

Clearing timeline

STEP 1

The evening before A-level results day, universities will publish their course vacancies in national media and online. This is a good time to look at universities and courses prior to getting your results.

STEP 2

A-level results day at 08:00.

You will receive A-level results, and will be able to see online (via trackucas.com) whether you have a confirmed place at university.

STEP 4

If you receive a verbal offer from a university they will give you a unique application code number. You have the option to call as many universities as you like, and gain multiple verbal offers, **but you can only make one Clearing application through UCAS Track.**

STEP 3

A-level results day. If you have no confirmed place at university, you will need to contact universities directly to confirm vacancies and see if they will consider an application from you. Most universities have a 'Clearing helpline' phone number that is usually in operation for several days from results day morning (our hotline number is: 0333 241 6929). Remember, universities will need your results so have them to hand along with a copy of your personal statement.

STEP 6

Keep checking UCAS Track until the university confirms your place. If they don't confirm within 24 hours, you will be able to send another choice.

STEP 5

A-level results day from 15:00. You can apply to your chosen university by selecting 'Add Clearing choice' on UCAS Track.

STEP 7

Once your place is confirmed you may need to think about student finance and accommodation, or visit us at an Open Day. For more information visit www.plymouth.ac.uk.

Did you know?

Some universities will offer the chance to register your interest in a Clearing place in advance. If you're worried about your university place, you can start your Clearing research before results day to see if universities have places available. This will also mean that you can beat the results day rush, as these universities will contact you on the morning of results day.

Find out more about advance registration here: www.plymouth.ac.uk/clearing