



APPLICATION GUIDELINES:

Details of the Wellcome Biomedical Vacation Scholarship is now available on our website. Please refer to the application guidelines below when completing your application:

Q20: Do you have right to work in UK?

It is a Home Office and statutory requirement that employers, including UCL, undertake RTW checks to prevent illegal working. Please note that UCL Unitemps will undertake RTW checks for successful applicants. <https://www.ucl.ac.uk/human-resources/working-ucl/hr-services/immigration/guide-right-work-checks>

Q21: Are you a forced migrant?

UCL recognises that forced migrant students can face obstacles when accessing higher education. We use the term 'forced migrant' to mean one of the following:

- Refugee.
- Asylum seeker.
- Those who have been granted a temporary form of leave as the result of an asylum or human rights application (e.g. limited leave to remain, discretionary leave to remain, humanitarian protection, UASC leave).

Q23: Do you consider yourself to have a disability?

This should be marked 'Yes' if you are recognised as disabled. If you choose to declare a disability, we encourage you to provide as much detail as possible so that we can provide you with additional support if required.

Q25: Please provide a figure for your household's gross annual income?

This should include all pre-tax earnings from members of the household whose wages go towards the general maintenance of the household, such as rent and bills. The financial details for the tax or financial year 2020 is from 6 April 2020 to 5 April 2021.

Q26: Are you a care leaver?

A Care Leaver is anyone who is under age 25 and has been in the care of, or been given accommodation by, their local authority (LA) for a period of at least 13 weeks before the age of 16, and who has not reconciled with their parents between leaving care and starting their course.



Q27: Are you a young carer?

We use the term 'young carer' to define a young person who cares unpaid, for a friend or a family member who, due to illness, disability, a mental health problem or an addiction cannot cope without their support.

Q28: Are you estranged from your parents?

The term 'estranged student' describes someone who has no relationship with, or support from either of their parents. The situation is permanent and there has been no contact with either parent for at least a year. UCL has been recognised by the charity [Stand Alone](#) for pledging its effort to develop the support for estranged students.

Q29: Are you or your family currently in receipt of state benefits?

If your household is in receipt of more than one benefit, please provide the total benefits amount received by all family members (e.g. universal credit, working tax credit) between 6 April 2020 to 5 April 2021.

Q30: Were you entitled to free school meals at secondary school?

Please visit GOV.UK for information on free school meals. <https://www.gov.uk/apply-free-school-meals>

Q32: Are you from a single parent household?

Please indicate whether you were raised in a single parent household.

Q38: Do you currently attend a Russell group university? Please see below list of Russell Group Universities if your university appears in the list below, please tick yes for this question:

1. University of Birmingham
2. University of Bristol
3. University of Cambridge
4. Cardiff University
5. Durham University
6. University of Edinburgh
7. University of Exeter
8. University of Glasgow
9. Imperial College London
10. King's College London
11. University of Leeds
12. University of Liverpool
13. LSE (London School of Economics & Political Science)
14. University of Manchester



15. Newcastle University
16. University of Nottingham
17. University of Oxford
18. Queen Mary University of London
19. Queen's University Belfast
20. University of Sheffield
21. University of Southampton
22. UCL (University College London)
23. University of Warwick
24. University of York