

## **WHY READ *OXBRIDGE ENTRANCE: THE REAL RULES* ?**

This lively, popular book helps you to understand what sets Oxford and Cambridge apart and why it is worth going there. It then unpacks the qualifications, qualities and activities that allow candidates to impress, before moving on to independent leaning through recommended books and websites. Advice on smart course and college choice is followed by detailed preparation for all aspects of the interview. Drawing on the views of sixth form teachers and dons, the book maps the route to Oxbridge success, while warning of the pitfalls. Here are some chapter headings:

<p><b>IS THERE A ROAD INTO OXBRIDGE?</b>            What makes Oxbridge special?            The network            Fun city            What about those fees?            Living it up            Bare essentials            Cash in hand, almost            Thinking ahead</p>	<p><b>THE BRIGHTEST AND THE BEST</b>            Quality street            Bright sparks            How to be academic            Starting them young            In at the deep end            Read all around it            Caught in the Web            Oxbridge candidates</p>	<p><b>GCSES, AS AND A-LEVELS</b>            A-levels: how many and how good?            How to get an A*            Maths problems            Picking the right subjects            Extending your mind            What not to do (and how not to panic)            Revision courses and home tutors            A-level tips</p>
<p><b>WHAT DEGREE COURSE?</b>            What's on offer            Think before you jump            Picking to get in            Target practice            Picking for a career            What not to do about course choice</p>	<p><b>COLLEGE DAZE</b>            Picking by academic reputation            Picking by student type            But will she be happy there?            Picking for financial survival            Picking by sympathy            Picking for power            Picking for beauty</p>	<p><b>BECOMING A GREAT INTERVIEWEE</b>            What not to do (before the interview)            Giving the right answers            Grown-up talk            Digital learning            Becoming a specialist            How to read serious books            The pitfalls</p>
<p><b>WORKING CLASS HEROES</b>            Special hurdles            The many and the few            The home front            Who's a posh kid then?            The Etonians            Fitting in or standing out?</p>	<p><b>OXBRIDGE MEDICINE</b>            How do I get picked?            Reading your way forward            Multimedia studies            Homing in on your target: THE BMAT            Work experience            Extracurriculars            Writing a medicine-gearred statement            THE BMAT            The medical interview</p>	<p><b>OTHER DREAM COURSES</b>            Cheating death in the lab            Creating a healthier earth            Philosophy, Politics and Economics (PPE)            Economics            English</p>