



Jack Kong  
By email

Reference: FOI-2023-653

7 September 2023

Dear Mr Kong,

Your request was received on 13 August 2023 and I am dealing with it under the terms of the Freedom of Information Act 2000 ('the Act').

You asked:

*Could you please provide statistics for History V100 and VR18 courses for years 2019, 2021, 2022 and 2023*

- 1. Number of home independent school A Level students applying to V100 and VR18 courses in 2019, 2021, 2022 and 2023*
- 2. Number of home independent school A Level students who received an offer for V100 and VR18 courses in 2019, 2021, 2022 and 2023*
- 3. Predicted grades of home independent school A Level students who received an offer for V100 and VR18 courses in 2019, 2021, 2022 and 2023*
- 4. No of offers made to home students - split by contextual and non-contextual for V100 and VR18 courses in 2019, 2021, 2022 and 2023*
- 5. Number of applicants and percentage of offers made to international students for V100 and VR18 courses in 2019, 2021, 2022 and 2023*
- 6. Number of applicants and percentage of offers made to Home students for V100 and VR18 courses in 2019, 2021, 2022 and 2023*
- 7. Number of applicants and percentage of offers made to students under Widening Participation for V100 and VR18 courses in 2019, 2021, 2022 and 2023*

The requested information, insofar as it is held, is attached.

The University of Cambridge does not make systematically lower offers based on contextual data. Our approach is based instead on a holistic assessment of the individual circumstances of an applicant, taking into account a range of contextual and other information, and making offers tailored to those

individual circumstances, rather than making offers that are automatically triggered by the presence (or absence) or certain contextual flags.

For further information please refer to our undergraduate admissions website:

<https://www.undergraduate.study.cam.ac.uk/applying/contextual-data>

<https://www.undergraduate.study.cam.ac.uk/applying/decisions/admissions-policy>

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Yours sincerely,

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