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Application statistics: June deadline applications, offers, offer rate, average offer rate, percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate, contribution of group to the average offer rate

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- Applicants, placed applicants, applications and offers are rounded to the nearest 5.
- Applicants/placed applicants per 10,000 population figures are reported as 0 if the applicant/placed applicant figures are rounded to 0.
- All statistics related to the offer rate are not reported when the number of applications for a group is less than 10. The percentage point difference between the offer rate and the average offer rate is not reported when the number of applications for a group is less than 50.
- Offer rates are reported as 0% if there are fewer than 5 offers, and 100% if the number of offers is within 5 of the number of applications. When the offer rate is reported as 0% or 100%, it is reported in italics.

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P.1 18 year old applicants

Statistic	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	685	785	930	985	905	910
Placed June deadline applicants	200	220	290	260	230	250
All placed applicants	250	670	690	620	575	550
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	9.1	10.3	12.4	13.3	12.5	12.9
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000	2.7	2.9	3.9	3.5	3.2	3.5
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	3.3	8.7	9.2	8.4	8.0	7.8

P.2 18 year old applications

Statistic	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	850	960	1,170	1,295	1,145	1,175
Offers	625	720	880	955	795	885
Offer rate	73.5%	75.0%	75.2%	73.9%	69.5%	75.3%

P.3 18 year old applicants by sex

Statistic	Sex	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	Men	305	315	395	395	365	365
	Women	380	470	535	590	540	550
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	100	90	130	110	95	105
	Women	100	130	160	150	135	145
All placed applicants	Men	125	335	340	285	245	245
	Women	125	335	350	335	330	305
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Men	7.8	8.0	10.2	10.4	9.9	10.0
	Women	10.4	12.6	14.7	16.4	15.3	15.9
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Men	2.6	2.3	3.4	2.9	2.6	3.0
	Women	2.7	3.5	4.4	4.2	3.8	4.2
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Men	3.3	8.5	8.8	7.5	6.6	6.7
	Women	3.4	9.0	9.6	9.3	9.4	8.9

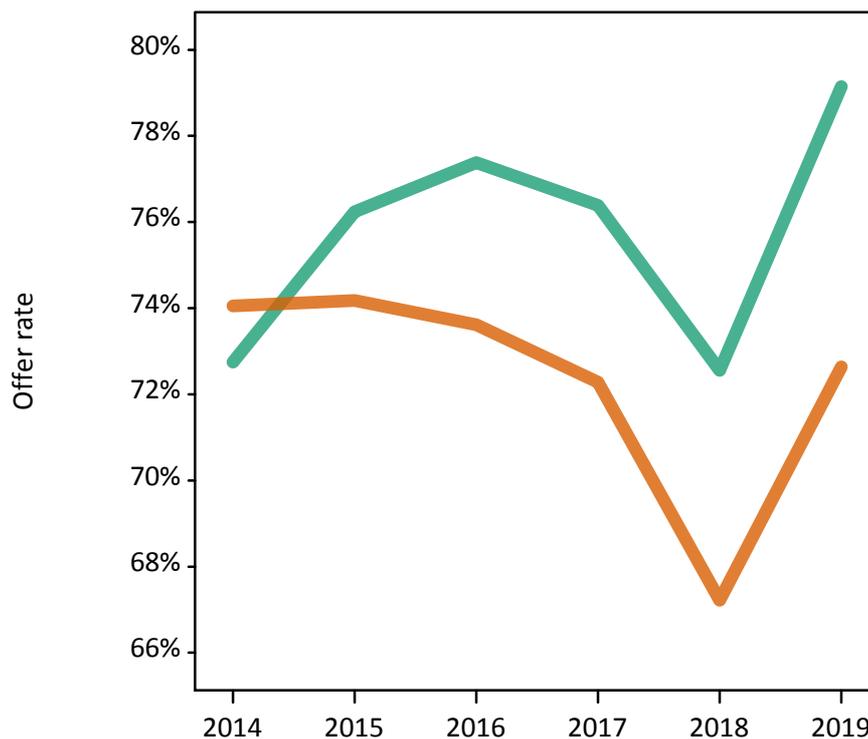
P.4 18 year old applications by sex

Statistic	Sex	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	Men	380	385	505	505	480	490
	Women	475	575	665	790	665	685
Offers	Men	275	290	390	385	350	385
	Women	350	430	490	570	445	500
Offer rate	Men	72.8%	76.2%	77.4%	76.4%	72.6%	79.1%
	Women	74.1%	74.2%	73.6%	72.3%	67.2%	72.6%
Average offer rate	Men	73.5%	76.5%	75.9%	75.4%	70.2%	77.8%
	Women	73.5%	74.0%	74.7%	72.9%	69.0%	73.6%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Men	-0.7	-0.3	1.5	1.0	2.4	1.3
	Women	0.6	0.2	-1.1	-0.6	-1.7	-0.9
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Men	0.681	0.614	0.625	0.619	0.615	0.645
	Women	0.745	0.744	0.717	0.757	0.721	0.747

P.5 18 year old offer rate by sex

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 10 applications in any of the years from 2014-2019.

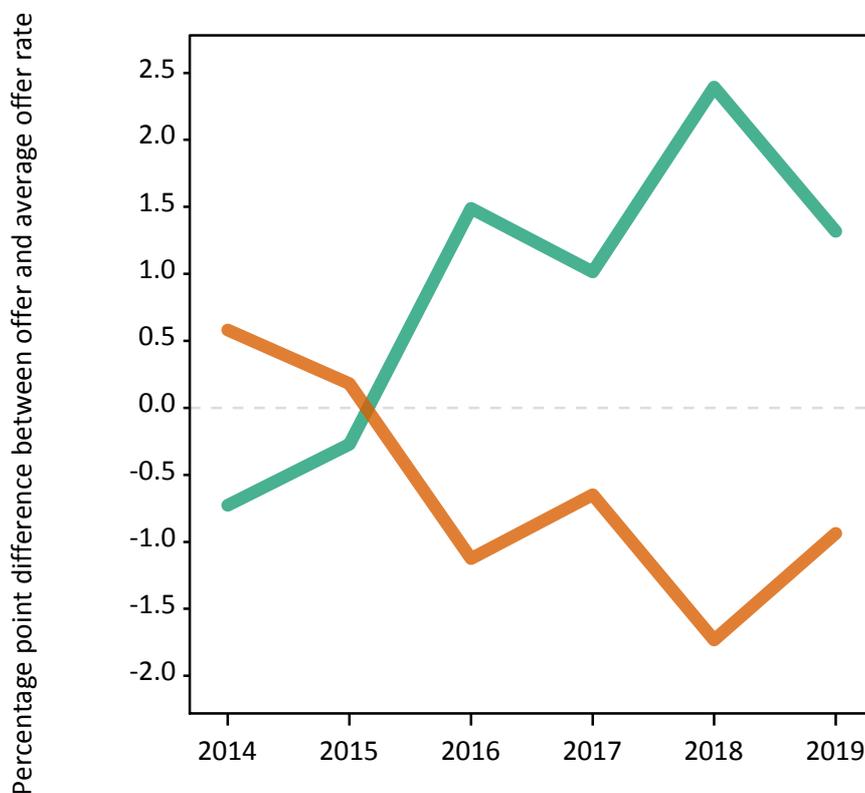
Men
Women



P.6 Percentage point difference between 18 year old offer rate and average offer rate by sex

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 2014-2019.

Men
Women



P.7 18 year old applicants by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	35	40	45	55	75	70
	Quintile 2	85	110	135	120	130	105
	Quintile 3	140	170	200	225	190	205
	Quintile 4	210	235	265	305	250	245
	Quintile 5	215	230	280	285	255	285
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	5	10	10	10	10	15
	Quintile 2	25	30	35	35	30	20
	Quintile 3	35	50	50	55	45	60
	Quintile 4	75	75	95	95	65	80
	Quintile 5	60	60	100	65	70	75
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	5	25	25	30	25	30
	Quintile 2	30	105	105	90	85	65
	Quintile 3	55	130	125	135	110	125
	Quintile 4	90	215	225	210	180	170
	Quintile 5	70	195	210	155	175	160
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	2.3	2.7	3.3	4.0	5.6	5.6
	Quintile 2	5.9	7.5	9.5	8.5	9.8	8.0
	Quintile 3	9.4	11.4	13.8	15.5	13.6	14.8
	Quintile 4	13.8	15.1	17.5	20.0	16.9	17.0
	Quintile 5	12.7	13.2	16.2	16.7	15.3	17.0
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	0.4	0.7	0.9	0.8	0.9	1.0
	Quintile 2	1.8	2.2	2.5	2.5	2.3	1.7
	Quintile 3	2.5	3.2	3.3	3.9	3.3	4.5
	Quintile 4	4.8	4.8	6.2	6.3	4.5	5.5
	Quintile 5	3.5	3.3	5.7	3.7	4.3	4.4
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	0.5	1.8	2.0	2.3	1.8	2.2
	Quintile 2	2.2	7.2	7.3	6.4	6.3	5.1
	Quintile 3	3.6	8.7	8.6	9.2	7.9	9.0
	Quintile 4	5.9	13.8	14.6	13.9	12.2	11.7
	Quintile 5	4.2	11.2	12.1	9.1	10.3	9.5

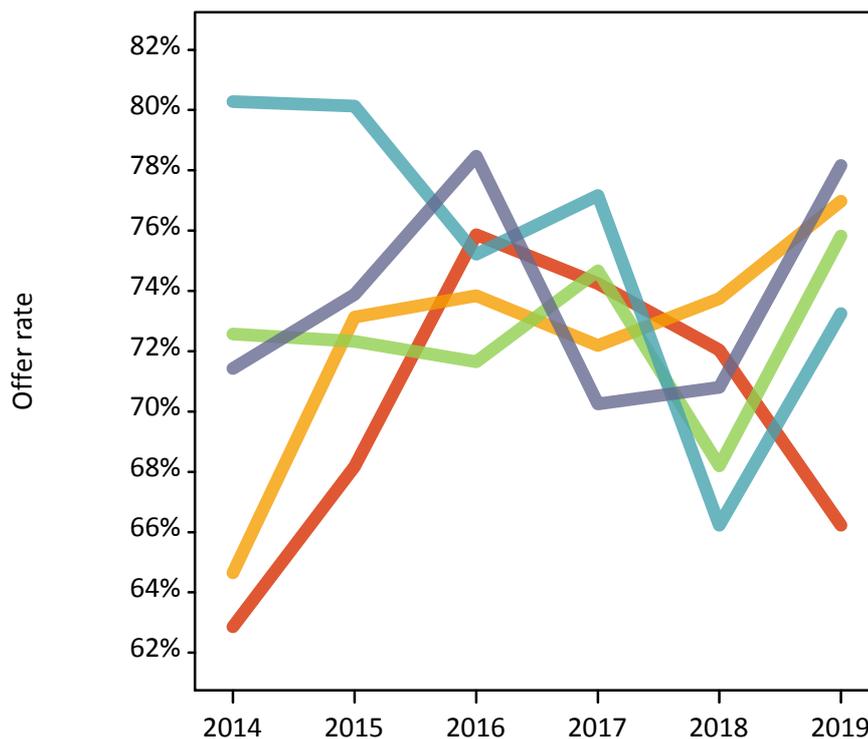
P.8 18 year old applications by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	35	45	60	65	95	75
	Quintile 2	100	135	170	170	160	140
	Quintile 3	175	205	260	300	260	275
	Quintile 4	285	300	340	405	310	315
	Quintile 5	260	270	340	355	320	370
Offers	Quintile 1	20	30	45	50	65	50
	Quintile 2	65	100	125	120	120	105
	Quintile 3	125	150	185	225	180	205
	Quintile 4	230	240	255	310	205	230
	Quintile 5	185	200	265	250	230	290
Offer rate	Quintile 1	62.9%	68.2%	75.9%	74.2%	72.0%	66.2%
	Quintile 2	64.6%	73.1%	73.8%	72.2%	73.8%	77.0%
	Quintile 3	72.6%	72.3%	71.6%	74.7%	68.2%	75.8%
	Quintile 4	80.3%	80.1%	75.2%	77.2%	66.2%	73.2%
	Quintile 5	71.4%	73.9%	78.5%	70.3%	70.8%	78.2%
Average offer rate	Quintile 1	64.1%	69.7%	80.8%	70.4%	70.6%	72.0%
	Quintile 2	70.6%	72.7%	75.9%	75.4%	71.2%	75.9%
	Quintile 3	72.8%	74.8%	75.1%	75.1%	70.6%	75.0%
	Quintile 4	75.7%	78.0%	74.4%	74.6%	66.6%	74.1%
	Quintile 5	73.9%	74.4%	74.8%	72.0%	70.2%	77.3%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Quintile 1	N/A	N/A	-4.9	3.9	1.4	-5.8
	Quintile 2	-5.9	0.5	-2.0	-3.2	2.5	1.1
	Quintile 3	-0.2	-2.4	-3.4	-0.4	-2.4	0.9
	Quintile 4	4.6	2.2	0.8	2.5	-0.4	-0.9
	Quintile 5	-2.4	-0.5	3.7	-1.7	0.6	0.9
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Quintile 1	0.341	0.262	0.307	0.246	0.248	0.265
	Quintile 2	0.263	0.302	0.289	0.290	0.289	0.287
	Quintile 3	0.341	0.343	0.336	0.381	0.352	0.348
	Quintile 4	0.473	0.446	0.408	0.430	0.411	0.400
	Quintile 5	0.462	0.418	0.414	0.395	0.395	0.434

P.9 18 year old offer rate by POLAR4 quintile

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 10 applications in any of the years from 2014-2019.

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- Quintile 4
- Quintile 5



P.10 Percentage point difference between 18 year old offer rate and average offer rate by POLAR4 quintile

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 2014-2019.

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- Quintile 2
- Quintile 3
- Quintile 4
- Quintile 5



P.11 18 year old, Scotland domiciled applicants by SIMD 2016 quintile

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	55	60	80	85	85	85
	Quintile 2	85	120	140	130	135	120
	Quintile 3	160	180	200	215	200	195
	Quintile 4	180	220	250	260	235	230
	Quintile 5	135	130	195	200	180	190
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	15	10	25	15	15	15
	Quintile 2	20	40	40	35	30	35
	Quintile 3	55	50	80	70	60	55
	Quintile 4	60	85	85	85	75	85
	Quintile 5	40	30	55	50	45	50
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	20	30	40	40	30	30
	Quintile 2	30	100	95	95	95	80
	Quintile 3	70	180	190	145	145	150
	Quintile 4	75	240	230	210	200	180
	Quintile 5	50	110	125	115	100	95
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	42.5	47.1	67.9	74.2	74.7	74.3
	Quintile 2	72.3	105.2	126.3	122.2	126.7	119.5
	Quintile 3	136.8	154.7	175.8	196.2	191.2	192.4
	Quintile 4	148.2	181.4	209.5	221.3	208.5	214.3
	Quintile 5	103.7	102.1	156.0	158.2	149.1	162.1
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	12.6	8.9	19.9	13.8	12.3	14.3
	Quintile 2	18.7	34.2	34.5	31.7	30.3	34.8
	Quintile 3	46.2	43.6	71.0	63.5	56.4	53.7
	Quintile 4	50.5	69.9	71.8	71.2	65.0	78.3
	Quintile 5	31.2	23.6	45.6	39.1	39.4	42.9
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	16.5	22.7	33.9	34.5	26.4	28.6
	Quintile 2	24.7	89.4	84.5	86.8	90.8	78.7
	Quintile 3	59.0	155.6	170.5	135.4	139.6	145.5
	Quintile 4	61.9	198.8	191.9	181.8	177.3	169.6
	Quintile 5	39.0	85.6	100.0	92.7	84.6	80.6

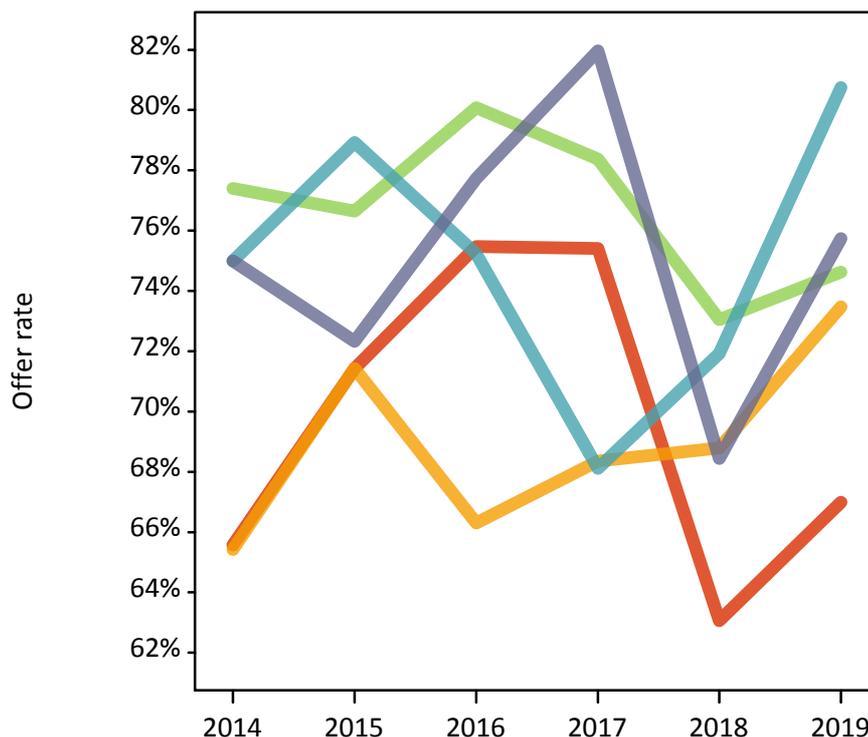
P.12 18 year old, Scotland domiciled applications by SIMD 2016 quintile

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	60	70	105	120	110	105
	Quintile 2	105	140	180	175	175	145
	Quintile 3	210	225	250	295	255	265
	Quintile 4	235	280	325	345	285	320
	Quintile 5	170	160	240	245	245	240
Offers	Quintile 1	40	50	80	90	70	70
	Quintile 2	70	100	120	120	120	110
	Quintile 3	160	175	200	230	185	195
	Quintile 4	175	220	245	235	205	260
	Quintile 5	125	115	185	200	165	180
Offer rate	Quintile 1	65.6%	71.4%	75.5%	75.4%	63.1%	67.0%
	Quintile 2	65.4%	71.4%	66.3%	68.4%	68.8%	73.5%
	Quintile 3	77.4%	76.7%	80.1%	78.4%	73.0%	74.6%
	Quintile 4	75.0%	78.9%	75.2%	68.1%	71.9%	80.7%
	Quintile 5	75.0%	72.3%	77.7%	82.0%	68.4%	75.7%
Average offer rate	Quintile 1	73.6%	74.1%	78.6%	77.3%	68.5%	75.7%
	Quintile 2	70.6%	73.9%	71.8%	73.7%	69.0%	75.1%
	Quintile 3	75.0%	74.9%	77.8%	76.7%	72.4%	74.9%
	Quintile 4	73.7%	77.5%	75.3%	69.8%	71.0%	76.6%
	Quintile 5	73.6%	74.0%	74.5%	76.7%	67.5%	76.2%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Quintile 1	-8.1	-2.7	-3.1	-1.9	-5.5	-8.7
	Quintile 2	-5.2	-2.4	-5.5	-5.3	-0.3	-1.6
	Quintile 3	2.4	1.8	2.3	1.6	0.6	-0.3
	Quintile 4	1.3	1.4	-0.1	-1.7	0.9	4.1
	Quintile 5	1.4	-1.7	3.3	5.2	0.9	-0.5
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Quintile 1	0.221	0.209	0.234	0.234	0.190	0.196
	Quintile 2	0.232	0.255	0.279	0.249	0.272	0.260
	Quintile 3	0.414	0.395	0.327	0.334	0.368	0.325
	Quintile 4	0.410	0.425	0.397	0.367	0.354	0.376
	Quintile 5	0.309	0.308	0.295	0.298	0.350	0.312

P.13 18 year old, Scotland domiciled offer rate by SIMD 2016 quintile

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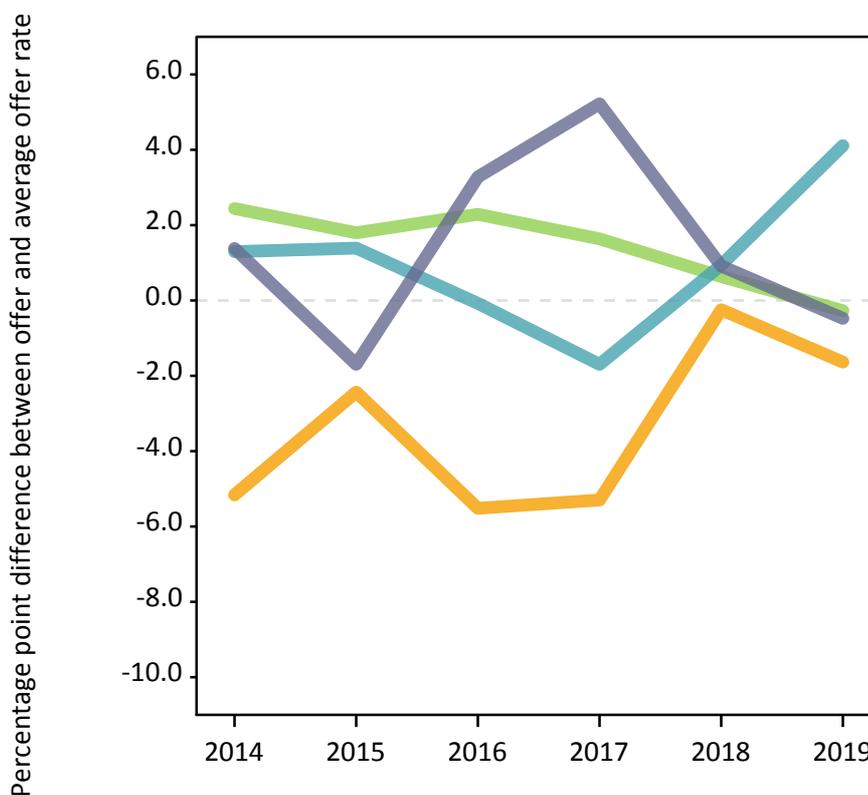
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P.14 Percentage point difference between 18 year old, Scotland domiciled offer rate and average offer rate by SIMD 2016 quintile

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 2014-2019.

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- Quintile 3
- Quintile 4
- Quintile 5



P.15 18 year old applicants by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	White	660	750	900	940	865	865
	Black	0	5	5	10	5	5
	Asian	10	20	5	20	15	15
	Mixed	10	5	15	10	15	15
	Other	0	0	5	0	0	5
Placed June deadline applicants	White	195	215	285	255	225	245
	Black	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Asian	0	0	0	0	5	0
	Mixed	5	0	5	5	0	5
	Other	0	0	0	0	0	0
All placed applicants	White	245	660	670	605	550	535
	Black	0	0	5	0	0	0
	Asian	0	5	10	5	10	5
	Mixed	5	5	10	5	10	5
	Other	0	0	0	0	5	0
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	White	10.7	12.1	14.9	15.9	15.1	15.6
	Black	0.0	1.6	1.3	3.2	2.2	1.5
	Asian	1.5	2.5	0.6	2.4	2.1	1.9
	Mixed	3.1	2.3	4.1	3.7	4.6	4.9
	Other	0.0	0.0	5.0	0.0	0.0	2.7
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	White	3.2	3.5	4.7	4.3	3.9	4.4
	Black	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Asian	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0
	Mixed	1.0	0.0	1.3	0.9	0.0	1.2
	Other	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	White	4.0	10.6	11.0	10.2	9.6	9.7
	Black	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0
	Asian	0.0	0.6	1.1	1.0	1.2	0.8
	Mixed	1.4	1.3	3.2	1.2	2.5	1.8
	Other	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.7	0.0

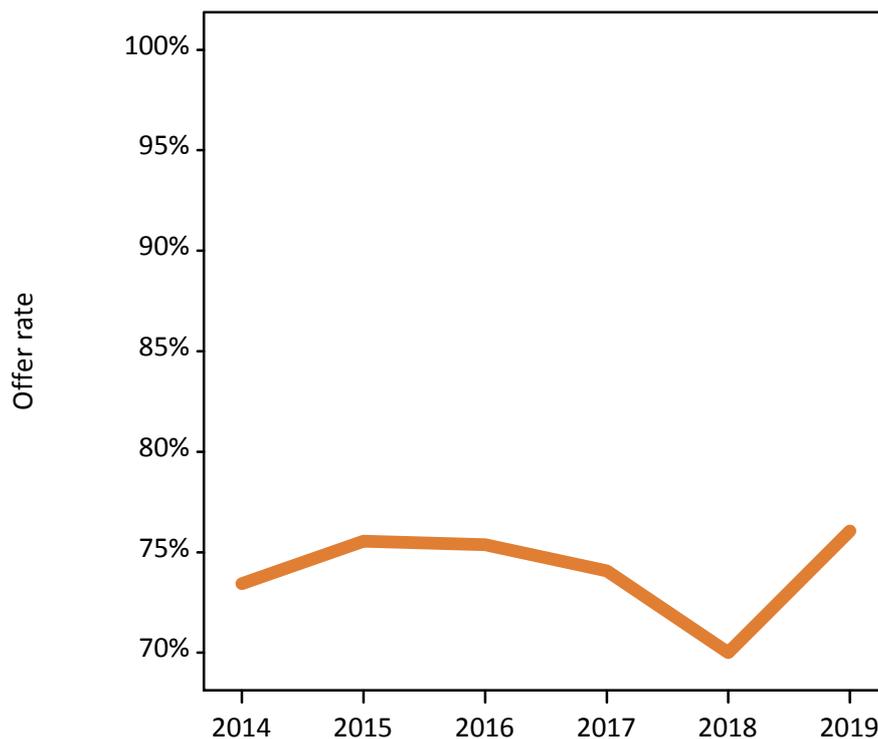
P.16 18 year old applications by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	White	830	925	1,135	1,240	1,090	1,120
	Black	0	5	5	10	5	5
	Asian	10	20	5	25	20	20
	Mixed	10	10	15	10	20	20
	Other	0	0	5	0	0	5
Offers	White	610	700	855	920	765	850
	Black	0	0	5	10	0	5
	Asian	10	10	5	15	15	5
	Mixed	5	5	15	10	15	20
	Other	0	0	0	0	0	0
Offer rate	White	73.4%	75.5%	75.4%	74.1%	70.0%	76.1%
	Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	100.0%	N/A	N/A
	Asian	100.0%	61.1%	N/A	54.2%	63.6%	36.8%
	Mixed	N/A	N/A	100.0%	100.0%	68.4%	100.0%
	Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Average offer rate	White	73.4%	75.5%	75.2%	73.9%	69.5%	75.7%
	Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	69.6%	N/A	N/A
	Asian	77.4%	63.7%	N/A	71.1%	75.1%	63.1%
	Mixed	N/A	N/A	82.7%	76.8%	65.0%	81.2%
	Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	White	-0.0	0.1	0.1	0.2	0.5	0.4
	Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Asian	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Mixed	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	White	0.980	0.974	0.980	0.972	0.963	0.963
	Black	N/A	N/A	N/A	0.584	N/A	N/A
	Asian	0.490	0.397	N/A	0.257	0.301	0.207
	Mixed	N/A	N/A	0.211	0.204	0.317	0.179
	Other	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A

P.17 18 year old offer rate by ethnic group

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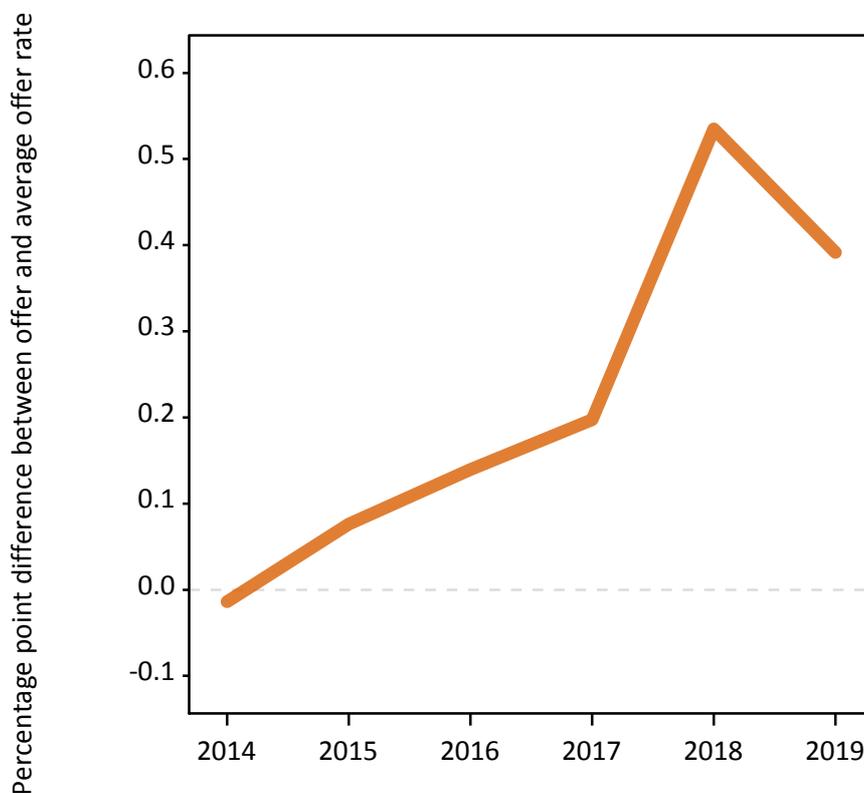
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- Black
- Asian
- Mixed
- Other



P.18 Percentage point difference between 18 year old offer rate and average offer rate by ethnic group

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 2014-2019.

- White
- Black
- Asian
- Mixed
- Other



P.19 Applicants (all ages)

Statistic	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	1,490	2,050	2,525	3,035	3,105	3,040
Placed June deadline applicants	495	655	825	920	980	995
All placed applicants	640	2,560	2,705	2,710	2,815	2,460

P.20 Applications (all ages)

Statistic	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	1,820	2,500	3,135	3,845	3,845	3,800
Offers	1,265	1,595	1,925	2,255	2,180	2,235
Offer rate	69.4%	63.8%	61.4%	58.6%	56.7%	58.8%

P.21 Applicants (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	Men	655	790	995	1,100	1,105	1,045
	Women	835	1,265	1,530	1,935	2,000	1,990
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	215	260	345	335	330	340
	Women	280	390	480	590	650	655
All placed applicants	Men	280	1,140	1,210	1,075	1,060	945
	Women	360	1,420	1,495	1,635	1,755	1,515

P.22 Applications (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	Men	785	965	1,255	1,390	1,380	1,360
	Women	1,035	1,535	1,880	2,455	2,465	2,440
Offers	Men	545	645	815	890	865	865
	Women	720	950	1,110	1,365	1,320	1,370
Offer rate	Men	69.3%	66.8%	65.1%	64.1%	62.5%	63.7%
	Women	69.6%	62.0%	58.9%	55.5%	53.5%	56.1%

P.23 Applicants (all ages) by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	85	100	130	170	175	210
	Quintile 2	210	280	345	460	515	430
	Quintile 3	325	475	545	635	665	640
	Quintile 4	440	630	810	900	880	890
	Quintile 5	425	555	695	860	855	855
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	20	25	30	40	45	55
	Quintile 2	70	90	95	145	175	140
	Quintile 3	110	150	155	190	215	200
	Quintile 4	170	225	315	315	295	325
	Quintile 5	125	160	225	235	250	265
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	25	145	135	140	125	120
	Quintile 2	95	435	460	475	500	415
	Quintile 3	145	540	520	530	570	480
	Quintile 4	205	840	935	915	910	800
	Quintile 5	165	595	655	645	700	620

P.24 Applications (all ages) by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	95	115	155	205	215	240
	Quintile 2	240	350	420	610	645	555
	Quintile 3	405	580	690	825	860	810
	Quintile 4	575	780	1,005	1,160	1,075	1,135
	Quintile 5	505	670	855	1,040	1,040	1,050
Offers	Quintile 1	60	75	100	115	120	130
	Quintile 2	155	210	250	345	380	305
	Quintile 3	280	355	420	500	500	490
	Quintile 4	415	530	620	700	590	670
	Quintile 5	350	425	535	590	585	635
Offer rate	Quintile 1	63.9%	63.5%	62.8%	55.1%	57.3%	55.0%
	Quintile 2	64.7%	60.7%	59.3%	56.2%	58.4%	55.2%
	Quintile 3	69.6%	61.2%	61.0%	60.8%	58.2%	60.3%
	Quintile 4	72.6%	68.0%	61.6%	60.5%	55.0%	59.0%
	Quintile 5	69.1%	63.0%	62.5%	56.7%	56.4%	60.6%

P.25 Scotland domiciled applicants (all ages) by SIMD 2016 quintile

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	135	170	220	280	300	290
	Quintile 2	215	300	355	455	485	485
	Quintile 3	340	490	575	720	730	700
	Quintile 4	370	600	700	755	815	800
	Quintile 5	260	315	490	575	540	510
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	50	40	60	65	80	85
	Quintile 2	75	105	105	135	165	150
	Quintile 3	135	175	235	270	270	275
	Quintile 4	135	220	255	265	290	300
	Quintile 5	80	90	155	160	155	145
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	65	200	230	225	235	205
	Quintile 2	90	460	435	475	485	405
	Quintile 3	180	725	775	755	785	690
	Quintile 4	180	800	820	810	880	750
	Quintile 5	105	350	420	405	400	350

P.26 Scotland domiciled applications (all ages) by SIMD 2016 quintile

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	165	205	270	355	380	350
	Quintile 2	265	355	455	590	600	595
	Quintile 3	435	605	725	950	920	910
	Quintile 4	460	770	895	970	1,015	1,030
	Quintile 5	315	380	595	700	685	615
Offers	Quintile 1	95	125	170	210	210	195
	Quintile 2	180	220	265	350	355	330
	Quintile 3	320	405	450	585	550	565
	Quintile 4	340	505	565	560	585	650
	Quintile 5	230	240	385	420	385	370
Offer rate	Quintile 1	59.5%	62.3%	61.8%	59.0%	55.8%	56.0%
	Quintile 2	67.4%	62.0%	58.8%	59.2%	59.5%	55.3%
	Quintile 3	73.3%	66.7%	62.2%	61.2%	59.9%	61.9%
	Quintile 4	74.0%	66.0%	63.0%	57.6%	57.5%	63.3%
	Quintile 5	72.9%	63.0%	64.5%	60.0%	56.7%	60.0%

P.27 Applicants (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applicants	White	1,410	1,950	2,405	2,860	2,925	2,845
	Black	15	15	15	40	35	30
	Asian	30	40	25	55	65	65
	Mixed	20	25	45	50	45	50
	Other	5	10	15	5	10	15
Placed June deadline applicants	White	480	640	795	890	945	955
	Black	5	0	5	5	5	5
	Asian	5	5	5	5	10	10
	Mixed	5	5	10	10	10	15
	Other	0	5	0	0	0	0
All placed applicants	White	615	2,480	2,590	2,600	2,655	2,360
	Black	5	10	15	20	15	15
	Asian	5	30	45	30	30	35
	Mixed	5	20	30	30	30	30
	Other	0	10	5	10	65	10

P.28 Applications (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018	2019
June deadline applications	White	1,735	2,395	2,995	3,650	3,630	3,565
	Black	15	15	15	45	40	30
	Asian	30	40	30	65	75	80
	Mixed	20	25	50	55	55	65
	Other	10	10	15	5	10	15
Offers	White	1,220	1,540	1,850	2,160	2,090	2,135
	Black	5	10	10	20	15	10
	Asian	15	20	15	25	25	30
	Mixed	15	15	30	30	35	30
	Other	0	5	5	5	5	5
Offer rate	White	70.4%	64.4%	61.7%	59.2%	57.5%	59.9%
	Black	35.3%	50.0%	53.3%	41.3%	35.0%	31.3%
	Asian	53.1%	46.3%	53.1%	40.6%	32.0%	37.5%
	Mixed	65.0%	64.0%	64.6%	57.1%	58.9%	49.2%
	Other	N/A	N/A	0.0%	N/A	N/A	40.0%

Technical Notes and Definitions

UCAS undergraduate scheme

Adjustment

Adjustment allows applicants who have met and exceeded the terms of their conditional firm offer to seek and find a place at another provider whilst keeping their place at their original firm choice provider.

Clearing

Clearing is a route for applicants that are not placed and holding no offers to find a place on courses with vacancies.

Cycle year

The UCAS application cycle which runs from September to October the following year. For example the 2019 cycle runs from September 2018 through to October 2019.

End of cycle

The point in the cycle to which the numbers in this report refer, and the point at which the cycle is closed such that no more applications or offers can be made, and no more applicants can be placed. Numbers reported at the end of cycle exclude information on a small number of applicants who cancelled during the cycle.

Extra

Applicants who are unsuccessful in obtaining an offer or decline all offers may be eligible to apply through Extra, where they can apply to one further course at a time. Extra operates from 25 February until early July. It provides applicants who are eligible the possibility of obtaining an offer before exam results are published and Clearing starts.

June 30 deadline

The deadline for main scheme applications. Applicants who apply after this date will go directly into Clearing.

Record of Prior Acceptance (RPA)

RPA is an acceptance route used when a provider informs UCAS of applicants it has accepted outside of the normal application process (e.g. individuals who have applied directly to the provider).

Reporting groups

Ethnic group

High level grouping of ethnic origin as declared by the applicant: 'White', 'Black', 'Asian', 'Mixed', 'Other', 'Unknown'. Applicants who declare themselves as 'Unknown' ethnic origin are not reported in these tables, but are included in the associated csv data file.

POLAR4 quintile

Developed by OfS, POLAR4 classifies small areas across the UK into five groups according to their level of young participation in Higher Education. Each of these groups represents around 20 per cent of young people and is ranked from Quintile 1 (areas with the lowest young participation rates, considered as the most disadvantaged) to Quintile 5 (highest young participation rates, considered most advantaged). POLAR4 is based on the participation rates of young people between 2009-10 and 2013-14 if they entered higher education aged 18, or between 2010-11 and 2014-15 if they entered aged 19, therefore is most suitable for applicants aged 19 and under. These groups are assigned using the postcode declared by the applicant at the time of their application. If a UK postcode is invalid, considered unsafe for measurement or there is no link to Census geography possible then the applicant is not assigned to a quintile. Applicants with no POLAR4 quintile are not reported.

Sex

Sex as declared by the applicant.

SIMD 2016 quintile

Scottish index of multiple deprivation (SIMD) identifies small area concentrations of multiple deprivation across all of Scotland, providing a relative measure of deprivation amongst 6505 small areas (data zones) based on 7 socio-economic domains. These small areas are classified into five groups ranked from Quintile 1 (considered the most deprived) to Quintile 5 (considered least deprived), with equal populations in each quintile. Quintiles are assigned using the postcode declared by the applicant, applicants declaring invalid postcodes are classified as 'Not assigned' and are not reported.

SIMD is only defined for applicants domiciled in Scotland, therefore any applicants domiciled outside of Scotland cannot be assigned to an SIMD quintile and so are not reported for this measure.

SIMD is only reported for providers in Scotland. Application and entry rates by SIMD are reported in the 2019 End of Cycle Report and the 2019 cycle January deadline application rate report.

Statistics reported in the tables

All placed applicants

The number of applicants placed for entry into higher education at the provider through one of their choices, including any choices made through Extra, or via Adjustment, Clearing or RPA.

All placed applicants per 10,000 population

The number of total UK domiciled 18 year old placed applicants for entry into higher education at the provider divided by the number of UK 18 year olds in the population, multiplied by 10,000. This gives the number of 18 year olds, for every 10,000 in the population, that were placed at the provider through one of their choices, including any choices made through Extra, or via Adjustment, Clearing or RPA. It is an alternative way of expressing the entry rate to a provider. By referencing the underlying population this statistic shows how the number of placed applicants is changing in relation to the available pool of potential applicants and so gives the chance that somebody from the group will be placed at a provider.

This statistic is only reported for 18 year olds.

Average offer rate

The offer rate that you might expect if the predicted grades and subject choice of applicants were the only factors that influenced whether an applicant was made an offer by the provider. The average offer rate is calculated by dividing applicants according to their specific combination of grades (for A levels the best three predicted grades are used, for BTECs, International Baccalaureate and Scottish Highers and Advanced Highers, predicted grades along with any grades already achieved upon applying are used) and subject choice. For each combination the number of main scheme offers is divided by the number of main scheme applications, to give an overall offer rate. This is then multiplied by the number of applications made by the group for which the average offer rate is being calculated (for example POLAR4 quintile 1), to give an average number of offers for that group. These average number of offers are then added together across all combinations of predicted grade and subject and divided by the number of main scheme applications from the group to give the average offer rate.

The average offer rate does not attempt to control for any other factors that may play a part in the decision to make an offer, such as the subject of the qualifications studied, their relevance to a course, or the grade in each subject; higher numbers of A levels being studied; the exact profile of grades predicted; personal statements; teacher references; interviews; or any other criteria (such as work experience or portfolios) that may be part of the admissions decision.

This statistic is only reported for 18 year olds.

Contribution of group to the average offer rate

The way in which the average offer rate is defined means that the pattern of application and offers of a group (for example POLAR4 quintile 1) will always contribute, in part, to the average offer rate for that group. When this contribution is large, the average offer rate will mainly reflect the patterns for the group, meaning that the value of the average offer rate will be similar to the offer rate, the percentage point difference statistic will be small, and any real difference between the offer rate and what might be expected given the predicted grades and subject choices of the applicants will be difficult to detect.

Values of the contribution of group to the average offer rate range between 0 and 1. The closer the value is to 1 the greater the contribution a group makes to its own average offer rate.

This statistic is only reported for 18 year olds.

Placed June deadline applicants

An applicant who has been placed for entry into higher education at the provider through a June deadline application.

Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population

The number of UK domiciled 18 year old placed June deadline applicants at the provider divided by the number of UK 18 year olds in the population, multiplied by 10,000. This gives the number of 18 year olds, for every 10,000 in the population, that were placed at the provider through one of their June deadline applications. It is an alternative way of expressing the entry rate to a provider, but for placed June deadline applicants only. By referencing the underlying population this statistic shows how the number of placed June deadline applicants is changing in relation to the available pool of potential 18 year old applicants and so gives the chance that somebody from the group will be placed at a provider through a June deadline application.

This statistic is only reported for 18 year olds.

June deadline applications

An application (or choice) to a course in higher education to the provider that is made by the June 30 deadline. Each applicant can make up to five choices this way. The number of June deadline applications does not include choices made through the following routes: Clearing, Extra, Adjustment and RPAs. Applications made to October deadline courses received after the October deadline are not included in these statistics.

June deadline applicants

The number of applicants that made at least one application to the provider by the June 30 deadline.

June deadline applicants per 10,000 population

The number of UK domiciled 18 year old June deadline applicants to the provider divided by the number of UK 18 year olds in the population, multiplied by 10,000. This gives the number of 18 year olds, for every 10,000 in the population, who applied by the June 30 deadline. It is equivalent to the application rate. By referencing the underlying population this statistic shows how the number of June deadline applicants is changing in relation to the available pool of potential 18 year old applicants and so gives the chance that somebody from the group will apply to a provider by the June 30 deadline.

This statistic is only reported for 18 year olds.

Offers

An offer is defined as a provider's decision in response to an application to offer a place to an applicant, often subject to the applicant satisfying academic and/or other criteria, via a June deadline application (i.e. does not cover choices made through the following routes: Clearing, Extra, Adjustment and RPAs).

Offer rate

The number of offers made divided by the number of June deadline applications. This gives the proportion of all June deadline applications to the provider that received an offer.

Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate

The offer rate minus the average offer rate.

The percentage point difference can be compared to the expected range of statistical variation resulting from the calculation of the average offer rate using the Average Offer Rate Lookup Table. Where the value of the percentage point difference lies outside of this range, the percentage point difference may be considered to represent a real difference between the offer rate and the average offer rate.

Other definitions

Age

This analysis uses country-specific age definitions that align with the cut off points for school and 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 a cohort cut off of 31 August has been used. Numbers for applicants aged 17 and under are included in the tables that report numbers for all age groups. Providers in Scotland typically receive a higher proportion of applicants aged 17 and under compared to providers elsewhere in the UK.

Provider

A higher education provider - a university or college.

UK domiciled

Declared area of permanent residence within England, Northern Ireland, Scotland and Wales. Applicants from the Channel Islands and Isle of Man are not included.