



Cambridge Teachers' and Advisers' Conference 2019

10.00am – 4.00pm on Thursday 18 July 2019 Faculty of Law, The Sidgwick Site

10.00am – 10.20am	Arrival and registration	
10.20am – 10.40am	An introduction to the University of Cambridge A brief overview of the University, courses we offer, the College system, and how Colleges and departments work alongside each other.	Experienced teachers' and advisers' session
10.40am – 11.00am	Why I chose Cambridge Students share why they chose Cambridge, what they have gained from the Cambridge experience and why other students would enjoy studying here.	These sessions are designed to support teachers and advisers who are already familiar with the University and have lots of experience advising students about the application process.
11.00am – 11.30am	What makes an application competitive? What Cambridge looks for in applications and how your students can demonstrate this.	
11.30am – 11.45pm	Break	
11.45pm – 12.30pm	Supporting students to apply: personal statements, assessments and teacher references How to navigate these stages of the process with your students, and tips for good practice in these areas.	
12.30pm – 1.30pm	Lunch and Department exhibition Departments will be available throughout this time to answer your questions.	
1.30pm – 2.00pm	Cambridge Outreach: what we're doing and how you can get involved Examples of the outreach activities currently undertaken by Cambridge and more advice on how to get your students involved.	
2.00pm – 3.00pm	Demystifying the interview and Q&A An insight into interview structures and styles, and what your students can expect on the day, followed by a Q&A session.	
3.00pm – 4.00pm	Optional College tours Teas, coffees, and discussion	