

## University of Leeds student admissions 2011/12 – 2012/13 by protected characteristic

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The following comparative student data provides information by protected characteristics on the university's admissions processes by:

- the number of students who applied for an undergraduate / postgraduate course,
- the number of students who were offered a place,
- the number of students who accepted a place to study at Leeds.

Please note:

- all information is for the academic periods 2011/12 and 2012/13
- the '% of total' figure is calculated from the total of known age (i.e. unknown data has been excluded)
- Home/EU and overseas data has been presented separately

Figure 1. Age

1.1 Home/EU

	Age group	2011/12						2012/13					
		Applications		Offers		Acceptances		Applications		Offers		Acceptances	
		Count	% of Total	Count	% of applicants offered	Count	% of those offered that accepted	Count	% of Total	Count	% of applicants offered	Count	% of those offered that accepted
Undergraduate	Under 21	40655	87%	25149	62%	5798	23%	37970	87%	24340	64%	5343	22%
	21 or over	6173	13%	2020	33%	1296	64%	5506	13%	1560	28%	1002	64%
	Unknown	3		1	33%	1	100%	2		2	100%	2	100%
	<b>Total</b>	<b>46831</b>		<b>27170</b>	<b>58%</b>	<b>7095</b>	<b>26%</b>	<b>43478</b>		<b>25902</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>6347</b>	<b>25%</b>
Taught Postgraduate	Under 25	3814	49%	2628	69%	1559	59%	2896	48%	1855	64%	1059	57%
	25 or over	4004	51%	2707	68%	1831	68%	3127	52%	2007	64%	1394	69%
	Unknown	3											
	<b>Total</b>	<b>7821</b>		<b>5335</b>	<b>68%</b>	<b>3390</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>6023</b>		<b>3862</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>2453</b>	<b>64%</b>
Research Postgraduate	Under 25	997	39%	375	38%	259	69%	1138	43%	334	29%	227	68%
	25 or over	1565	61%	623	40%	399	64%	1499	57%	589	39%	380	65%
	Unknown	9		2	22%	1	50%	3					
	<b>Total</b>	<b>2571</b>		<b>1000</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>659</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>2640</b>		<b>923</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>607</b>	<b>66%</b>

Key headlines from the data on the university's admissions process for home/EU student between 2011/12 and 2012/13:

- There is a similar the number of applications for undergraduate study from students aged 21 or over for both periods  
There is a 4% decrease in the number of applications for research post graduate study from students aged 25 or over
- There is a 5% decrease in the in the number of offers made to undergraduate applicants aged 21 or over
- There is a similar in the number of undergraduate applicants aged 21 or over that were offered a place and accepted for both periods  
There is a 1% increase in the number of research post graduate applicants aged 25 or over that were offered a place and accepted

## 1.2 Overseas

		2011/12						2012/13					
		Applications		Offers		Acceptances		Applications		Offers		Acceptances	
		Count	% of Total	Count	% of applicants offered	Count	% of those offered that accepted	Count	% of Total	Count	% of applicants offered	Count	% of those offered that accepted
<b>Undergraduate</b>	<b>Under 21</b>	4154	75%	2496	60%	379	15%	4463	77%	2635	59%	417	16%
	<b>21 or over</b>	1391	25%	598	43%	151	25%	1346	23%	534	40%	170	32%
	<b>Unknown</b>	4		2	50%	1	50%	1		1	100%	1	100%
	<b>Total</b>	5549		3096	56%	531	17%	5810		3170	55%	588	19%
<b>Taught Postgraduate</b>	<b>Under 25</b>	15876	57%	9984	63%	4476	45%	16030	59%	9436	59%	4229	45%
	<b>25 or over</b>	11935	43%	6772	57%	3075	45%	11049	41%	6205	56%	2691	43%
	<b>Unknown</b>	23		1	4%	1	100%	5		1	20%		
	<b>Total</b>	27834		16757	60%	7552	45%	27084		15642	58%	6920	44%
<b>Research Postgraduate</b>	<b>Under 25</b>	577	12%	152	26%	59	39%	517	12%	132	26%	54	41%
	<b>25 or over</b>	4260	88%	1236	29%	577	47%	3910	88%	1129	29%	616	55%
	<b>Unknown</b>	10		0		0	0%	3					
	<b>Total</b>	4847		1388	29%	636	46%	4430		1261	28%	670	53%

Key headlines from the data on the university's admissions process for overseas students between 2011/12 and 2012/13:

- There is a 2% decrease in the number of applications for undergraduate study from students aged 21 or over,  
There is a 2% decrease in the number of applications for taught post graduate study from students aged 25 and over
- There is a 3% decrease in the in the number of offers made to undergraduate applicants aged 21 or over
- There is a 7% increase in the number of undergraduate applicants aged 21 or over that were offered a place and accepted  
There is a 2% decrease in the number of taught postgraduate applicants aged 25 or over that were offered a place and accepted  
There is a 7% increase in the number of research post graduate applicants aged 25 or over that were offered a place and accepted

## Figure 2. Disability

### 2.1 Home/EU

		2011/12						2012/13					
		Applications		Offers		Acceptances		Applications		Offers		Acceptances	
		Count	% of Total	Count	% of applicants offered	Count	% of those offered that accepted	Count	% of Total	Count	% of applicants offered	Count	% of those offered that accepted
<b>Undergraduate</b>	<b>Disabled</b>	2805	6%	1711	61%	527	31%	2694	6%	1691	63%	469	28%
	<b>No known disability</b>	44016	94%	25450	58%	6561	26%	40771	94%	24198	59%	5867	24%
	<b>Unknown</b>	10		9	90%	7	78%	13		13	100%	11	85%
	<b>Total</b>	46831		27170	58%	7095	26%	43478		25902	60%	6347	25%
<b>Taught Postgraduate</b>	<b>Disabled</b>	413	5%	313	76%	220	70%	320	5%	235	73%	170	72%
	<b>No known disability</b>	7368	95%	4984	68%	3144	63%	5673	95%	3601	63%	2264	63%
	<b>Unknown</b>	40		38	95%	26	68%	30		26	87%	19	73%
	<b>Total</b>	7821		5335	68%	3390	64%	6023		3862	64%	2453	64%
<b>Research Postgraduate</b>	<b>Disabled</b>	152	6%	78	51%	53	68%	155	6%	71	46%	46	65%
	<b>No known disability</b>	2406	94%	916	38%	602	66%	2441	94%	845	35%	558	66%
	<b>Unknown</b>	13		6	46%	4	67%	44		7	16%	3	43%
	<b>Total</b>	2571		1000	39%	659	66%	2640		923	35%	607	66%

Key headlines from the data on the university's admissions process for home/EU student between 2011/12 and 2012/13:

- There is a similar number of applications from students who declared a disability for undergraduate study for both periods, at 6%  
There is a similar number of applications from students who declared a disability for taught/research postgraduate study for both periods
- There is a 2% increase in the number of offers made to undergraduate applicants who declared a disability from 61% to 63%  
There is a 3% decrease in the number of offers made to taught post graduate applicants who declared a disability, from 76% to 73%.
- There is a 3% decrease in the number of undergraduate applicants who declared a disability that were offered a place and accepted, from 31% to 28%  
There is a 2% increase in the number of taught post graduate applicants who declared a disability that were offered a place and accepted, from 70% to 72%

## 2.2 Overseas

		2011/12						2012/13					
		Applications		Offers		Acceptances		Applications		Offers		Acceptances	
		Count	% of Total	Count	% of applicants offered	Count	% of those offered that accepted	Count	% of Total	Count	% of applicants offered	Count	% of those offered that accepted
<b>Undergraduate</b>	<b>Disabled</b>	48	1%	26	54%	4	15%	59	1%	32	54%	7	22%
	<b>No known disability</b>	5501	99%	3070	56%	527	17%	5751	99%	3138	55%	581	19%
	<b>Unknown</b>	0		0		0	0%						
	<b>Total</b>	5549		3096	56%	531	17%	5810		3170	55%	588	19%
<b>Taught Postgraduate</b>	<b>Disabled</b>	128	0%	85	66%	54	64%	120	0%	67	56%	31	46%
	<b>No known disability</b>	26908	100%	16452	61%	7414	45%	26622	100%	15523	58%	6865	44%
	<b>Unknown</b>	798		220	28%	84	38%	342		52	15%	24	46%
	<b>Total</b>	27834		16757	60%	7552	45%	27084		15642	58%	6920	44%
<b>Research Postgraduate</b>	<b>Disabled</b>	39	1%	13	33%	7	54%	39	1%	17	44%	10	59%
	<b>No known disability</b>	4794	99%	1368	29%	628	46%	4380	99%	1242	28%	660	53%
	<b>Unknown</b>	14		7	50%	1	14%	11		2	18%		
	<b>Total</b>	4847		1388	29%	636	46%	4430		1261	28%	670	53%

Key headlines from the data on the university's admissions process for overseas students between 2011/12 and 2012/13:

- There is a similar number of applications from students who declared a disability for undergraduate and taught/research postgraduate study for both periods
- 54 % of undergraduate applicants, who declared a disability, were offered a place for both periods.  
There is a 10% decrease in the number of taught postgraduate applicants who declared a disability, from 66% to 56%.
- There is a 7% increase in the number of students who have declared a disability accepting a place on a undergraduate course.  
However, there is an 18% decrease in the number of students who have declared a disability accepting a place on a taught post graduate course

## Figure 3. Ethnicity

### 3.1 Home/EU

		2011/12						2012/13					
		Applications		Offers		Acceptances		Applications		Offers		Acceptances	
		Count	% of Total	Count	% of applicants offered	Count	% of those offered that were accepted	Count	% of Total	Count	% of applicants offered	Count	% of those offered that were accepted
Undergraduate	White	34820	82%	21747	62%	5636	26%	31845	80%	20496	64%	5019	24%
	BME <sup>1</sup>	7785	18%	3268	42%	963	29%	7846	20%	3355	43%	925	28%
	Unknown	4226		2155	51%	496	23%	3787		2051	54%	403	20%
	Total	46831		27170	58%	7095	26%	43478		25902	60%	6347	25%
Taught Postgraduate	White	4106	82%	2894	70%	2078	72%	3472	80%	2384	69%	1746	73%
	BME	927	18%	483	52%	385	80%	843	20%	431	51%	328	76%
	Unknown	2788		1958	70%	927	47%	1708		1047	61%	379	36%
	Total	7821		5335	68%	3390	64%	6023		3862	64%	2453	64%
Research Postgraduate	White	1451	83%	571	39%	423	74%	1521	80%	552	36%	421	76%
	BME	294	17%	68	23%	49	72%	372	20%	105	28%	87	83%
	Unknown	826		361	44%	187	52%	747		266	36%	99	37%
	Total	2571		1000	39%	659	66%	2640		923	35%	607	66%

Key headlines from the data on the university's admissions process for home/EU students between 2011/12 and 2012/13:

- There has been a 2% increase in the number of undergraduate and taught post graduate applications from students of a BME/ Black or Minority Ethnic background  
There has been a 3% increase in the number of research postgraduate applications from students from a BME background, a similar % of BME applicants were offered a place on an undergraduate course (42-43%) and taught postgraduate course (51-52%). However, there has been a 5% increase in the number of BME applicants offered a place on a research post graduate course.
- There has been a 1% decrease in the number of BME applicants accepting a place offered on an undergraduate course  
There has been a 4% decrease in the number of BME applicants accepting a place offered on a taught post graduate course  
However, there has been a 9% increase in the number of BME applicant accepting a place on a research post graduate course

<sup>1</sup>BME = students from a Black or Minority Ethnic background

### 3.2 Overseas

	Group	2011/12						2012/13					
		Applications		Offers		Acceptances		Applications		Offers		Acceptances	
		Count	% of Total	Count	% of applicants offered	Count	% of those offered that were accepted	Count	% of Total	Count	% of applicants offered	Count	% of those offered that were accepted
Undergraduate	White	29	15%	14	48%	2	14%	30	17%	16	53%	1	6%
	BME <sup>2</sup>	165	85%	50	30%	6	12%	146	83%	48	33%	6	13%
	Unknown	5355		3032	57%	523	17%	5634		3106	55%	581	19%
	Total	5549		3096	56%	531	17%	5810		3170	55%	588	19%
Taught Postgraduate	White	474	7%	220	46%	82	37%	420	4%	262	62%	135	52%
	BME	6397	93%	3103	49%	1420	46%	10147	96%	5573	55%	2973	53%
	Unknown	20963		13434	64%	6050	45%	16517		9807	59%	3812	39%
	Total	27834		16757	60%	7552	45%	27084		15642	58%	6920	44%
Research Postgraduate	White	184	16%	38	21%	13	34%	141	11%	34	24%	26	76%
	BME	969	84%	175	18%	80	46%	1157	89%	291	25%	191	66%
	Unknown	3694		1175	32%	543	46%	3132		936	30%	453	48%
	Total	4847		1388	29%	636	46%	4430		1261	28%	670	53%

Key headlines from the data on the university's admissions process for overseas students between 2011/12 and 2012/13:

- There has been a 3% increase in the number of taught post graduate applications from overseas BME students  
There has been a 5% increase in the number of research post graduate applications from overseas BME students
- There has been a 6% increase in the number of overseas BME applicants offered a place on a taught post graduate course  
There has been a 7% increase in the number of overseas BME applicants offered a place on a research post graduate course
- There has been an 8% decrease in the number of overseas White applicants accepting a place offered on an undergraduate course  
There has been a 15% increase in the number of overseas White applicants accepting a place offered on a taught postgraduate course  
There has been a 7% increase in the number of overseas BME applicants accepting a place offered on a taught post graduate course  
There has been a 42% increase in the number of overseas White applicants accepting a place offered on a research post graduate course  
There has been a 20% increase in the number of overseas BME applicants accepting a place offered on a research post graduate course

<sup>2</sup> BME = students from a Black or Minority Ethnic background

Figure 4. Gender

4.1 Home/EU

	Gender	2011/12						2012/13					
		Applications		Offers		Acceptances		Applications		Offers		Acceptances	
		Count	% of Total	Count	% of applicants offered	Count	% of those offered that accepted	Count	% of Total	Count	% of applicants offered	Count	% of those offered that accepted
Undergraduate	Female	27154	58%	15404	57%	4396	29%	25464	59%	14855	58%	3988	27%
	Male	19677	42%	11776	60%	2699	23%	18014	41%	11047	61%	2359	21%
	Unknown	0		0	0%	0	0%	0		0		0	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>46831</b>		<b>27170</b>	<b>58%</b>	<b>7095</b>	<b>26%</b>	<b>43478</b>		<b>25902</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>6347</b>	<b>25%</b>
Taught Postgraduate	Female	4315	55%	3058	71%	1994	65%	3407	57%	2209	65%	1430	65%
	Male	3503	45%	2276	65%	1396	61%	2615	43%	1652	63%	1023	62%
	Unknown	3		1	33%	0	0%	1		1	100%	0	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>7821</b>		<b>5335</b>	<b>68%</b>	<b>3390</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>6023</b>		<b>3862</b>	<b>64%</b>	<b>2453</b>	<b>64%</b>
Research Postgraduate	Female	1076	42%	481	45%	313	65%	1101	42%	410	37%	271	66%
	Male	1487	58%	518	35%	345	67%	1535	58%	513	33%	336	65%
	Unknown	8		1	13%	1	100%	4					
	<b>Total</b>	<b>2571</b>		<b>1000</b>	<b>39%</b>	<b>659</b>	<b>66%</b>	<b>2640</b>		<b>923</b>	<b>35%</b>	<b>607</b>	<b>66%</b>

Key headlines from the data on the university's admissions process for home/EU students between 2011/12 and 2012/13:

- The ratio of female: male applications at undergraduate level are 59%:41%, at taught post graduate level are 57%:43%, however decline to 42%:58% at research postgraduate level (2012/13)  
There is a 2% increase in the number of applications for taught post graduate study by female students  
There is a 2% decrease in the number of applications for taught post graduate study by male students
- There has been a 6% decrease in the number female students offered a place on a taught postgraduate course  
There has been an 8% decrease in the number female students offered a place on a research postgraduate course compared to a 2% decrease in the number of male students offered a place on a research post graduate course
- There has been a 2% decrease for both male and female applicants accepting a place offered on an undergraduate course



## 4.2 Overseas

	Gender	2011/12						2012/13					
		Applications		Offers		Acceptances		Applications		Offers		Acceptances	
		Count	% of Total	Count	% of applicants offered	Count	% of those offered that accepted	Count	% of Total	Count	% of applicants offered	Count	% of those offered that accepted
Undergraduate	Female	2809	51%	1556	55%	274	18%	2969	51%	1567	53%	301	19%
	Male	2739	49%	1540	56%	257	17%	2841	49%	1603	56%	287	18%
	Unknown	1		0	0%	0	0%	0		0		0	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>5549</b>		<b>3096</b>	<b>56%</b>	<b>531</b>	<b>17%</b>	<b>5810</b>		<b>3170</b>	<b>55%</b>	<b>588</b>	<b>19%</b>
Taught Postgraduate	Female	15063	54%	9636	64%	4263	44%	15321	57%	9240	60%	4074	44%
	Male	12734	46%	7093	56%	3285	46%	11734	43%	6384	54%	2837	44%
	Unknown	37		28	76%	4	14%	29		18	62%	9	50%
	<b>Total</b>	<b>27834</b>		<b>16757</b>	<b>60%</b>	<b>7552</b>	<b>45%</b>	<b>27084</b>		<b>15642</b>	<b>58%</b>	<b>6920</b>	<b>44%</b>
Research Postgraduate	Female	1592	33%	459	29%	207	45%	1526	35%	429	28%	228	53%
	Male	3236	67%	929	29%	429	46%	2893	65%	830	29%	442	53%
	Unknown	19		0	0%	0	0%	11		2	18%	0	
	<b>Total</b>	<b>4847</b>		<b>1388</b>	<b>29%</b>	<b>636</b>	<b>46%</b>	<b>4430</b>		<b>1261</b>	<b>28%</b>	<b>670</b>	<b>53%</b>

Key headlines from the data on the university's admissions process for overseas students between 2011/12 and 2012/13:

- The ratio of female: male applications at undergraduate level are 51%:49, at taught post graduate level are 57%:43%, however at research post graduate level decline to 35%:65% (2012/13)
- There is a 4% decrease in the number female students offered a place on a taught postgraduate course, compared to a 2% decrease for male students offered a place on a taught postgraduate course
- There has been an 8% increase for female applicants accepting a place offered on a research post graduate course, in addition there has also been a 7% increase for male applicants accepting a place offered on a research post graduate course