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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	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	18,520	20,400	20,815	21,400	22,385	21,155
Placed June deadline applicants	2,640	2,815	2,880	2,860	3,115	2,755
All placed applicants	2,690	2,885	2,940	2,975	3,220	2,845
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	243.4	270.8	271.7	285.5	302.1	292.9
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000	34.7	37.4	37.6	38.2	42.0	38.2
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	35.3	38.3	38.4	39.7	43.5	39.4

P.2 18 year old applications

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	20,290	22,460	22,920	23,440	24,365	22,865
Offers	8,995	10,300	11,285	11,385	12,290	11,835
Offer rate	44.3%	45.9%	49.2%	48.6%	50.4%	51.8%

P.3 18 year old applicants by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Men	7,685	8,290	8,505	8,605	8,965	8,260
	Women	10,835	12,110	12,310	12,795	13,415	12,900
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	1,070	1,085	1,080	1,065	1,115	1,010
	Women	1,575	1,730	1,800	1,795	1,995	1,745
All placed applicants	Men	1,090	1,115	1,105	1,120	1,155	1,045
	Women	1,600	1,770	1,840	1,855	2,065	1,800
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Men	196.8	214.1	216.8	224.0	236.1	222.9
	Women	292.4	330.8	329.4	350.2	371.6	366.6
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Men	27.4	28.0	27.5	27.7	29.4	27.3
	Women	42.4	47.2	48.2	49.2	55.3	49.6
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Men	27.9	28.8	28.1	29.2	30.5	28.2
	Women	43.2	48.3	49.2	50.8	57.2	51.2

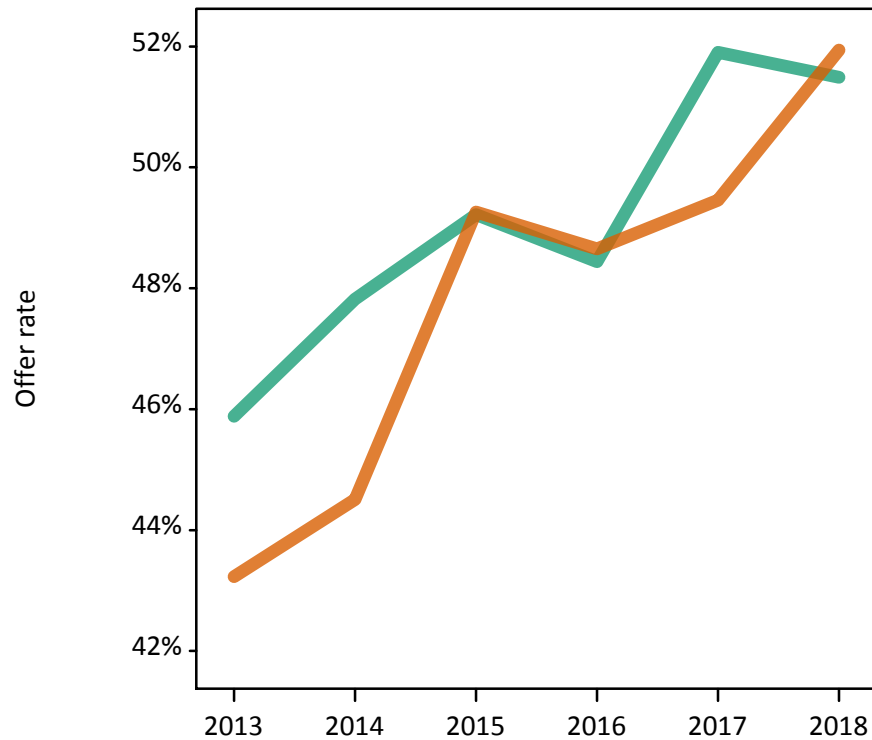
P.4 18 year old applications by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Men	8,460	9,150	9,410	9,435	9,740	8,920
	Women	11,825	13,310	13,510	14,005	14,625	13,945
Offers	Men	3,880	4,375	4,630	4,570	5,055	4,595
	Women	5,115	5,925	6,655	6,815	7,235	7,245
Offer rate	Men	45.9%	47.8%	49.2%	48.4%	51.9%	51.5%
	Women	43.2%	44.5%	49.3%	48.7%	49.5%	51.9%
Average offer rate	Men	47.0%	48.6%	50.9%	50.0%	52.8%	53.2%
	Women	42.4%	43.9%	48.1%	47.6%	48.9%	50.9%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Men	-1.2	-0.8	-1.7	-1.5	-0.9	-1.7
	Women	0.8	0.6	1.2	1.0	0.6	1.1
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Men	0.545	0.526	0.530	0.523	0.525	0.503
	Women	0.674	0.674	0.673	0.679	0.684	0.682

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 2013-2018.

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 2013-2018.

Men
Women



P.7 18 year old applicants by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	710	895	910	945	1,110	1,035
	Quintile 2	1,550	1,805	1,885	1,935	2,045	1,820
	Quintile 3	2,545	2,855	2,945	2,945	3,170	2,845
	Quintile 4	4,095	4,495	4,530	4,730	4,765	4,425
	Quintile 5	9,560	10,300	10,485	10,795	11,230	10,960
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	75	125	110	105	110	130
	Quintile 2	210	220	250	210	250	185
	Quintile 3	350	375	365	370	385	315
	Quintile 4	530	640	630	600	640	570
	Quintile 5	1,465	1,450	1,510	1,575	1,720	1,550
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	80	130	110	105	115	130
	Quintile 2	215	220	255	220	250	190
	Quintile 3	355	385	375	380	395	330
	Quintile 4	540	645	645	615	665	585
	Quintile 5	1,490	1,495	1,545	1,650	1,785	1,605
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	50.5	63.6	64.3	69.6	82.9	79.5
	Quintile 2	106.8	125.7	129.2	136.3	146.6	134.4
	Quintile 3	171.2	195.0	196.4	200.9	219.0	202.0
	Quintile 4	265.7	294.9	292.6	310.3	315.2	300.0
	Quintile 5	555.1	605.3	603.6	625.7	655.0	650.9
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	5.5	8.9	7.8	7.6	8.4	9.9
	Quintile 2	14.6	15.3	17.2	14.8	17.8	13.6
	Quintile 3	23.5	25.7	24.5	25.1	26.6	22.4
	Quintile 4	34.3	41.8	40.8	39.2	42.3	38.6
	Quintile 5	85.2	85.2	86.8	91.4	100.3	92.1
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	5.8	9.2	7.9	7.8	8.6	10.1
	Quintile 2	14.8	15.4	17.5	15.6	18.0	14.0
	Quintile 3	24.0	26.3	25.0	26.1	27.4	23.4
	Quintile 4	34.9	42.4	41.7	40.3	44.1	39.6
	Quintile 5	86.6	87.9	88.8	95.6	104.1	95.2

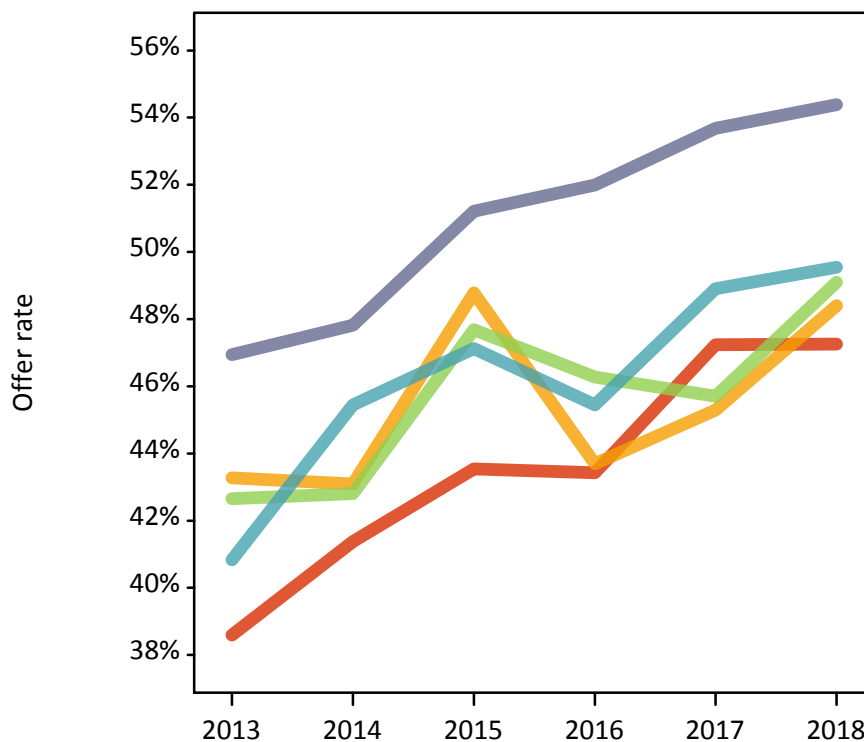
P.8 18 year old applications by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	780	990	1,020	1,035	1,195	1,130
	Quintile 2	1,685	1,975	2,100	2,135	2,230	1,940
	Quintile 3	2,775	3,150	3,245	3,245	3,465	3,090
	Quintile 4	4,510	5,010	5,035	5,225	5,205	4,805
	Quintile 5	10,475	11,285	11,455	11,745	12,205	11,830
Offers	Quintile 1	300	410	445	450	565	535
	Quintile 2	730	850	1,025	930	1,010	940
	Quintile 3	1,185	1,350	1,545	1,500	1,585	1,515
	Quintile 4	1,840	2,275	2,370	2,375	2,545	2,380
	Quintile 5	4,915	5,395	5,865	6,110	6,550	6,435
Offer rate	Quintile 1	38.6%	41.4%	43.5%	43.4%	47.2%	47.3%
	Quintile 2	43.3%	43.1%	48.8%	43.7%	45.3%	48.4%
	Quintile 3	42.7%	42.8%	47.7%	46.3%	45.7%	49.1%
	Quintile 4	40.8%	45.4%	47.1%	45.4%	48.9%	49.5%
	Quintile 5	46.9%	47.8%	51.2%	52.0%	53.7%	54.4%
Average offer rate	Quintile 1	38.3%	36.7%	42.2%	40.5%	43.5%	45.9%
	Quintile 2	40.8%	40.9%	45.2%	42.9%	44.7%	47.5%
	Quintile 3	42.1%	42.7%	45.8%	46.2%	47.0%	50.0%
	Quintile 4	43.1%	45.2%	48.2%	47.3%	49.7%	51.2%
	Quintile 5	46.5%	48.7%	52.1%	51.6%	53.5%	53.7%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Quintile 1	0.3	4.7	1.4	2.9	3.7	1.4
	Quintile 2	2.4	2.2	3.5	0.8	0.6	0.9
	Quintile 3	0.6	0.1	1.8	0.1	-1.3	-0.9
	Quintile 4	-2.3	0.3	-1.0	-1.8	-0.7	-1.7
	Quintile 5	0.4	-0.9	-0.8	0.4	0.2	0.6
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Quintile 1	0.132	0.133	0.118	0.126	0.131	0.101
	Quintile 2	0.149	0.152	0.157	0.153	0.154	0.132
	Quintile 3	0.196	0.190	0.195	0.190	0.195	0.170
	Quintile 4	0.274	0.271	0.263	0.265	0.254	0.239
	Quintile 5	0.562	0.547	0.545	0.543	0.543	0.548

P.9 18 year old offer rate by POLAR4 quintile

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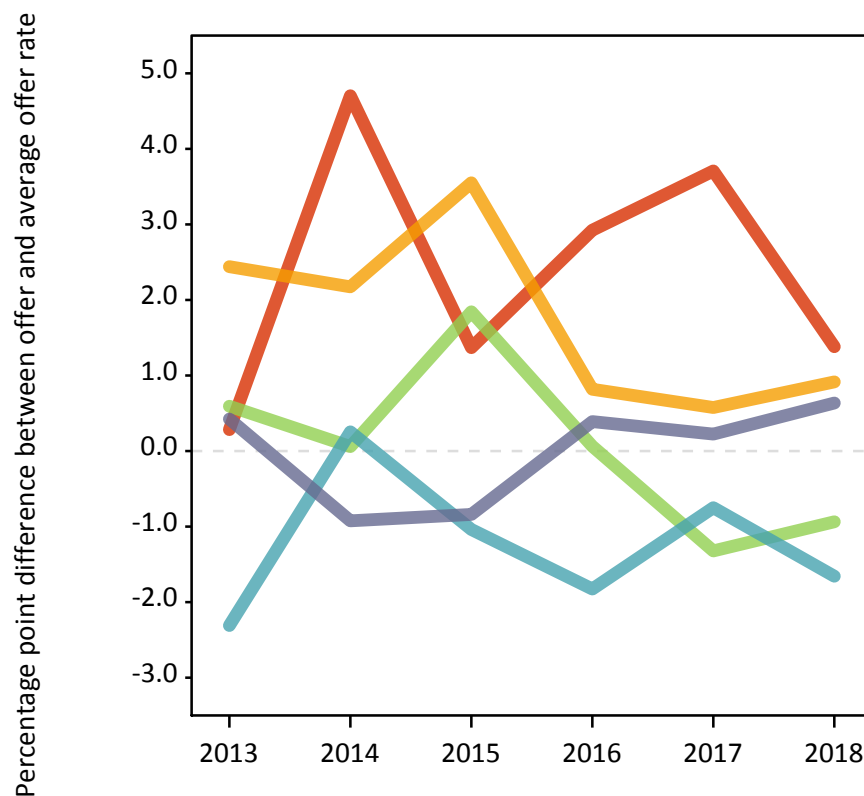
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P.10 Percentage point difference between 18 year old offer rate and average offer rate by POLAR4 quintile

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

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	555	675	710	765	775	645
	Quintile 2	900	1,050	1,065	1,140	1,095	975
	Quintile 3	1,455	1,600	1,675	1,680	1,565	1,375
	Quintile 4	2,115	2,185	2,225	2,355	2,190	2,035
	Quintile 5	3,255	3,235	3,295	3,425	3,145	2,870
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	85	90	70	70	100	105
	Quintile 2	170	155	170	135	155	125
	Quintile 3	250	275	285	235	235	180
	Quintile 4	420	390	410	365	345	305
	Quintile 5	670	525	570	575	590	455
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	85	95	70	70	105	105
	Quintile 2	170	160	175	135	155	125
	Quintile 3	250	280	285	235	240	185
	Quintile 4	420	400	410	370	350	310
	Quintile 5	675	535	580	580	595	460
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	433.4	532.9	576.4	632.4	667.9	567.9
	Quintile 2	763.8	894.3	933.5	1,034.5	1,021.7	920.3
	Quintile 3	1,232.8	1,367.6	1,430.1	1,490.1	1,439.5	1,315.3
	Quintile 4	1,712.7	1,781.4	1,851.9	1,965.2	1,879.1	1,812.3
	Quintile 5	2,530.7	2,520.7	2,587.6	2,738.2	2,511.4	2,403.2
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	66.6	72.4	57.6	56.3	88.0	94.1
	Quintile 2	144.4	133.5	149.0	122.6	142.8	118.2
	Quintile 3	212.4	235.1	244.5	206.9	218.3	170.1
	Quintile 4	339.8	318.5	339.4	305.4	295.9	271.8
	Quintile 5	519.8	407.6	447.0	458.4	471.3	382.8
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Quintile 1	67.4	73.2	58.5	57.1	90.6	94.1
	Quintile 2	145.3	136.0	151.6	124.4	143.7	118.2
	Quintile 3	213.2	237.6	244.5	206.9	220.1	174.9
	Quintile 4	340.6	325.0	341.9	308.8	300.2	274.4
	Quintile 5	522.9	415.4	454.0	465.6	476.1	386.2

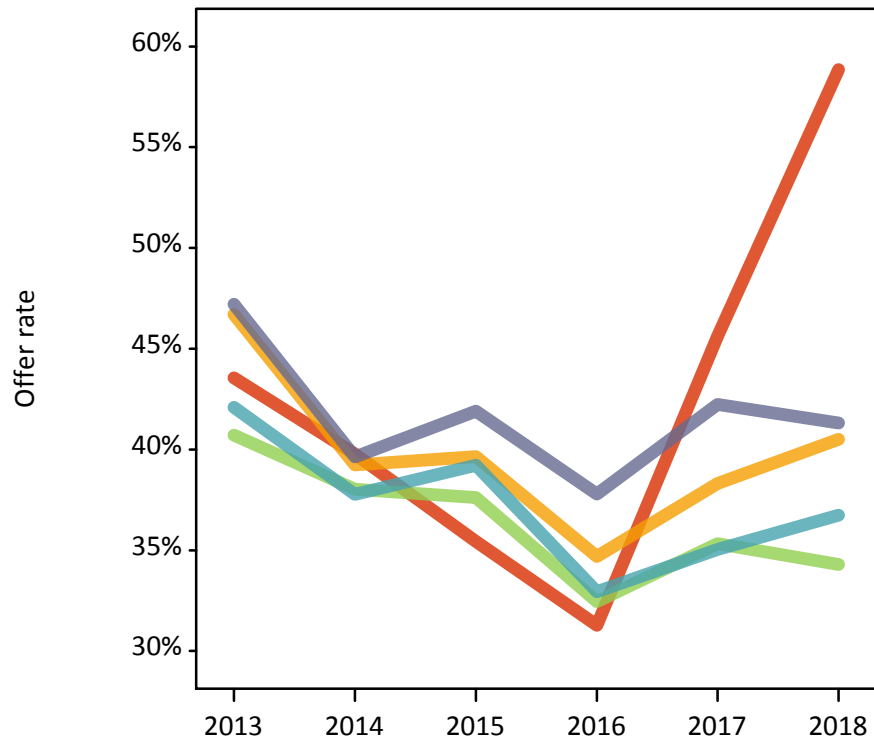
P.12 18 year old, Scotland domiciled applications by SIMD 2016 quintile

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	635	785	860	890	910	745
	Quintile 2	1,060	1,250	1,295	1,360	1,270	1,095
	Quintile 3	1,695	1,930	2,010	2,020	1,860	1,620
	Quintile 4	2,580	2,685	2,710	2,780	2,605	2,395
	Quintile 5	3,875	3,910	3,955	4,095	3,725	3,375
Offers	Quintile 1	275	315	305	280	415	440
	Quintile 2	495	490	515	470	485	445
	Quintile 3	690	735	755	655	655	555
	Quintile 4	1,085	1,015	1,060	915	915	880
	Quintile 5	1,830	1,550	1,660	1,545	1,575	1,395
Offer rate	Quintile 1	43.6%	39.8%	35.4%	31.3%	45.6%	58.8%
	Quintile 2	46.7%	39.2%	39.6%	34.7%	38.3%	40.5%
	Quintile 3	40.7%	38.0%	37.6%	32.5%	35.3%	34.3%
	Quintile 4	42.1%	37.8%	39.2%	32.9%	35.0%	36.7%
	Quintile 5	47.2%	39.6%	41.9%	37.8%	42.2%	41.3%
Average offer rate	Quintile 1	40.0%	33.6%	34.8%	31.1%	34.6%	39.6%
	Quintile 2	41.3%	36.0%	37.2%	33.2%	36.5%	39.1%
	Quintile 3	42.9%	39.0%	39.0%	33.7%	37.9%	39.8%
	Quintile 4	45.1%	39.2%	40.4%	34.1%	39.2%	40.4%
	Quintile 5	46.3%	40.4%	41.4%	36.9%	41.3%	40.8%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Quintile 1	3.6	6.2	0.6	0.2	11.0	19.3
	Quintile 2	5.4	3.2	2.4	1.4	1.8	1.4
	Quintile 3	-2.2	-1.0	-1.4	-1.2	-2.6	-5.5
	Quintile 4	-3.0	-1.4	-1.2	-1.1	-4.2	-3.6
	Quintile 5	0.9	-0.8	0.5	0.8	0.9	0.5
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Quintile 1	0.111	0.119	0.112	0.108	0.126	0.101
	Quintile 2	0.146	0.150	0.151	0.146	0.154	0.135
	Quintile 3	0.204	0.216	0.212	0.213	0.208	0.195
	Quintile 4	0.284	0.280	0.275	0.272	0.278	0.276
	Quintile 5	0.426	0.401	0.400	0.398	0.389	0.386

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

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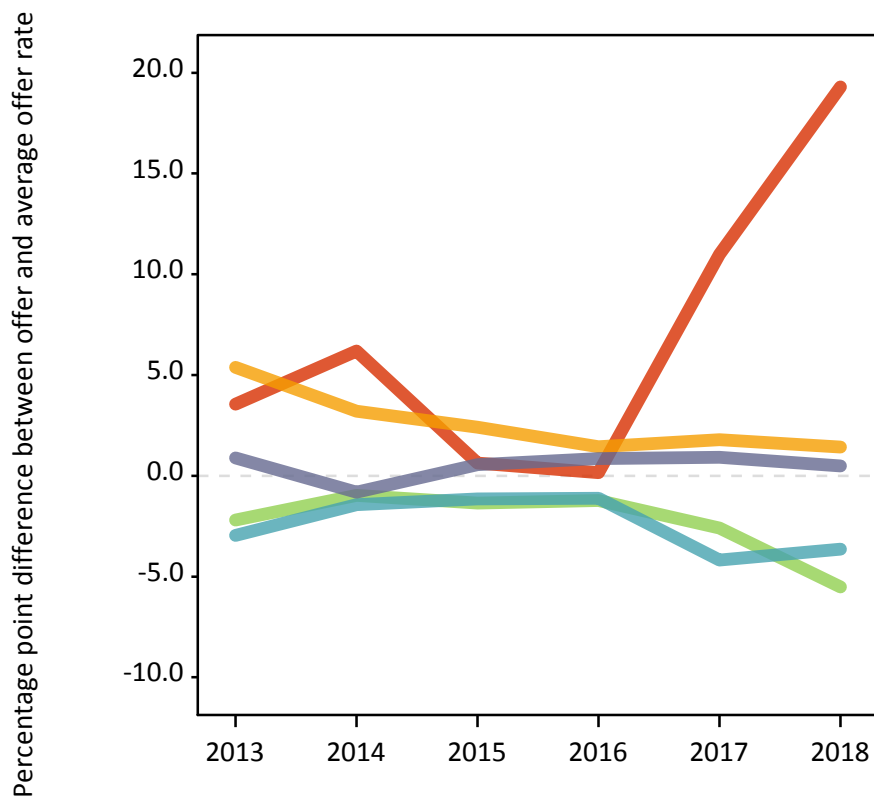
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P.14 Percentage point difference between 18 year old, Scotland domiciled offer rate and average offer rate by SIMD 2016 quintile

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 50 applications in any of the years from 2013-2018.

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P.15 18 year old applicants by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Asian	680	845	935	1,025	1,125	1,165
	Black	215	235	275	235	325	325
	Mixed	585	695	750	830	940	960
	White	16,835	18,410	18,575	19,030	19,605	18,370
	Other	95	105	125	125	185	155
Placed June deadline applicants	Asian	90	95	130	125	130	115
	Black	10	20	15	30	20	25
	Mixed	75	85	100	105	150	150
	White	2,440	2,595	2,595	2,575	2,775	2,420
	Other	10	5	15	10	15	15
All placed applicants	Asian	95	105	135	140	145	135
	Black	10	20	15	30	20	30
	Mixed	75	90	100	110	160	155
	White	2,480	2,650	2,650	2,670	2,855	2,485
	Other	10	5	15	10	20	15
June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Asian	103.1	124.3	132.0	142.3	153.0	157.3
	Black	72.4	78.2	86.4	74.4	103.6	103.6
	Mixed	216.0	241.9	243.2	263.8	292.8	297.6
	White	267.5	298.4	298.1	314.6	330.4	319.9
	Other	105.9	111.7	127.6	126.6	179.6	146.5
Placed June deadline applicants per 10,000 population	Asian	13.8	14.2	18.7	17.4	17.5	15.6
	Black	3.4	6.9	4.1	9.3	6.4	8.0
	Mixed	27.4	29.5	32.1	33.1	46.7	47.1
	White	38.8	42.1	41.7	42.5	46.8	42.2
	Other	9.9	5.4	15.6	8.0	14.6	14.3
All placed applicants per 10,000 population	Asian	14.4	15.3	19.4	19.2	19.6	18.1
	Black	3.7	6.9	4.7	9.6	6.7	9.0
	Mixed	27.7	30.9	32.8	34.3	49.5	48.0
	White	39.4	43.0	42.5	44.1	48.1	43.2
	Other	9.9	6.4	15.6	9.0	18.4	15.2

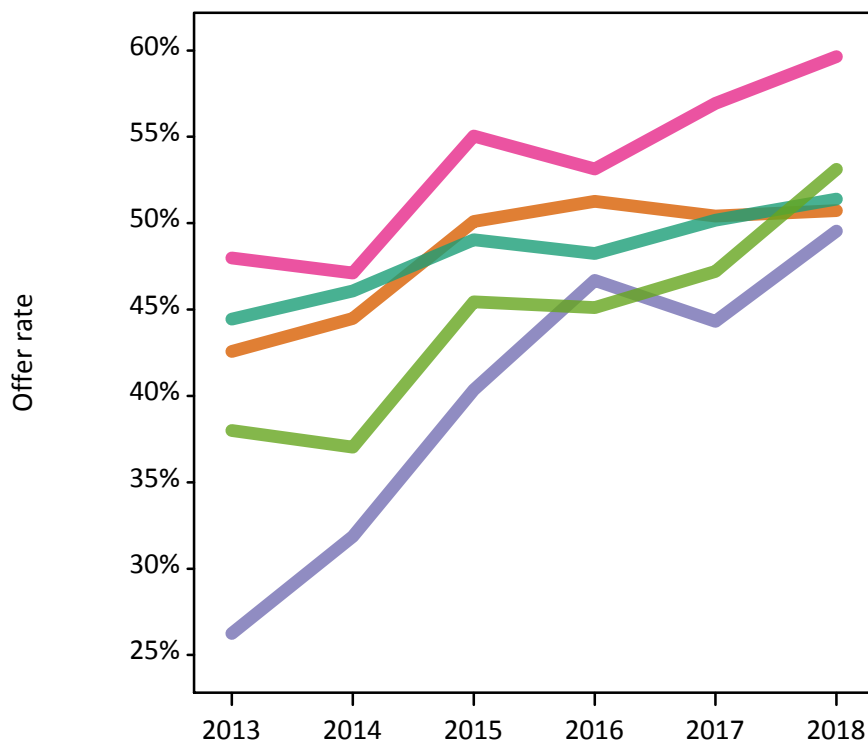
P.16 18 year old applications by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Asian	730	905	1,010	1,100	1,210	1,255
	Black	220	250	290	240	345	335
	Mixed	625	730	795	880	985	1,035
	White	18,495	20,360	20,520	20,915	21,405	19,895
	Other	100	110	130	135	195	160
Offers	Asian	310	405	505	565	610	635
	Black	60	80	115	115	150	165
	Mixed	300	345	435	465	560	615
	White	8,220	9,380	10,060	10,090	10,740	10,225
	Other	40	40	60	60	95	85
Offer rate	Asian	42.6%	44.5%	50.1%	51.3%	50.4%	50.7%
	Black	26.2%	31.9%	40.3%	46.7%	44.3%	49.5%
	Mixed	48.0%	47.1%	55.0%	53.1%	56.9%	59.6%
	White	44.4%	46.1%	49.0%	48.2%	50.2%	51.4%
	Other	38.0%	37.0%	45.5%	45.1%	47.2%	53.1%
Average offer rate	Asian	42.9%	42.8%	47.3%	48.8%	49.3%	49.0%
	Black	32.7%	33.0%	42.7%	43.2%	43.7%	46.5%
	Mixed	46.2%	47.5%	53.6%	53.0%	56.3%	56.0%
	White	44.5%	46.1%	49.2%	48.4%	50.2%	51.7%
	Other	35.9%	42.0%	46.5%	48.8%	54.1%	55.8%
Percentage point difference between offer rate and average offer rate	Asian	-0.3	1.6	2.8	2.5	1.1	1.7
	Black	-6.5	-1.1	-2.3	3.5	0.6	3.1
	Mixed	1.8	-0.4	1.5	0.1	0.6	3.6
	White	-0.0	-0.0	-0.1	-0.1	-0.0	-0.3
	Other	2.1	-5.0	-1.0	-3.7	-6.9	-2.7
Contribution of group to the average offer rate	Asian	0.120	0.143	0.123	0.130	0.138	0.121
	Black	0.138	0.159	0.139	0.120	0.118	0.083
	Mixed	0.113	0.103	0.102	0.113	0.107	0.085
	White	0.921	0.918	0.907	0.903	0.891	0.880
	Other	0.106	0.089	0.111	0.084	0.084	0.054

P.17 18 year old offer rate by ethnic group

Note: The line for a group is not plotted when that group made fewer than 10 applications in any of the years from 2013-2018.

- Asian
- Black
- Mixed
- White
- 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 2013-2018.

- Asian
- Black
- Mixed
- White
- Other



P.19 Applicants (all ages)

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	28,590	30,620	33,375	34,980	35,690	33,500
Placed June deadline applicants	3,715	3,855	4,285	4,265	4,540	4,115
All placed applicants	3,790	3,955	4,375	4,410	4,700	4,235

P.20 Applications (all ages)

Statistic	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	31,800	34,315	37,235	38,810	39,360	36,785
Offers	11,705	13,165	14,825	15,000	16,095	15,515
Offer rate	36.8%	38.4%	39.8%	38.7%	40.9%	42.2%

P.21 Applicants (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Men	12,015	12,565	13,560	14,100	14,225	13,260
	Women	16,575	18,050	19,815	20,880	21,465	20,235
Placed June deadline applicants	Men	1,500	1,500	1,600	1,580	1,670	1,515
	Women	2,215	2,355	2,685	2,685	2,870	2,600
All placed applicants	Men	1,535	1,545	1,635	1,655	1,730	1,560
	Women	2,255	2,410	2,740	2,755	2,965	2,670

P.22 Applications (all ages) by sex

Statistic	Sex	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Men	13,430	14,135	15,185	15,725	15,735	14,615
	Women	18,370	20,180	22,050	23,080	23,625	22,170
Offers	Men	4,990	5,590	6,070	6,090	6,610	6,080
	Women	6,715	7,570	8,755	8,910	9,485	9,440
Offer rate	Men	37.2%	39.6%	40.0%	38.7%	42.0%	41.6%
	Women	36.6%	37.5%	39.7%	38.6%	40.2%	42.6%

P.23 Applicants (all ages) by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	1,405	1,660	1,810	1,925	2,010	1,885
	Quintile 2	2,685	2,915	3,320	3,460	3,550	3,140
	Quintile 3	4,125	4,470	4,860	5,210	5,345	4,795
	Quintile 4	6,330	6,725	7,280	7,650	7,700	7,210
	Quintile 5	13,920	14,755	15,995	16,615	16,975	16,350
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	155	185	190	190	190	230
	Quintile 2	320	310	375	330	385	325
	Quintile 3	505	525	555	585	585	505
	Quintile 4	760	860	945	880	950	845
	Quintile 5	1,965	1,970	2,210	2,270	2,420	2,200
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	160	195	195	195	200	235
	Quintile 2	325	315	380	345	390	330
	Quintile 3	515	535	560	600	605	520
	Quintile 4	770	875	965	905	980	865
	Quintile 5	2,005	2,025	2,260	2,355	2,510	2,265

P.24 Applications (all ages) by POLAR4 quintile

Statistic	POLAR4 quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	1,615	1,920	2,110	2,180	2,265	2,130
	Quintile 2	2,970	3,290	3,730	3,850	3,940	3,430
	Quintile 3	4,595	5,010	5,420	5,815	5,915	5,275
	Quintile 4	7,065	7,565	8,125	8,545	8,525	7,950
	Quintile 5	15,420	16,430	17,735	18,280	18,585	17,865
Offers	Quintile 1	475	570	665	630	785	785
	Quintile 2	970	1,085	1,355	1,240	1,375	1,275
	Quintile 3	1,580	1,740	2,010	2,045	2,105	2,015
	Quintile 4	2,395	2,900	3,105	3,100	3,330	3,125
	Quintile 5	6,255	6,835	7,645	7,950	8,455	8,265
Offer rate	Quintile 1	29.4%	29.7%	31.6%	29.0%	34.6%	36.9%
	Quintile 2	32.6%	33.0%	36.3%	32.2%	34.9%	37.1%
	Quintile 3	34.4%	34.8%	37.1%	35.2%	35.6%	38.2%
	Quintile 4	33.9%	38.3%	38.2%	36.3%	39.1%	39.3%
	Quintile 5	40.6%	41.6%	43.1%	43.5%	45.5%	46.3%

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

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	1,225	1,375	1,615	1,775	1,850	1,665
	Quintile 2	1,755	1,900	2,230	2,525	2,365	2,170
	Quintile 3	2,520	2,705	3,210	3,355	3,120	2,895
	Quintile 4	3,375	3,485	4,040	4,325	4,180	3,745
	Quintile 5	4,895	4,930	5,590	5,855	5,500	5,185
Placed June deadline applicants	Quintile 1	150	135	140	135	185	215
	Quintile 2	260	215	285	255	265	245
	Quintile 3	365	380	445	390	415	345
	Quintile 4	580	545	615	580	550	495
	Quintile 5	895	725	890	890	880	765
All placed applicants	Quintile 1	150	140	140	135	195	220
	Quintile 2	260	220	290	260	270	245
	Quintile 3	370	385	445	390	420	350
	Quintile 4	585	555	620	590	560	500
	Quintile 5	905	745	910	900	895	770

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

Statistic	SIMD quintile	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Quintile 1	1,410	1,625	1,910	2,065	2,170	1,930
	Quintile 2	2,100	2,290	2,695	2,990	2,770	2,495
	Quintile 3	3,030	3,320	3,855	4,005	3,690	3,410
	Quintile 4	4,110	4,335	4,895	5,125	4,930	4,410
	Quintile 5	5,925	6,070	6,755	7,010	6,495	6,105
Offers	Quintile 1	410	440	460	440	630	700
	Quintile 2	695	630	770	740	755	690
	Quintile 3	935	965	1,085	970	1,005	935
	Quintile 4	1,425	1,350	1,480	1,355	1,365	1,295
	Quintile 5	2,295	1,990	2,300	2,180	2,230	2,090
Offer rate	Quintile 1	29.0%	26.9%	24.2%	21.4%	29.0%	36.2%
	Quintile 2	33.0%	27.6%	28.6%	24.8%	27.3%	27.6%
	Quintile 3	30.8%	29.1%	28.1%	24.3%	27.2%	27.5%
	Quintile 4	34.6%	31.2%	30.2%	26.4%	27.7%	29.3%
	Quintile 5	38.7%	32.8%	34.0%	31.1%	34.3%	34.2%

P.27 Applicants (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applicants	Asian	1,220	1,345	1,585	1,690	1,835	1,815
	Black	440	500	540	515	625	575
	Mixed	920	1,075	1,170	1,265	1,385	1,445
	White	25,590	27,285	29,520	30,940	31,125	29,010
	Other	180	200	245	255	325	280
Placed June deadline applicants	Asian	135	130	185	175	165	175
	Black	20	35	35	40	30	45
	Mixed	105	120	145	145	215	210
	White	3,405	3,545	3,850	3,845	4,055	3,620
	Other	20	15	25	20	25	25
All placed applicants	Asian	140	140	195	190	190	195
	Black	20	35	40	45	30	50
	Mixed	110	125	145	150	230	220
	White	3,465	3,620	3,925	3,965	4,165	3,695
	Other	20	15	25	20	30	25

P.28 Applications (all ages) by ethnic group

Statistic	Ethnic group	2013	2014	2015	2016	2017	2018
June deadline applications	Asian	1,315	1,460	1,720	1,830	2,000	1,960
	Black	455	535	585	550	665	610
	Mixed	1,005	1,150	1,260	1,360	1,500	1,570
	White	28,540	30,735	33,030	34,410	34,380	31,920
	Other	200	215	270	290	355	300
Offers	Asian	440	515	690	765	775	845
	Black	85	120	190	160	220	225
	Mixed	390	470	565	595	725	765
	White	10,620	11,910	13,145	13,245	14,045	13,395
	Other	60	70	85	100	135	120
Offer rate	Asian	33.3%	35.3%	40.2%	41.8%	38.6%	43.0%
	Black	18.6%	22.3%	32.9%	29.3%	32.7%	37.2%
	Mixed	38.9%	41.0%	44.6%	43.8%	48.2%	48.7%
	White	37.2%	38.7%	39.8%	38.5%	40.8%	42.0%
	Other	29.5%	31.6%	30.9%	33.9%	38.2%	40.5%

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 2018 cycle runs from September 2017 through to October 2018.

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 2018 End of Cycle Report and the 2018 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.