

College membership statistics for postgraduate courses

When you apply for a postgraduate course at the University of Cambridge, you can choose to select 2 College preferences. You can find out more about this process and College membership at www.cam.ac.uk/pg-colleges/.

This document shows the percentage of applicants who were made an offer to study at Cambridge and who were given membership by one of their preferred Colleges. The information has been separated into 2 tables, covering doctoral (e.g. PhD) and non-doctoral (e.g. Master's) offers.

Please note, admissions decisions for postgraduate courses are made by the academic departments. This is separate to the decision on College membership, which is made after you have been offered a place to study at Cambridge.

College	Doctoral Offer Holders (2023/24 to 2025/26)		Non-Doctoral Offer Holders (2023/24 to 2025/26)	
	% accepted by 1st preference College	% accepted by 2nd preference College	% accepted by 1st preference College	% accepted by 2nd preference College
Christ's College	75%+	50 - 74%	25 - 49%	<25%
Churchill College	75%+	50 - 74%	75%+	50 - 74%
Clare College	75%+	50 - 74%	50 - 74%	25 - 49%
Clare Hall	75%+	75%+	75%+	75%+
Corpus Christi College	50 - 74%	25 - 49%	50 - 74%	25 - 49%
Darwin College	75%+	75%+	75%+	75%+
Downing College	75%+	75%+	50 - 74%	25 - 49%
Emmanuel College	75%+	50 - 74%	50 - 74%	25 - 49%
Fitzwilliam College	75%+	75%+	75%+	50 - 74%
Girton College	75%+	75%+	75%+	75%+
Gonville & Caius College	50 - 74%	50 - 74%	50 - 74%	25 - 49%
Homerton College	75%+	75%+	75%+	75%+

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Hughes Hall	75%+	75%+	75%+	75%+
Jesus College	75%+	50 - 74%	50 - 74%	25 - 49%
King's College	25 - 49%	<25%	25 - 49%	<25%
Lucy Cavendish College	75%+	75%+	75%+	75%+
Magdalene College	75%+	50 - 74%	75%+	50 - 74%
Murray Edwards	75%+	50 - 74%	75%+	75%+
Newnham College	75%+	75%+	75%+	50 - 74%
Pembroke College	50 - 74%	25 - 49%	25 - 49%	<25%
Peterhouse	75%+	<25%	50 - 74%	<25%
Queens' College	75%+	50 - 74%	50 - 74%	25 - 49%
Robinson College	75%+	75%+	75%+	75%+
Selwyn College	75%+	75%+	75%+	50 - 74%
Sidney Sussex College	75%+	75%+	75%+	75%+
St Catharine's College	75%+	50 - 74%	75%+	50 - 74%
St Edmund's College	75%+	75%+	75%+	75%+
St John's College	25 - 49%	<25%	25 - 49%	<25%
Trinity College	<25%	<25%	<25%	<25%
Trinity Hall	75%+	50 - 74%	50 - 74%	25 - 49%
Wolfson College	75%+	75%+	75%+	75%+