Thank you for registering to attend an Open Day on Friday 20 September. In this newsletter, we are focusing on choosing a course and visiting subject departments, so read on for hints and tips to make the most of your time in Oxford.

**CHOOSING A COURSE**

Choosing the right course is crucial. Whether you are aiming for a particular degree or considering a change in direction, the information that follows will help you decide. As part of the Open Day, 33 of our colleges will be opening their doors to visitors. In our next newsletter, we will be focusing on how to decide which colleges to visit, but if you want some information now, we’ve got a dedicated page to help you choose.

Choosing your options, even if you think you know what you want to study. We recommend that you read about lots of courses including some you might not have considered before. At our Open Days, you will have the chance to listen to sample lectures, watch demonstration interviews, take part in practical taster sessions and get advice on admissions tests. Check the subject department timetables for the Open Day and find the events that interest you the most? You might like to use our use our events that most interest you. The events in red require advance booking, so make sure to do so!

**WHY CHOOSE OXFORD?**

Choosing a university is a major decision. Oxford University is one of the world’s top universities and is the oldest English-speaking university in the world. We can offer you a unique experience and a variety of opportunities for your time at university. There will be many challenges and achievements. It’s too early to say, but we think it will be as exciting as imagined!

**TOP TIP**

We recommend that the first thing you do on the Open Day is visit the subject department timetables for the open days and find the events that interest you the most! We are focusing on choosing a course and visiting subject departments, so read on for hints and tips on how to structure your day.

**HOW DO I CHOOSE?**

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### METHODS TO DISTINGUISH BETWEEN COURSES

- **Read the course description**
- **Talk to current students**
- **Attend open days**
- **Use the online questionnaire**
- **Consult with educational advisors**

### COUNCILS FOR ADVICE

- **Educational Advisors**
- **Subject Departments**
- **Careers Service**

**RESEARCH BASED**

Research will inform your studies and help you to understand the world around you. At Oxford, you will have the opportunity to conduct your own research and learn from the best in your field. We offer a wide range of research opportunities, from PhDs to research fellowships.

**PARTNERSHIP**

We have partnerships with many universities and organisations around the world. These partnerships provide opportunities for you to study abroad, participate in research projects and gain work experience.

### CAREERS

You’ll have the opportunity to explore different careers and examine the skills and knowledge you’ll need to succeed. The Careers Service at Oxford can help you to develop these skills and achieve your career goals.

### IDEAS ABOUT THE FUTURE

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**ACCOMMODATION**

If you are planning to study at Oxford, you will need to think about where you will live. There are a variety of accommodation options available, from shared houses to individual flats.

### GREENER OPEN DAY

The Open Day falls during the proposed Global Climate Strike. As a university with a rich history and a bright future, we are taking steps to make this Open Day our greenest yet. Please recycling any printed materials throughout the day. We are focusing on choosing a course and visiting subject departments, so read on for hints and tips on how to structure your day.

**WHAT NEXT?**

We’ve described the college and department timetables for the Open Day and found the events that are available. For more information, you can check out our website for more information.

**CONTACT US**

If you have any questions about the Open Day, please contact us. We’d be happy to answer any questions you may have.

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