

The UNIQ logo consists of the word "UNIQ" in white, bold, sans-serif capital letters, centered within a circular graphic. The circle is divided into four quadrants of different colors: top-left is red, top-right is orange, bottom-left is blue, and bottom-right is purple. The background of the entire advertisement is a photograph of a diverse group of young people, mostly students, cheering with their arms raised in the air. They are outdoors on a grassy area, possibly a sports field or a festival. The students are wearing various casual clothing like jackets, hoodies, and t-shirts. The overall mood is energetic and positive.

UNIQ



UNIVERSITY OF
OXFORD

Could a few
days at Oxford
change your
life?

**EXPERIENCE
UNIQ OXFORD**

DISCOVER A UNIQ WAY OF LIFE

“I had serious doubts at first, but I quickly realised I was just as able to apply to Oxford. An invaluable experience that has made me feel prepared and has given me such inspiration.”



Do you have good school grades but are not sure if Oxford, or any university is right for you? Or perhaps you're generally feeling uncertain about the future?

Our free UNIQ programme might be just what you need.

Through one of our four night, five day residentials in either spring or summer, you can discover student life for yourself. Living just like our students, you will stay in an Oxford college, attend academic and admissions sessions during the day and relaxed social activities in the evenings. You will be able to quiz student helpers and share thoughts on any aspect of student life: all whilst getting to know one of the most student-friendly cities in the UK.

By the end of UNIQ you should have a real understanding of university life and feel in a much better position to make your upcoming big decisions.

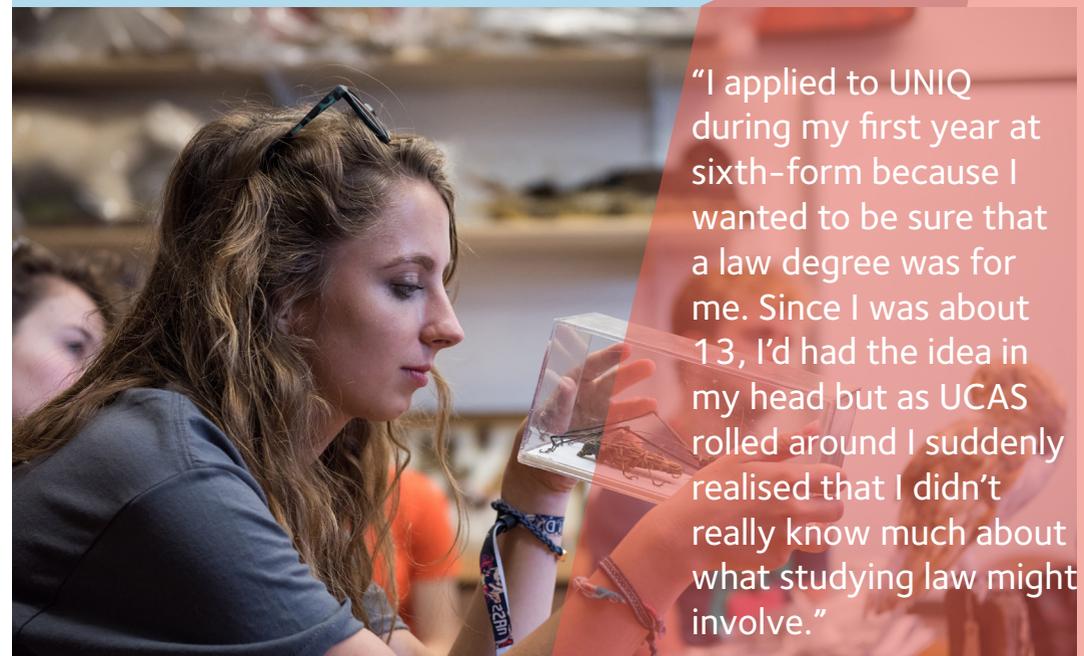
EXPLORE YOUR UNIQ STUDY INTERESTS

During your time here in Oxford, you will explore a favourite subject alongside others who share this interest.

You can choose from over 30 subjects.

You will also learn from Oxford academics what it's like to study this at university level. If you're still weighing your options, and undecided about what you want

to study, UNIQ can help make up your mind. You will go to lectures, browse libraries for true book lovers and get feedback from our expert tutors – just like a real undergraduate.



“I applied to UNIQ during my first year at sixth-form because I wanted to be sure that a law degree was for me. Since I was about 13, I'd had the idea in my head but as UCAS rolled around I suddenly realised that I didn't really know much about what studying law might involve.”



“UNIQ is a really great thing to be able to put in your personal statement - it shows a real commitment to your academic interests. Interviews can be a nerve-racking process, but having been to Oxford before and spoken to real life tutors I knew that it was something I could do.”

UNIQ DIGITAL ONLINE ADVICE FROM CURRENT STUDENTS

Anyone who applies to UNIQ is automatically considered for our online mentoring platform. Selected participants are grouped with an Oxford student who will share their insights about studying at Oxford, as well as helping them to develop the skills needed for university. Starting with the city of Oxford and university life, you'll progress through a series of modules split into three distinct

stages. The final stage of the course looks at the admissions process at Oxford, including how to construct a personal statement that works, admissions test preparation and guidance on interviews.

UNIQ HELPS WITH UNIVERSITY ADMISSIONS

During your Oxford residential, you will receive lots of admissions advice so you can make a competitive application to any university, wherever you decide to apply.

Some of this advice may even be from our admissions tutors and will specifically aim to support preparation for admission to Oxford. Workshops are likely to focus on admissions test and interview preparation.

Last year, 40% of UNIQ participants who applied to study at Oxford were offered a place, compared to an average success rate for UK applicants of 20%.



“UNIQ taught me a lot about myself and increased my confidence.”

WHO GOES ON UNIQ?

UNIQ is a **free programme** for state-educated students from all over the UK who are in their first year of further education. If attending state schools in England and Wales, students will be in Year 12 whilst in Northern Ireland, students will be in Year 13 and in Scotland S5.

Up to 1,000 students who don't get offered a place on a residential will be considered for a place on UNIQ Digital, our online mentoring platform with advice from current students.

UNIQ students will have achieved a high standard in GCSEs or National 5s. Applications for places are highly competitive and some residential courses may require applicants to have a particular number of GCSE A*/8 and 9 grades (England, Wales and Northern Ireland) or National 5 A* and 1 grades (Scotland), or be studying particular subjects at A level.



“UNIQ changed my outlook on both Oxford and myself.”



“UNIQ made me realise that getting into Oxford is possible.”

BE UNIQ IN 2020

Applications for 1,350 free UNIQ residential places and up to 1,000 extra UNIQ Digital places open on **2 December** and close on **27 January**.

Apply at www.uniq.ox.ac.uk/2020





WILL **UNIQ** CHANGE
YOUR LIFE? DON'T
WAIT TOO LONG TO
FIND OUT.

APPLY BETWEEN
2 DECEMBER -
27 JANUARY

WWW.UNIQ.CO.UK/2020