



Centigrade

Finding the right course

Providing valuable insight
into a student's potential

Parent Brochure



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With tuition fees to consider, choosing the right higher education course has never been so important.

There are 35,000 courses at over 300 universities and colleges in the UK available through UCAS. With an additional 1,500 courses in Ireland, 750 courses taught in English at European universities, there is a good deal of research to be done.

You want to take the right course, but how do you go about finding the one which will really match your interests, abilities and likely examination results?

What is Centigrade?

Centigrade is a higher education selection programme which matches your interests and abilities to degree, foundation degree, HND and DipHe courses.

You simply complete a specially designed questionnaire, your responses are then analysed and matched with all the courses available and the results compiled into a personalised workbook.

The use of Centigrade can significantly improve the quality of your decision-making and thus reduce the risk of selecting the wrong course.



How does Centigrade help?

Centigrade helps by:

- Highlighting courses where you seem to be well-matched
- Challenging your choices when they may not be soundly based
- Presenting the information you need to make good decisions
- Revealing your wider potential for higher education
- Helping complete UCAS, CAO or overseas applications in good time on a well-informed basis.



"We have been using Centigrade for many years and are impressed not only with the matching courses but also the way it has adapted to keep up with the changing needs of the students. Centigrade is the best tool for narrowing down the possibilities to a manageable level"

Ashville College

What will your Centigrade workbook contain?

Approximately 25 A4 pages of personal printouts and many other supporting items. These are bound together, making about 42 pages in total. Your workbook will include:

- An introduction explaining the workbook as a whole
- A personal profile of 54 degree course areas
- Six to eight double-page course selection worksheets, providing a wealth of course data, including entry requirements, supporting interests, and a commentary to affirm or challenge your suitability for each course.

- A case study designed to match your own interests and to explain how to use Centigrade effectively
- A checklist to use when visiting universities
- A calendar of university open days and taster courses, tailored to your course interests.

Degree Course Descriptions

You will also receive a copy of the highly acclaimed Degree Course Descriptions book as a part of Centigrade. (UK and Europe only)

Who can take part?

If you have or intend to achieve any of the following qualifications:

- French Bac and OIB
- International Baccalaureate
- AS/A level, Pre-U, AQA Bacc
- Any other equivalent qualifications



"If you want to go to university, all you need to have is Centigrade - it will help you do everything"

Student

"Centigrade is invaluable in encouraging students to think about their career and higher education options. The workbook is full of clearly presented information, which almost always stimulates plenty of discussion and further research"

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