



F Johnston
By email

Reference: FOI-2024-137

6 March 2024

Dear F Johnston,

Your request was received on 11 February 2024 and I am dealing with it under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 ('the Act').

You asked:

I would like to request the following information:

- 1. How many gap year applicants were there for the A100 Medicine course grouped by college for all entry years from 2019-2024..*
- 2. How many offers were made to gap year applicants for the A100 Medicine course grouped by course for all entry years from 2019-2024.*
- 3. What the average BMAT Score was for successful gap year applicants was for by college for all gap year applicants for A100 course from 2019-2024 entry. All years can be put all in one group if separating by individual years is not possible*
- 4. How many deferred entry offer have been made by each college for the A100 course for each admissions cycle from 2019-2024 entry. All years can be put all in one group if separating by individual years is not possible.*

The requested information is attached. The University has aggregated the data into 2-year blocks to prevent the risk of any individual being identified. In presenting the information in this way, the University is engaging the exemption at section 40(3A)(a) of the Act because the release of the raw data would breach the first data protection principle (the fair, lawful and transparent processing of personal data) as set out in the UK General Data Protection Regulation. This part of section 40 confers absolute exemption under the Act.

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Yours sincerely,

Zoe Allwood