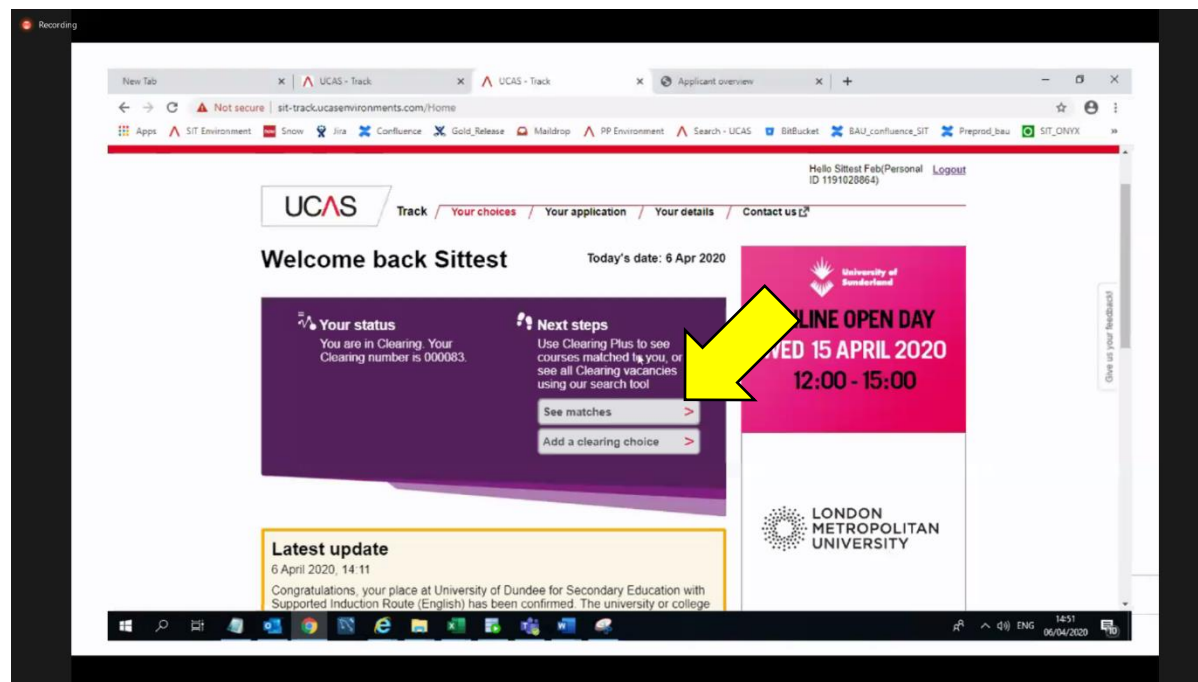


On results day, if you have not met the grades for your firm or insurance choices, you will be eligible for clearing.

Clearing allows you to call universities who have courses available and ask to be considered for an offer. On results day, you simply go to the UCAS search website and look for clearing places. You look at the entry requirements carefully, and if you have met them, you call up each university one by one. You will need to have your **UCAS ID Number** and **Clearing Number** ready. You can find your Clearing Number in Track, in the top left corner. If you get any offers, you will usually have a day or two to think things over before making a decision, so you can call as many universities as you like and have several offers to consider.

Clearing Plus is an extension of the normal clearing process. It does not replace the usual method (above); you can still search for available courses on the UCAS website and contact universities directly. However, if any of you are eligible for Clearing on results day, you will have a button in UCAS Track called **'See Matches'**.



When you click on this button, a list of universities with clearing places will appear. The list is tailored to you; it will only show similar courses to those you originally applied for and, crucially, courses you have met the minimum required grades for. The choices will be ordered by closet match, so as you select to reveal more, the matches will become less relevant. You may wish to still search for other courses on the main UCAS website, in case you are considering an entirely different pathway, as these will not show up on your list.

Below are courses which have been matched to you.
 These matches are personal to you. Click the 'Interested' button to send your details to the course provider. If they still have spaces, they'll contact you to discuss if you meet their entry requirements, and if there's anything else you need to do.

[See all Clearing vacancies](#)

University or college:

Provider	Course title	Outcome qualification	Start date	Location	Duration	Study mode	
University of Surrey Tagline goes here	Accounting and Finance	Bachelor of Science (with Honours) - BSc (Hons)	21/09/2020	Stag Hill	3 Years	Full-time	I'm interested
Cardiff University	Accounting	Bachelor of Science (with Honours) - BSc (Hons)	01/09/2020	Main Site - Cardiff	3 Years	Full-time	I'm interested
Bangor University	Accounting and Banking	Bachelor of Science (with Honours) - BSc (Hons)	28/09/2020	Main Site	3 Years	Full-time	I'm interested
Loughborough University	Accounting and Financial Management (with placement year)	Bachelor of Science (with Honours) - BSc (Hons)	28/09/2020	Main Site	4 Years	Sandwich	I'm interested
Newman University, Birmingham	Accounting and Finance	Bachelor of Arts - BA	01/09/2020	Newman University	3 Years	Full-time	I'm interested
University of Surrey Tagline goes here	Accounting and Finance with Foundation Year	Bachelor of Science (with Honours) - BSc (Hons)	21/09/2020	Stag Hill	4 Years	Full-time including foundation year	I'm interested
University of Liverpool Tagline goes here	Accounting and Finance	Bachelor of Arts (with Honours) - BA (Hons)	28/09/2020	Main Site	3 Years	Full-time	I'm interested

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Audio Settings | Chat | Raise Hand | Q&A | Leave

If you have lots of options, you can filter these down in the search box. This will allow you to search for specific universities and if the university does not appear, then you know they don't have a similar course in clearing that you meet the entry for. However, at this point, some of you may wish to search on the main [UCAS website](#) and check the entry requirements for particular universities/courses. If you are narrowly missing the entry, it could still be worth a call.

The screenshot shows the UCAS Clearing Plus website interface. At the top, the browser address bar displays 'america-digital.ucasenvironments.com/clearingplus/learners/'. The main heading is 'Clearing Plus: Your matches'. Below this, there is a search box labeled 'University or college:' with the placeholder text 'Search for university or college'. A yellow arrow points to this search box. To the right of the search box is a button labeled 'See all Clearing vacancies'. Below the search box are two filter buttons: 'Bangor University' and 'Cardiff University'. The main content is a table with the following data:

Provider	Course title	Outcome qualification	Start date	Location	Duration	Study mode	
Cardiff University	Accounting	Bachelor of Science (with Honours) - BSc (Hons)	01/09/2020	Main Site - Cardiff	3 Years	Full-time	I'm interested
Bangor University	Accounting and Banking	Bachelor of Science (with Honours) - BSc (Hons)	28/09/2020	Main Site	3 Years	Full-time	I'm interested

On the right side of the page, there are two vertical banners. The top one is green and says 'WANT TO SEE THE CAMPUS? Take a virtual tour >>'. The bottom one is teal and says 'UNSURE WHICH SUBJECT IS BEST? Have a look at this >>'. The bottom of the screenshot shows a Windows taskbar with various application icons and a system tray showing the time '16:16' and date '17/06/2020'.

You can click on your suggested courses for more information, and if you like the look of it, then click on the **'I'm interested'** button. This will then allow that university to see your UCAS application and contact you to offer you a place. I would recommend that you still call the university directly at this point, rather than waiting for the university to call you, as time is everything on results day. As with the usual Clearing system, you can show your interest in multiple courses and each one will give you a deadline to respond to any offers, giving you at least overnight to make a decision.

The screenshot shows a web browser window with the URL `america-digital.ucasenvironments.com/clearingplus/learners/`. The page title is "Clearing Plus: Your matches". Below the title, it says "Below are courses which have been matched to you." and "These matches are personal to you. Click the 'I'm interested' button to send your details to the course provider. If they still have spaces, they'll contact you to discuss if you meet their entry requirements, and if there's anything else you need to do." There is a button labeled "See all Clearing vacancies".

A table of course matches is visible, with columns for Provider, Course title, and other details. The providers listed include University of Surrey, Cardiff University, Bangor University, Loughborough University, Newman University Birmingham, University of Surrey, and University of Liverpool.

A modal dialog box titled "I'm interested" is open in the foreground. It contains the text: "I agree that this course provider can contact me if they still have places available for this course, or similar courses, and I meet their entry requirements. If you change your mind, you need to contact the course provider to let them know." There are two buttons: "Allow providers to contact me" and "Cancel". A yellow arrow points to the "I'm interested" button on the course list, which is the button that triggered the modal.

At the bottom of the screen, there is a chat interface with a "Chat" button, a "Raise Hand" button, a "Q&A" button, and a "Leave" button. A notification bubble from "GN" says "From Giovanna Newbery to Everyone" and "Will slides be available together with the recording please after today?".

A few important things to be aware of:

- Not all courses will be available in clearing, but it is well worth exploring both Clearing Plus and the [UCAS search tool](#).
- Clearing Plus is only available to those students who are eligible for clearing (so have no offers). If you have changed your mind about a course, or end up in your insurance choice and no longer wish to go there, or you get offered an alternative course by the universities you originally applied for but do not want it, then you will need to **self-release into clearing** by clicking the **'decline my place'** button in Track. This is very risky, as your offer will be gone so there will be no safety net. However, if you have completely ruled out any offers you have, then this will be the only way to add a clearing choice.
- Staff will be on hand throughout results day to talk you through your options and support you.

I know which Clearing place I want to accept. How do I do it?

Add your Clearing choice in **UCAS Track**. Go to the **'Your Choices'** section and click **'Add Clearing choice'**. Fill in the course details by the date the university gave you on the phone. The university should then confirm your offer and it will show as an **acceptance** in Track.

- You can only add your choice once the university has confirmed they will offer you a place.
- You can only add one choice at a time.
- If the university doesn't confirm your place, call them up or ask the school to help you with this. If they will not confirm it, you will be able to add another choice.