

We hope that this prospectus has encouraged you to consider applying to Oxford. Over the next few pages we will suggest some ways to find out more.



Visiting OXFORD

Open days

The main University open days (27 and 28 June and 14 September 2012) are the best time to visit, because many colleges and departments will be open and you'll have the chance to chat to students and tutors. You are welcome to visit at other times, of course, but open days are best (see p 184). See www.admissions.ox.ac.uk/opensdays for further details and to request an open days guide.

Admissions Information Centre

You are welcome to visit our Admissions Information Centre, between 9am and 5pm, Monday to Friday. There's no need to make an appointment, just drop in to collect a prospectus, course brochures and other information, or browse our web pages. Our experienced staff are there to answer any questions and advise you on how to make the most of your visit. If you cannot visit Oxford, contact us by telephone or email and we will be very happy to help. Just telephone: +44 (0) 1865 288000, email: undergraduate.admissions@admin.ox.ac.uk or see:

www.admissions.ox.ac.uk/admissionsi

Admissions talks and taster tours

We offer admissions talks and taster tours of some colleges and departments during the school and college holidays, mainly for students who are thinking about applying within the next year. The programme includes a talk covering the benefits of studying at Oxford, including our distinctive tutorial teaching methods and college system, as well as how to make a competitive application. You will also have the opportunity to take a tour of one or two colleges during your visit. To check what's available, please see:

www.admissions.ox.ac.uk/talks

Shadowing schemes

Oxford University Student Union (OUSU) offers students in Year 12 who are thinking about applying to Oxford the chance to come to the University and shadow an undergraduate for a day. The day also includes workshops, admissions information and talks from 'Target Schools' representatives (see p 187). For more information and to find out if you're eligible for the scheme, email access@ousu.org.

UNIQ Summer Schools

In July and August each year, the UNIQ summer schools welcome 750 students to the University of Oxford for a week-long exploration of academic study. Many of the topics will be taken directly from the first-year undergraduate syllabus to give you an accurate understanding of what it is like to study at the University. Throughout the week there will be workshops on the application process, UCAS, interviews and much more. Evenings are spent socialising with new friends through a wide range of activities. These free summer schools are open to high-performing students from UK state schools studying in the lower sixth at the time of applying. The application deadline is in February. For details please see:

www.ox.ac.uk/uniq

Audio tours

Our podcasts include several admissions audio tours to download so that you can take your own tour whenever you like – or listen at home. They cover different courses you may be interested in, as well as information about colleges, libraries and other places of interest along the route, interviews with current students, and guidance on how to apply. To download the tours, please visit:

www.admissions.ox.ac.uk/tours

MOBILE OXFORD

If you've got a smartphone, you might like to look at <http://m.ox.ac.uk> while you are here, for maps and other information.

Come and find out what Oxford is really like. Open days are an excellent opportunity to visit the University, get to know the city, and meet tutors and students. We hope that you will be able to come and visit us.



Wednesday 27 June | Thursday 28 June



The main University open days for 2012 are: Wednesday 27 June, Thursday 28 June and Friday 14 September. There are also other events run by individual departments and colleges throughout the year. Please see their pages or contact them directly for details.



making the most of an open day

Oxford University is made up of colleges, where students live and usually have their tutorials (time discussing work with a tutor). Students will also have lectures and classes or laboratory work, depending on their course, usually in their subject department.

➤ If you are coming to Oxford on an open day, we recommend that you visit **both** your subject department **and** at least one college, to make the most of your day.

We hope you will find all the information you need in the colleges and departments, but if you have any more questions at all please come and visit us in the Open Days Information Centre at the Examinations Schools on the High Street. Here there will be a number of talks and stalls offering advice on student services, finance, careers and admissions.

You may also like to visit libraries, museums and other places during the day.

watch our open days video at
www.admissions.ox.ac.uk/opendays

OPEN DAYS 2012



| Friday 14 September

download our open days guide at
www.admissions.ox.ac.uk/opendays

Booking

Many colleges and some departments require you to book a place in advance. Colleges may also offer accommodation and lunch to those who book, which is a great way to experience Oxford life.

There are also many events where booking is not required, and you are welcome just to drop in. Nearer the time, you can download a guide which will give you information about all the opportunities available which you don't need to book for in advance.

Colleges

Visiting a college or hall on an open day gives you the chance to have a look around, and to meet staff and students. There may be talks on the admissions process, and information about different subjects as well. Don't worry if you haven't decided which college to apply to – you can go to any of the college open days, as they will cover a lot of the same information. There's also time to have a look around other colleges on the same day.

Subjects

Visiting subject departments on open days gives you a real insight into the detail and structure of the courses offered, with talks, tours of the departments and the chance to meet staff and students. They are particularly recommended for science applicants, as much of their teaching takes place in the department.

Other events

The Iffley Road sports complex, several museums, libraries and other places of interest are also open to visitors on the three main open days. Check the open days website for details.

Can't come to an open day?

Don't worry! You are still welcome to visit at any time. If you have particular questions about a college or department, you might like to contact them before you visit, as it's not always possible to arrange personal meetings, especially during term-time. Most colleges are open throughout the year, at least for potential applicants to walk around the grounds. Unfortunately, departments are rarely open to visitors except during open days. We recommend that you start your visit at the Admissions Information Centre (see p 183) where we can advise you on how to get the most out of your visit. See pp 183–8 for more ways of finding out more, including audio tours that are available to download.



For more information, scan the QR code if you have a reader on your phone or visit:

www.admissions.ox.ac.uk/opendays

Events near you

School and college visits

The University of Oxford organises a range of events for potential applicants. Travelling throughout the UK and beyond, we meet with students, teachers, parents and carers. We welcome the chance to talk with interested students about all aspects of applying to, and studying at, Oxford. Where possible, we are keen to encourage schools and colleges to coordinate with other local schools and colleges because this enables us to work with more students over the year and, we believe, enriches students' interaction. For more details and to arrange a visit, please get in touch (see opposite for details).

Higher education fairs and conventions

Oxford University attends higher education fairs and conventions across the UK. These are an opportunity to speak to an Oxford representative face-to-face, to find out more information about our undergraduate courses as well as gaining advice on the application process. For further details, please see:

www.admissions.ox.ac.uk/hefairs

If your school or college is holding a higher education fair, and you would like someone from Oxford to attend, please get in touch (see opposite for details).

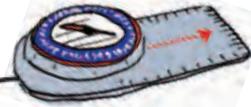


Oxford and Cambridge Student Conferences

These events, which take place in March this year, are another way to find out more about the University without travelling far from home. They include detailed sessions on the admissions process, student life, interviews, student finance and the many different courses at Oxford and Cambridge. Admissions tutors, Admissions Office staff, and current undergraduates are there to give clear and concise advice about applying to Oxford or Cambridge. For more information and to book, see:

www.studentconferences.org.uk





Support for teachers

Oxford University recognises the key role that teachers and careers advisers play in encouraging students to consider their options and make informed decisions. Our Teachers' e-guide has been designed specifically for teachers and advisers to help them support their students through the admissions process:

www.ox.ac.uk/teacherseguide

The Student Recruitment Team delivers a series of Regional Teachers' Conferences across the UK with the aim to equip teachers with the best possible advice for their students on applying to Oxford and to break down any misconceptions that might deter students from applying to the University. The programme covers all aspects of the admissions process from identifying candidates to writing references and preparing candidates for admissions tests and interviews. The conferences visit different regions across the UK on a biennial basis. For details please email liaison@admin.ox.ac.uk.

A number of colleges also hold conferences in Oxford during the year. To be kept informed of all these events and to sign up to our teachers' e-newsletter please visit:

www.admissions.ox.ac.uk/teachers

Target Schools

Oxford University Student Union (OUSU) runs a Target Schools Scheme to encourage students from state schools and colleges to apply to Oxford. Throughout the year, Target Schools volunteers arrange visits to schools, aiming to break down some of the myths and stereotypes about Oxford by giving prospective students and teachers more information about life at Oxford and the admissions process. Most visits take place towards the end of the summer term or the start of the autumn term. It also runs a successful yearly shadowing scheme that gives 200 sixth form students a chance to shadow an undergraduate for a day.

International recruitment

More than 1 in 8 undergraduates at Oxford are from outside the UK, representing around 130 countries. We hold events in a number of countries around the world, with presentations tailored to different audiences, informing potential students about Oxford and our admissions processes.

In addition, as we do in the UK, we recognise the key role that counselors and teachers play in students' decision making processes, therefore each February we offer a two day residential International Guidance Counsellors' Conference. This conference provides an insight into all aspects of life at Oxford as well as our admissions process. For more information please visit www.ox.ac.uk/igcc. For information on events in your country please email liaison@admin.ox.ac.uk or see:

www.admissions.ox.ac.uk/international

Widening Participation in our local area

We work with state school students aged 9–16 (Year 5–11) in Oxfordshire, Milton Keynes and Buckinghamshire, to help them understand what they could gain from further or higher education, and what type of study might suit them best. From one-hour workshops to residential events, we offer an exciting range of opportunities to suit a variety of ages and target groups. Please do get in touch by emailing wp@admin.ox.ac.uk or visit us at:

www.ox.ac.uk/wp

who to contact

As part of the University of Oxford's ongoing commitment to engage with schools and colleges, we have developed a programme of regional links, so that each Local Authority area in the UK is linked with a particular Oxford college. This scheme is designed to give each school and college a first point of contact within the University. The links do not have any bearing on the admissions process and will not influence whether an Oxford college offers a candidate a place. These links are not intended to replace any existing contact a school or college may have with a particular Oxford college or department. For further information, to find your college link, or to arrange a visit please see www.admissions.ox.ac.uk/regionallinks. If you have any questions about this, or if you aren't at a school in the UK, please email liaison@admin.ox.ac.uk.



Online resources

Admissions webpages

The undergraduate admissions section of our website has the most up-to-date information about applying to Oxford University, and what it is like to study here. You can even watch short animations explaining how apply, and how to choose your college, as well as videos about open days and clips of mock interviews. You can download:

- an electronic copy of this prospectus
- *Oxford Interviews* – explaining what to expect from an Oxford interview
- *Parents' and Carers' Guide to Oxford* – for anyone supporting a student through the application process and beyond
- our open days guide (as soon as this is available)

www.admissions.ox.ac.uk/downloads

Alternative Prospectus

The Oxford University Student Union (OUSU) produces the *Alternative Prospectus* that is written entirely by students, for students. This aims to give an inside view of living and studying in Oxford, the colleges and the application process.

www.ousu.org/prospective-students

Podcasts

Find out for yourself what Oxford is all about. Mike Nicholson, Director of Undergraduate Admissions, chats with students and staff from around the University about courses, colleges and finance, as well as how to write your personal statement and how to prepare for interview. Download and listen to whole episodes, or pick out taster clips.

www.admissions.ox.ac.uk/podcasts

Wall of 100 Faces

This webpage features 100 short videos of current students talking about some aspect of their time at Oxford. There is a mix of undergraduate and graduate students, from the UK and overseas, studying many different subjects, involved in many different extra-curricular activities and from almost all the colleges and halls. Have a look for yourself – you will see that Oxford students are just like you. See:

www.ox.ac.uk/100faces



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This free site contains all our admissions podcasts, along with public lectures, teaching material, interviews with leading academics and more. You can watch and listen on your computer, or download files to your mp3 player.

<http://itunes.ox.ac.uk>

YouTube

Oxford has its own YouTube pages including lectures and films about the admissions process.

www.youtube.com/Oxford

Facebook

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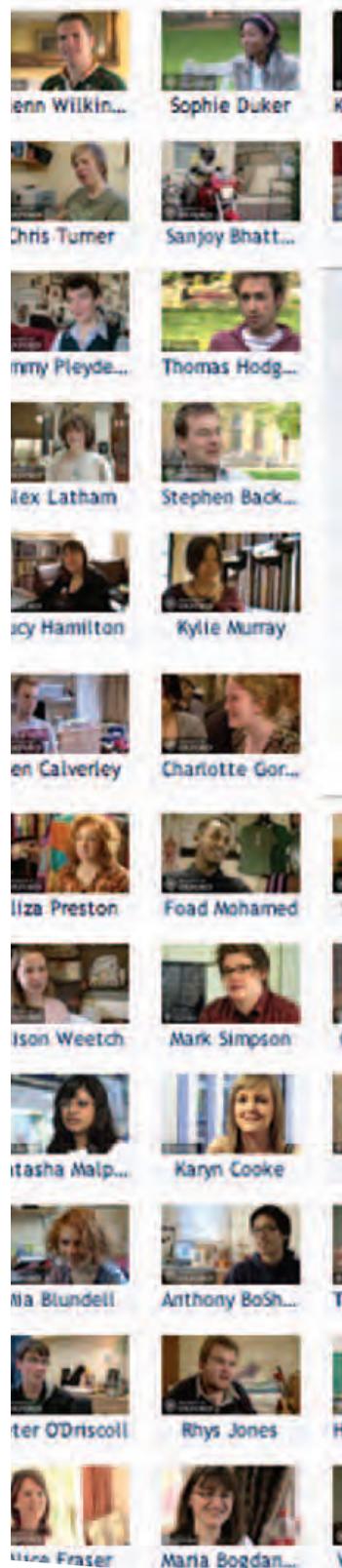
Information for teachers

We have a dedicated webpage for teachers including a teachers' e-guide and events specifically designed for teachers. Teachers can also subscribe to our free monthly e-newsletter containing the latest news about admissions, our work with schools, and competitions that students can enter.

www.admissions.ox.ac.uk/teachers



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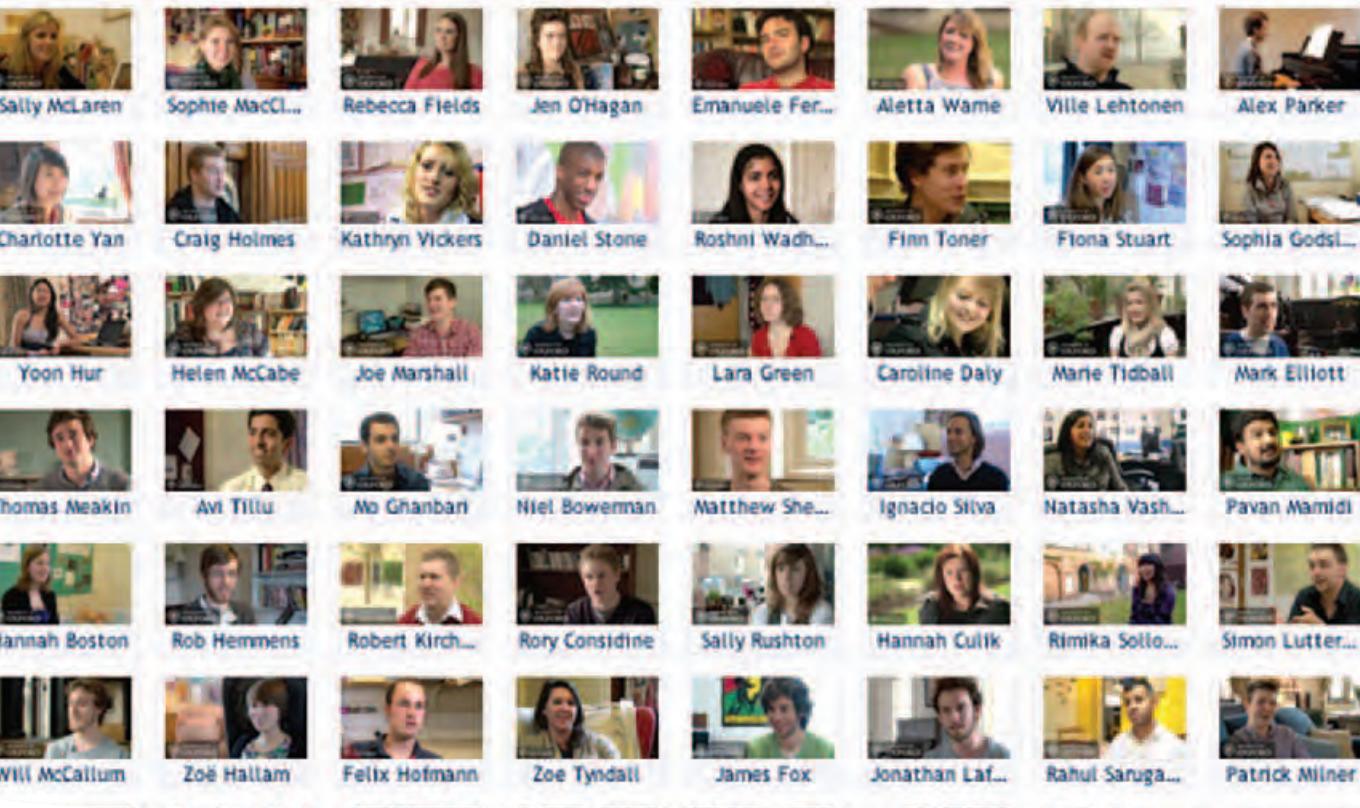
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- 1st year
- Undergraduate

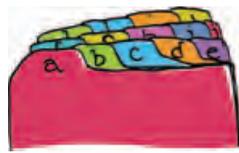


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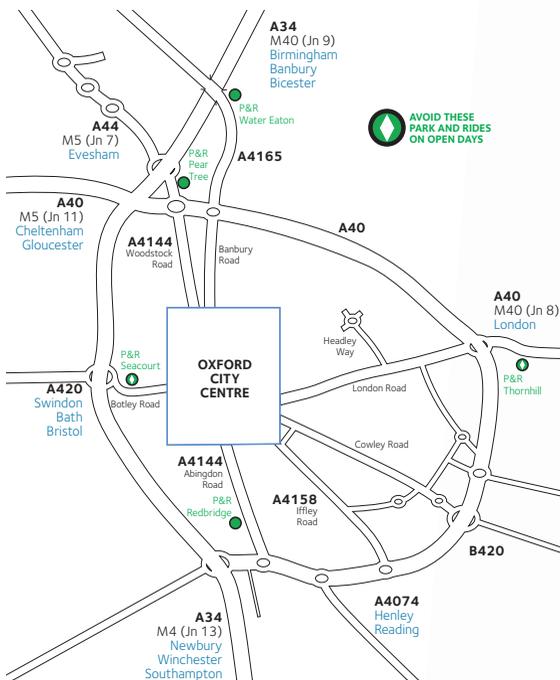
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OXFORD



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Coaches from airports

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www.oxfordbus.co.uk
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Passenger Train Information Service:
 +44 (0) 8457 484950
www.nationalrail.co.uk

Parking

Parking in Oxford is severely limited and to be avoided if possible. Park and Ride bus services operate between the city centre and parking areas on the outskirts (see map). Open days are especially busy, so please arrive early and allow extra time for travel into the city.

www.oxfordbus.co.uk

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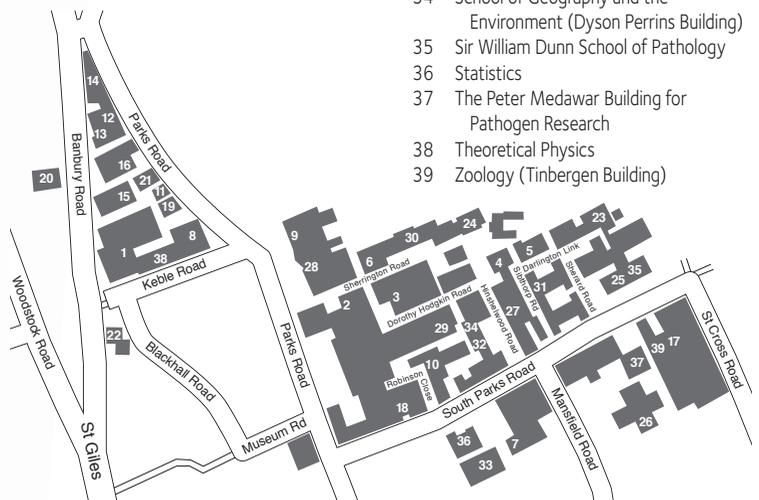
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| 29 Language Centre | |

University Science Area

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| 1 Astrophysics, Particle Physics (Denys Wilkinson Building) | 17 Experimental Psychology (Tinbergen Building) |
| 2 Atmospheric, Oceanic and Planetary Physics | 18 Inorganic Chemistry Laboratory |
| 3 Biochemistry (New Biochemistry Building) | 19 Materials (12-13 Parks Road) |
| 4 Biochemistry (Rex Richards Building) | 20 Materials (21 Banbury Road) |
| 5 Biochemistry (Rodney Porter Building) | 21 Materials (Hume Rothery Building) |
| 6 Burdon Sanderson Cardiac Science Centre, (DPAG, Sherrington Building) | 22 Mathematical Institute |
| 7 Chemistry Research Laboratory | 23 Medical Sciences Teaching Centre |
| 8 Computer Science (Wolfson Building) | 24 Oxford Centre for Gene Function (Henry Wellcome Building of Gene Function) |
| 9 Condensed Matter Physics, Atomic and Laser Physics (Clarendon Laboratory) | 25 Oxford Molecular Pathology Institute |
| 10 Earth Sciences Building | 26 Pharmacology |
| 11 Engineering Science (14-15 Parks Road) | 27 Physical and Theoretical Chemistry Laboratory |
| 12 Engineering Science (Engineering and Technology Building) | 28 Physics (Martin Wood Lecture Theatre) |
| 13 Engineering Science (Information Engineering Building) | 29 Physiology, Anatomy and Genetics (Le Gros Clark Building) |
| 14 Engineering Science (Jenkin Building) | 30 Physiology, Anatomy and Genetics (Sherrington Building) |
| 15 Engineering Science (Thom Building) | 31 Plant Sciences |
| 16 Engineering Science (Materials Holder Building) | 32 Research Laboratory for Archaeology and the History of Art (Dyson Perrins Building) |
| | 33 Rothermere American Institute (incorporating the Vere Harmsworth Library) |
| | 34 School of Geography and the Environment (Dyson Perrins Building) |
| | 35 Sir William Dunn School of Pathology |
| | 36 Statistics |
| | 37 The Peter Medawar Building for Pathogen Research |
| | 38 Theoretical Physics |
| | 39 Zoology (Tinbergen Building) |



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- 1 All Souls (research)
- 2 Balliol
- 3 Blackfriars*
- 4 Brasenose
- 5 Campion Hall* †
- 6 Christ Church
- 7 Corpus Christi
- 8 Exeter
- 9 Green Templeton†
- 10 Harris Manchester
- 11 Hertford
- 12 Jesus College
- 13 Keble
- 14 Kellogg†
- 15 Lady Margaret Hall
- 16 Linacre†
- 17 Lincoln
- 18 Magdalen
- 19 Mansfield
- 20 Merton
- 21 New College
- 22 Nuffield†
- 23 Oriol
- 24 Pembroke
- 25 Queen's College, The
- 26 Regent's Park*
- 27 St Anne's
- 28 St Antony's†
- 29 St Benet's Hall*
- 30 St Catherine's
- 31 St Cross†
- 32 St Edmund Hall
- 33 St Hilda's
- 34 St Hugh's
- 35 St John's
- 36 St Peter's
- 37 St Stephen's House*
- 38 Somerville
- 39 Trinity
- 40 University
- 41 Wadham
- 42 Wolfson †
- 43 Worcester
- 44 Wycliffe Hall*

* Permanent private hall
 † Graduate college

University museums

- A Ashmolean Museum of Art and Archaeology
- B Botanic Garden
- C Bate Collection of Musical Instruments
- D Museum of the History of Science
- E Pitt Rivers Museum
- F Oxford University Museum of Natural History

University libraries

- G Bodleian Library
- H New Bodleian Library
- I Radcliffe Camera (Bodleian)
- J Radcliffe Science Library
- K Sackler Library
- L Taylor Institute Main Library
- M Bodleian Law Library
- N Social Science Library

Other places of interest

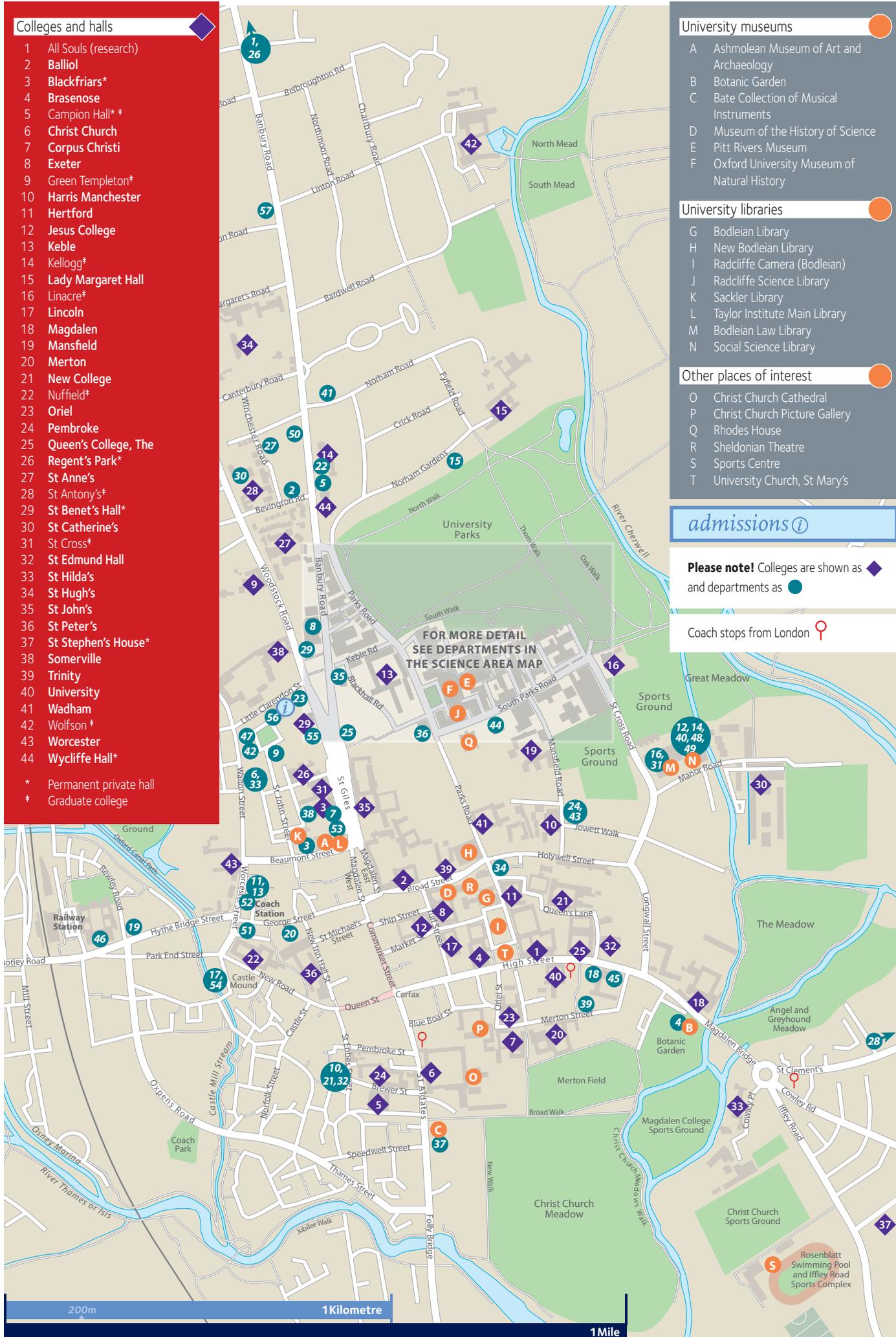
- O Christ Church Cathedral
- P Christ Church Picture Gallery
- Q Rhodes House
- R Sheldonian Theatre
- S Sports Centre
- T University Church, St Mary's

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