

NEWCASTLE UNIVERSITY

Your application guide for applying to Newcastle University

Application

- Via UCAS (course code B230)
- Applicants are invited to an online interview (Zoom) if shortlisted

Personal Statement

- The interview will focus on your UCAS personal statement, your motivation for studying Pharmacy, and your values (teamwork, leadership, communication, handling difficult situations)
- You may use it to highlight experiences from work, volunteering, or other areas.

Interview Format

- Duration: ~15 minutes, via Zoom with one academic + a current pharmacy student as panel
- Focus areas: motivation for pharmacy, values (e.g. teamwork, ethics), communication & handling scenarios
- Interview is not recorded.
- You are allowed to ask questions about the course / university in your interview.
- If you need adjustments, contact them \geq 2 weeks prior to interview.

Other Requirements

- Must comply with Fitness to Practise (FtP) standards once enrolled.
- Health declaration / checks + disclosure (DBS or equivalent) required.
- Meeting both academic + interview + non-academic checks is needed to receive a final offer.



Entry Requirements

- A-Levels: AAB, including Chemistry + one of Biology, Mathematics or Physics
- Access to HE Diploma: 45 credits including \geq 15 level-3 in Chemistry + \geq 15 in Biology/Mathematics/Physics
- GCSEs / Others:
- Maths & English required at GCSE (min grade C / 4) if not offered at A/AS level