note that applicants who are entitled to an adjusted offer can receive pre-entry support from the Access and Articulation team: for more information on our admissions process and entry requirements, please see abdn.ac.uk/study/undergraduate

Access Aberdeen
The programme provides information, advice and guidance to allow those from a widening access background to make an informed decision about their future studies. We offer discipline insight days, application support sessions, support for guidance teachers, parents events and individual guidance.

abdn.ac.uk/study/access-aberdeen

REACH
REACH Programme hosted at the University of Aberdeen provides information, advice and guidance on applying for professional degrees. We offer support in the following areas:
• Law
• Medicine
The project supports S4-6 pupils to make informed choices about university study.

We offer a range of career insight days, application support sessions, mentoring opportunities, taster courses and individual guidance.

We can also provide general advice about applying and studying at University. Events are normally held in Aberdeen and Inverness, or online.

For more information on the REACH programme and to see if you might be eligible to join please visit:
abdn.ac.uk/reach

Bridging Programme
We recognise not every student has the same opportunities to study a full range of courses while at school so we offer a suite of online access courses which are a flexible way to get the grades you want. You can start anytime, spread the cost, and study at your own pace. Limited fee waivers are available for those living in an SIMD20 postcode areas, in receipt of Free School Meals or are care experienced and who plan to use the qualification to apply to the University of Aberdeen.

abdn.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/bridging-programme-6187.php

ARTICULATION FROM COLLEGE
We welcome applications from students who have previously studied at college. This includes students taking Access or SWAP courses, Foundation Apprenticeships and those who have undertaken HNC or HND qualifications. We also offer an advisory service on all UCAS applications from college, for more information and to view our full articulation guide visit:
abdn.ac.uk/study/articulation
accessaberdeens@abdn.ac.uk
Finance and funding

Students from Scotland
For students living full-time in Scotland, the first step to finding out more about, and applying for, financial support is to contact the Student Awards Agency for Scotland.

saas.gov.uk

Students from Republic of Ireland
Irish nationals who come to study in Scotland may be eligible for tuition fee loans from the Student Awards Agency Scotland.*

Students from England, Northern Ireland and Wales
If you come to study in Scotland from elsewhere in the UK, you will be liable to pay tuition fees, but you will be able to borrow this and repay it after graduation, just as you would if studying in England, Northern Ireland or Wales. For more information on our tuition fees visit:

abdn.ac.uk/ugfinance

Part-time students
Charges for part-time programmes are based on the credits or courses (modules) you register for. Part-time students studying up to 75 credits (maximum) may be eligible to apply for the SAAS part-time fee grant to help towards the cost of tuition fees.

abdn.ac.uk/infohub/finance/tuition-fees

Scholarships and bursaries

The University of Aberdeen is committed to attracting the very best students, regardless of financial circumstances, which is why we offer a large number of scholarships. Visit: abdn.ac.uk/ugfinance

Entrance scholarships
Each year we award entrance scholarships for undergraduate study. A number of these are generously supported by alumni, individuals and companies through the University of Aberdeen Development Trust. The award of a scholarship does not affect the amount you can borrow under the loan arrangements or other entitlements from public funds.

Scholarships are only available to those who are offered and firmly accept a place at Aberdeen; however, those who have submitted a UCAS form but have not yet received an offer from the University are welcome to apply.

abdn.ac.uk/study/entrance-scholarships

abdn.ac.uk/funding

Scholarships for “Rest of UK” fee status students
Students from England, Northern Ireland, Republic of Ireland and Wales, who pay tuition fees, may be eligible for specific scholarships*, allowing them to receive additional funding. These are designed to provide assistance to help students support themselves during their time here and also reward academic excellence.

Entrance scholarships are awarded automatically to all students who meet the academic and/or financial criteria and are paying the “rest of UK” tuition fee rate. Applicants do not have to be UK nationals and will be given equal consideration.

These scholarships are available in addition to applicable Government loans and grants. More information is available on our website.

abdn.ac.uk/ugfinance

Widening Access Scholarships for students from Scotland
We are committed to attracting the very best students, regardless of financial circumstances. We offer a range of scholarships and bursaries to help support undergraduate students from Scottish widening access backgrounds. These vary in value up to £4000 per annum. Once you have submitted your application to Aberdeen, you will receive email updates with details of how to apply for an entrance scholarship. Applications for entrance scholarships usually open in early Spring every year.

abdn.ac.uk/ugfinance

Sports Scholarships and Bursaries
Scholarships and bursaries are available offering support to allow those competing at national and international levels in any sport to pursue their athletic and academic dreams. Funded by the University’s Development Trust, support includes: cash awards of up to £3000 annually; gym membership; athlete accommodation; strength and conditioning; physiotherapy; sports science support; workshops and seminars; and academic flexibility.

abdn.ac.uk/sportandexercise

Other support
A number of additional scholarships are available each year to students at the University, including sports and music scholarships. Our Student Support Office provides a money advice service and can advise on personal budgeting. Our Careers and Employability Service is also on hand to help you find holiday and part-time work.

*Terms and conditions will apply.
How to apply

01 Choose your degree
Check out the programme section in this prospectus or visit: abdn.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/degree-programmes

02 Check the entry requirements
Entrance requirements vary depending on the degree. Check out the programme/subject section for details.

03 Check the application process
Make sure you know exactly what is required to apply for the degree.

04 Complete your UCAS Application
Deadline is 16 Oct 2023 (for medicine 2024 entry) and 31 Jan 2024 for all others.

05 Education, Medicine and Music interviews
If you have applied for one of these degrees you may be called for an interview or audition.

06 Early 2024
We’ll be in touch to tell you if you have been made an offer (conditional or unconditional) or been unsuccessful.

07 Make your choice
Make Aberdeen your first choice in May–June.

08 Results day
If you’re waiting for results they are released in July and August and we will confirm your place if all conditions are met.

09 You should apply online to UCAS. Schools and colleges can provide advice and guidance. UCAS will accept applications for 2024 from September 2023. If you wish to contact UCAS from outside the UK, you can write to them at the address provided below, or visit their website.

Your completed application should be submitted to UCAS with the applicant’s fee of approximately £27. If you wish to apply for only one course at one institution, a reduced price of approximately £22.50 applies.

The exceptions are for part-time courses, and non-graduating or visiting students, who apply direct to the University.

UCAS Code A20, The University of Aberdeen
Short Code: ABRDN
ucas.com

Closing dates
16 October 2023 for all Dental, Veterinary Science and Medicine applicants and anyone including the Universities of Oxford or Cambridge among their choices.
31 January 2024 for all other applicants.

Late applications may be considered at the discretion of the University. Priority is given to applications received by the normal closing date of either 16 October 2023 or 31 January 2024.

Where vacancies exist at Aberdeen, UCAS continues to forward applications until 30 June; candidates whose applications are received at UCAS after 30 June will be automatically entered into Clearing.

Admissions policy
For further information on our admissions policy, or to download it in full, visit:
abdn.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/admissionspolicy

University starts! Get ready to join us.
abdn.ac.uk/study
Entry requirements

Degrees in Arts and Social Sciences

The MA degree (Master of Arts) is a very flexible degree offered by Ancient Scottish Universities. In their first year, most students will study one or two (or even three) additional subjects alongside their main degree subject(s), narrowing down to two subjects in second year. In their third and fourth years they can specialise in just one subject for single honours, or continue with two (dividing their timetable equally) for joint honours. Many first year classes are open to you (subject only to timetabling constraints) even if you have not studied the subject before, and this allows you to experiment with new subjects and add breadth to your academic profile.

With the very wide range of arts and social sciences degrees, some in subjects taught in school, but many not, it is appropriate that we should have a very flexible entrance policy. Entry requirements are rarely subject-specific; we are more interested in your overall ability than in the precise content of your pre-university studies.

Degrees in Sciences

The University is a major international centre for teaching and research in all divisions of scientific study. It also has the advantage of close connections with local research institutes and Aberdeen Royal Infirmary, advancing the frontiers of knowledge in areas such as environmental science, human nutrition, fisheries research and medically related sciences.

Our flexible curriculum allows students to change degree intention within the overall science programme at the start of their studies. As a consequence of this flexibility, our entrance requirements are expressed in very general terms. We look for a good level of proven academic ability overall, and strength in science or mathematics subjects. Beyond this we do not usually insist on specific subjects.

In some cases, such as chemistry, physics and mathematics, previous study of the subject is usually desirable in order to cope with the first year material. A student applying for one of these degrees who does not have the required background may still be offered a place, but in this case may be directed towards one of the other science degrees for which their background provides a better preparation.

Advanced entry

The four-year length of the degree programme provides the opportunity for the breadth and flexibility that is such a significant feature of the Aberdeen honours degree; however, for those who are well-qualified, and who are clear about their degree intention, it is possible to complete an honours degree in three years rather than four. Such students join the second year of the degree programme, and during this year they study the required second year modules for their nominated degree subject, alongside a selection of other first and second year modules. Good entry qualifications are needed, at least up to the level of GCE A Level, HNC or SQA Advanced Higher, particularly in subjects that are essential for the intended degree and that would otherwise have been studied in first year. Opportunities for third year entry also exist for those with qualifications up to the level of a good HND, provided the core content of the first two years of the degree curriculum has been covered adequately. See tables on pages 32-41 for more information.

Enhanced Study

You may have the opportunity to take Enhanced Study options as part of your degree and participate in co-curricular activities. Visit our website for more information: abdn.ac.uk/study/enhanced-study
## Degrees in Arts and Social Sciences

### MA/MA (honours)

#### General Requirements
- National 5 in English at grade C or above.
- National 5 Mathematics, or Applications of Mathematics (or equivalent) needed for entry to Accounting, Economics, Finance.

#### Type of Qualification: SQA – Scottish Qualifications
- Standard: Applicants who achieve ABB or better over S4 and S5, in relevant subjects, will be made an offer of admission. This may be unconditional or may be conditional, dependent upon academic profile. Good performance in additional Higher/Advanced Higher may be required.
- Minimum: Applicants who achieve the minimum of BBB over S4 and S5 are encouraged to apply and may be made a conditional offer. Good performance in additional Higher/Advanced Higher will normally be required.

#### Subject Requirements
- STANDARD OFFER HOLDERS ONLY – Second year entry is possible in most school based subjects. A minimum of ABB in Adv H1 is required. Adv H at A in the subject selected for single honours, or Adv B in the subjects selected for joint honours.
- Second year entry is not open to Adjusted Offer holders.

#### Second Year Entry
- For some degrees, specific subjects may be required. See the online prospectus for details.

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### Degrees in Sciences

#### BSc/BSc (honours) degrees (excluding Biomedical Sciences, MSci, MChem)

#### General Requirements
- National 5 at minimum grade C, required in the following subjects: English, Mathematics, and either Chemistry or Physics.

#### Type of Qualification: SQA – Scottish Qualifications
- Standard: Applicants who achieve ABB or better over S4 and S5, in relevant subjects, will be made an offer of admission. This may be unconditional or may be conditional, dependent upon academic profile. Good performance in additional Higher/Advanced Higher may be required.
- Minimum: Applicants who achieve the minimum of BBB over S4 and S5 are encouraged to apply and may be made a conditional offer. Good performance in additional Higher/Advanced Higher will normally be required.

#### Subject Requirements
- Second year entry is possible in most school based subjects. A minimum of ABB in Adv H1 is required. Adv H at A in the subject selected for single honours, or Adv B in the subjects selected for joint honours.

#### Second Year Entry
- For some degrees, specific subjects may be required. See the online prospectus for details.

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### Notes
- Adjusted: Applicants who achieve BB (or below) over S4 and S5, and who meet one or more widening access criteria, are guaranteed a conditional offer. Good performance in additional Higher/Advanced Higher will be required.
- Note: We do not double count a Higher and Advanced Higher in the same subject, but we do consider that a B grade at Advanced Higher is equivalent to an A grade at Higher.

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### Details
- Visit abdn.ac.uk/study/ug/entry-requirements for details.
## BSc Biomedical Sciences

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<td>Standard: Applicants who achieve AAB or better over 34 and 55, in relevant subjects will be made an offer of admission. This may be unconditional. MSci may be conditional, dependent upon academic profile. Good performance in additional Highers/Advanced Highers may be required. Note: We do not double count a Higher and Advanced Higher in the same subject, but we do consider that a B grade at Advanced Higher is equivalent to an A grade at Higher.</td>
<td>A minimum of 3 Advanced Highers at AB from Chemistry and Biology.</td>
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<td>O or A in English, Mathematics and in either Chemistry or Physics.</td>
<td>Five subjects at Higher, with 4 at H2 and 1 at H3.</td>
<td>H2 in Chemistry and H3 or above in at least one other Science/Maths subject.</td>
<td>5 points at HL required from each of Chemistry and another Science or Mathematics subject.</td>
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<td>SL or HL in English and Mathematics.</td>
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<td>6 points minimum at HL required from Chemistry and Biology.</td>
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*In addition to the core science/mathematics subjects, we also accept Computing, Geography, Geology, Information Systems, Psychology and Technology as science subjects for entry purposes.

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## MChem and MSci

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<td>Standard: Applicants who achieve AAB or better over 34 and 55 are likely to be made an offer of admission. This may be unconditional or it may be conditional, dependent upon academic profile. Good performance in additional Highers/Advanced Highers may be required. Note: We do not double count a Higher and Advanced Higher in the same subject, but we do consider that a B grade in Advanced Higher can represent an improvement on a B grade at Higher, so and Advanced Higher may be used to upgrade a Higher.</td>
<td>For MChem - H2 from Chemistry and another Science.</td>
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<td>For MChem - A levels at AB from Chemistry and another Science. For MSci Biomedical / Medical Sci - H2 from Chemistry and Biology.</td>
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<td>O in English, Mathematics and in either Chemistry or Physics.</td>
<td>Five subjects at Higher, with 4 at H2 and 1 at H3.</td>
<td>For MChem - H2 from Chemistry and another Science. For MSci Biomedical / Medical Sci - H2 from Chemistry and Biology.</td>
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<td>SL or HL in English and Mathematics.</td>
<td>A minimum of 34 points.</td>
<td>For MChem - 6 points at HL required from Chemistry and another Science. For MSci Biomedical / Medical Sci - 6 points at HL from Chemistry and Biology.</td>
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### Degrees in Engineering

**BEng (honours), MEng**

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<td>National 5 in English at grade C or above.</td>
<td>Standard: ABBB (Higher in Mathematics and Physics or Engineering Science required)** Applicants who achieve the Standard entry requirements over 54 and 55 will be made either an unconditional or conditional offer of admission. Minimum: BBB (Good performance required in Mathematics and Physics). Applicants who achieve our Minimum entry requirements over 54 and 55 are encouraged to apply and will be considered. Good performance in additional Higher/Advanced Higher will normally be required in order to receive an offer of admission. Adjusted: BB (Good performance required in Mathematics). Applicants who meet one or more Widening Access criteria and who achieve a good performance in Maths and one other subject are guaranteed a conditional offer. Good performance in additional Higher/Advanced Higher will be required. Note: We do not double count a Higher and Advanced Higher in the same subject, but we do consider that a B grade at Advanced Higher is equivalent to an A grade at Higher.</td>
<td>Standard: ABBB (Higher in Mathematics and Physics or Engineering Science required)** Applicants who achieve the Standard entry requirements over 54 and 55 will be made either an unconditional or conditional offer of admission. Note: We do not double count a Higher and Advanced Higher in the same subject, but we do consider that a B grade at Advanced Higher is equivalent to an A grade at Higher.</td>
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<td>GCE – General Certificate of Education</td>
<td>GCSE at C or 4 in English.</td>
<td>Standard: BBB (Good performance required in Mathematics, plus at least one from Physics, Design &amp; Technology, Engineering or Chemistry)** Applicants who are predicted to achieve the Standard entry requirements are encouraged to apply and may be made an offer of admission. Minimum: BBC (Good performance required in Mathematics, plus at least one from Physics, Design &amp; Technology, Engineering or Chemistry) Applicants who are predicted to achieve the Minimum entry requirements are encouraged to apply and will be considered. Adjusted: 3 A Levels at CCC, for applicants who meet one or more widening access criteria. One of the A Levels must be in Mathematics.</td>
<td>Standard: ABB (A level required, to include Mathematics, plus at least one from Physics, Design &amp; Technology, Engineering or Chemistry)** Applicants who are predicted to achieve the Standard entry requirements are encouraged to apply and may be made a conditional offer of admission. Note: We do not double count a Higher and Advanced Higher in the same subject, but we do consider that a B grade at Advanced Higher is equivalent to an A grade at Higher.</td>
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<td>BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma</td>
<td>D in O Level Maths and Physics required. ** Note: BTEC in Applied Sciences is not normally sufficient on its own for entry into any of our Engineering degrees.</td>
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<td>Five subjects at Higher, with 3 at H2 and 2 at H3. H2 or above in Mathematics and H3 or above in Physics required.</td>
<td>Five subjects at Higher, with 4 at H2 and 1 at H3. H2 or above in Mathematics and H3 or above in Physics required.</td>
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<td>IB – International Baccalaureate</td>
<td>Minimum of 32 points including Mathematics and Physics at HL (6 or above).</td>
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**Note:** For entry to Chemical or Petroleum Engineering an SQA Higher or GCE A Level or equivalent qualification in Chemistry is required for entry to year 1, in addition to the general Engineering requirements noted above.

### Degrees in Law

**Bachelor of Laws (LLB) (honours)**

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<td>National 5 in English at grade C or above.</td>
<td>Standard: Applicants who achieve AAAAA (or AAABB) or better are encouraged to apply and will be considered. Good performance in additional Higher/Advanced Higher may be required. Minimum: Applicants who have achieved BBBB (or are on course to achieve this by the end of S5) are encouraged to apply and will be considered. Good performance in additional Higher/Advanced Higher will normally be required. Adjusted: Applicants who have achieved BBCC, and who meet one or more widening access criteria, are encouraged to apply and will be considered for a conditional offer. Good performance in additional Higher/Advanced Higher will be required. An HND in Legal Services may be considered for applying to Year 1 of some LLB programmes. For more information visit abdn.ac.uk/study/articulation. Note: We do not double count a Higher and Advanced Higher in the same subject, but we do consider that a B grade at Advanced Higher is equivalent to an A grade at Higher.</td>
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<td>GCE – General Certificate of Education</td>
<td>GCSE at C or 4 in English Literature.</td>
<td>Standard: 3 A Levels at AAB. English is highly desirable.</td>
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<td>BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma</td>
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<td>The BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma is not normally sufficient on its own for entry into any LLB degree programmes although those with a relevant BTEC (Law-related) at a minimum of DDD may be considered.</td>
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<td>ILC – Irish Leaving Certificate/Andteistimreacht</td>
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<td>Five subjects at Higher minimum required at H2, obtained in one sitting. Higher English highly desirable.</td>
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<td>IB – International Baccalaureate</td>
<td>SL in English.</td>
<td>Minimum of 34 points including an average of 5 at HL; English is highly desirable.</td>
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## Degrees in Education/Teaching
### MA Primary Education (honours)

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<td>National 5 in Mathematics or Applications of Mathematics at grade C or above. Higher English at B or above.</td>
<td>Standard: Applicants who achieve ABBB or better over S4 and S5 are encouraged to apply and will be considered. Those seeking to qualify over S5-S6 will be expected to exceed this minimum. Applicants are expected to have studied at least four distinct subject areas and to have met the English and Mathematics requirements.</td>
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<td>GCE – General Certificate of Education</td>
<td>GCSE Mathematics at 4 (C) or above. A Level English at C or above. GCSE at 6 (B) in English Language and English Literature.</td>
<td>Standard: 3 A Levels at BBB.</td>
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<td>BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma</td>
<td>We are unable to accept the BTEC qualification because the General Teaching Council for Scotland (GTCS) requires evidence of subject spread at SCQF Level 6.</td>
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<td>ILC – Irish Leaving Certificate/ Ardteistimeireacht</td>
<td>O4 in Maths minimum required. H3 in English minimum required.</td>
<td>Minimum of 32 points including at least 5, 5, 5 at HL.</td>
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<td>IB – International Baccalaureate</td>
<td>SL in Maths/Maths Studies at 4 or above. HL in English at 5 or above.</td>
<td>Qualifications such as HNC Early Education and Childcare will be accepted as one subject alongside 5 other subjects at Higher Level (or equivalent). The Higher Grades required are C or above. The required English and Maths grades must also be achieved as noted above.</td>
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The University of Aberdeen also offers online access courses in English and Mathematics, both of which are accepted for entry to the MA Primary Education degree. Please see www.on.abdn.ac.uk/access for more information.

University graduates wishing to apply for primary teaching training must apply for the Professional Graduate Diploma in Education (PGDE Primary). PGDE Courses in both primary and secondary education are professionally accredited by the General Teaching Council of Scotland (GTCS). More information can be found at www.abdn.ac.uk/study/postgraduate-taught

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## Degrees in Medicine
### MBChB

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<td>National 5 in both English and Mathematics at grade B or above. National 5 Biology and Physics are recommended but not compulsory (grade B or above).</td>
<td>Standard: AAABB at Higher taken at one sitting. Chemistry is required, plus two from Biology/Human Biology/Mathematics and Physics. Adjusted: AAAB for applicants who meet one or more widening access criteria. Chemistry is required, plus two from Biology/Human Biology/Mathematics and Physics.</td>
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<td>GCE – General Certificate of Education</td>
<td>GCSE in both English Language and Mathematics at grade 6/B. GCSE Biology and Physics are recommended (grade 6 or above).</td>
<td>Standard: 3 A Levels at AAA. Chemistry is required, plus one from Biology, Mathematics or Physics, and one other subject.</td>
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<td>ILC – Irish Leaving Certificate/ Ardteistimeireacht</td>
<td>JCPA: Higher Merit/ H2/Grade B or better required in English, Maths and Science. Junior Level Physics required, Maths and Biology strongly recommended.</td>
<td>3 Higher subjects at Grade H1 including Chemistry, Biology and one other subject. 3 Higher subjects at Grade H2 including English and either Maths or Physics, plus one other subject.</td>
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<td>IB – International Baccalaureate</td>
<td>Minimum of 36 points including at least 1 HL at 6 and 3 SL with an average of 6. Higher Chemistry is required; plus HL in Maths, Biology or Physics, and one other subject. If only 2 sciences offered at HL, must have a further science subject at SL.</td>
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All candidates must also complete the Universities Clinical Aptitude Test (UCAT) by the appropriate closing date. For more information, visit www.ucat.ac.uk.

Details of our medicine entry requirements can be found in our online prospectus www.abdn.ac.uk/ug/medicine-entry-requirements
### Degrees in Music
BMus /BMus (honours), BMus Music Education (honours)

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<td>For BMus [Music Education], applicants must also meet the General Teaching Council of Scotland GTCS requirements: National 5 in Mathematics or Applications of Mathematics at Grade C or above and Higher English at Grade C or above.</td>
<td>Applicants who achieve ABBB in four distinct disciplines are encouraged to apply. We do not double count a Higher and Advanced Higher in the same subject. Music Higher preferred.</td>
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<td>GCE – General Certificate of Education</td>
<td>For BMus [Music Education], applicants must also meet the General Teaching Council of Scotland GTCS requirements: GCSE at grade 4 (C) Mathematics or above and GCSE English Language AND English Literature at grade 4 (C) or above.</td>
<td>3 A Levels at BBB. Music A Level at minimum Grade B preferred.</td>
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<td>ILC – Irish Leaving Certificate/Ardtteistimeiracht</td>
<td>For BMus [Music Education], applicants must also meet the General Teaching Council of Scotland GTCS requirements: O4 in Maths minimum required. H3 in English required.</td>
<td>Three subjects a Higher minimum, with 3 at H2. Music at Higher preferred.</td>
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<td>IB – International Baccalaureate</td>
<td>For BMus [Music Education], applicants must also meet the General Teaching Council of Scotland GTCS requirements: SL in Maths/Maths Studies at 4 or above and HL in English at 5 or above required.</td>
<td>Minimum of 32 points including at least a 6 in Music at HL.</td>
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<td>Higher National Certificates/Diploma</td>
<td>For more information, visit abdn.ac.uk/study/articulation</td>
<td>For BMus (Music Education), applicants must also meet the General Teaching Council of Scotland GTCS requirements: National 5 in English or Applications of Mathematics at Grade C or above and Higher English at Grade C or above.</td>
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Candidates for the BMus Music (honours) are required to demonstrate a strong interest in the study of music as well as significant attainment in one or more of a range of disciplines including performance, composition, music technology, musicology, and community engagement. Entry to the programme will be assessed on the strength of the candidate’s academic record and personal statement. Graded qualifications on instrument or voice are welcome but are not essential. Candidates may be invited to interview.

Candidates for the BMus Music Education (honours) are required to demonstrate a strong interest in the study of music, and education. Entry to the programme will be assessed on the strength of the candidate’s academic record and personal statement. Candidates should be of a standard equivalent to Grade 8 (Associated Board or other) or show the potential to achieve this on their main instrument/voice. Competence on piano is also required. Candidates may be invited to interview.

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### Degrees in Divinity and Theology
BD, BTh, MA/MA (honours)*

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<td>STANDARD OFFER HOLDERS ONLY – For those seeking entry into second year classes, with a view to taking an accelerated Honours degree, the normal requirement will be BC at Higher plus A at Advanced Higher or 2AH at AB. Second year entry is not open to Adjusted Offer holders.</td>
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<td>GCE – General Certificate of Education</td>
<td>GCE at C or 4 in English or English Literature.</td>
<td>Standard: 3 A Levels at BBB. Minimum: 3 A Levels at BBC.</td>
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<td>Five subjects at Higher, with 3 at H2 and 2 at H3.</td>
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<td>SL in English. Minimum of 32 points including at least 5, 5, 5 at HL.</td>
<td>Standard: 3 A levels at ABB.</td>
<td>A level in Religious Studies at A.</td>
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Candidates for the BMus Music (honours) are required to demonstrate a strong interest in the study of music, and education. Entry to the programme will be assessed on the strength of the candidate’s academic record and personal statement. Good performance in additional Higher/Advanced Highers will normally be required. Adjusted: Applicants who achieve BB over S4 and S5, and who meet one or more widening access criteria, are guaranteed a conditional offer. Good performance in additional Higher/Advanced Highers will be required. Note: We do not double count a Higher and Advanced Higher in the same subject, but we do consider that a B grade at Advanced Higher is equivalent to an A grade at Higher.

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## Arts and Social Sciences

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- **Civil and Environmental Engineering**
  - BEng/MEng

- **Civil and Structural Engineering**
  - BEng/MEng

- **Civil Engineering with Management**
  - MEng

- **Civil Engineering with Subsea Technology**
  - MEng

- **Electronic and Software Engineering**
  - BEng/MEng

- **Electrical and Electronic Engineering with Renewable Energy**
  - MEng

- **Electrical and Electronic Engineering with Robotics**
  - MEng

- **Mechanical Engineering with Biomechanics**
  - MEng

- **Mechanical and Electrical Engineering**
  - BEng/MEng

- **Mechanical Engineering with Management**
  - MEng

- **Mechanical Engineering with Subsea Technology**
  - MEng

- **Mechanical with Oil and Gas Studies**
  - BEng

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