

## My Cambridge Application Guide- 2024

### 1. My Cambridge Application

- *My Cambridge Application* is the supplementary form that Cambridge applicants need to fill in, **after** UCAS is submitted by your CTs. You will be pinged by your Cambridge college directly, so ensure you check your email (which you used for UCAS) regularly, especially after 16<sup>th</sup> Oct.
- Refer to the link published by Cambridge for more details:  
<https://www.undergraduate.study.cam.ac.uk/apply/how/cambridge-application>
- Ensure you **fill in and submit the necessary by the deadline stipulated by your college**. In most cases, this is **22 Oct 2024, 6pm UK time**. If for any reason your specific college specifies an earlier deadline, do abide by it.

To prepare ahead of time:

- **Transcript:** One clear, coloured PDF scan of your: Sec 4 final results (IP Sec 4, or GCE O levels), Year 5 Overall Results.  
→ Alumni: You will also include your official GCE A-level cert in your PDF.
- **Additional statement:** In this form, you will have the opportunity to put in a short additional statement (this is on top of UCAS). Only use this if relevant to you. It is not necessary otherwise. E.g.: if you are applying for Natural Sciences, and your UCAS statement focused on Biology only, it would be good to use this space to highlight your *other* strengths in Maths/Physics/Chem.
- **Alumni girls who may already be enrolled in a university course** and are yet applying: this is a good place for you to declare transparently the university and course you are on, and explain succinctly why you wish to apply, stating explicitly that you are willing to start as a freshman. You will also **declare this in Section 6**. Be aware that non-disclosure can be construed as a fraudulent act.
- **A photo ID of yourself:** that can be used as a digital ID; this means to passport quality standards. Refer to **section 9** on this for specific instructions.

#### FAQs

**The following screengrabs & instructions are to help students with some sections.** The rest of it is pretty self-explanatory, so do fill in accordingly.

## Section 4.4:



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Have you been awarded 6 or more GCSEs or IGCSEs in the last 3 years?

GCSEs are qualifications normally studied in the UK at age 16. Some international and UK applicants study IGCSEs.

Why do we need this information?

- Yes, I have been awarded 6 or more GCSEs or IGCSEs in the last 3 years
- No, I have fewer than 6 GCSEs or IGCSEs, or I took the exams more than 3 years ago
- I have not studied GCSEs or IGCSEs

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Checkbox: *I have not studied GCSEs or IGCSEs*. You are on the **Singapore Integrated Programme GCE A-levels (SIPCAL)**. This is the same for GCE O level students as well: it is not the GCSEs.

**Section 4.5:** You have not taken GCSEs at a school in the UK, and neither have you been awarded Scottish National Qualifications (**Section 4.8**).

**Sections 4.9 (do you have or are you studying any of these qualifications) and 4.10 (have you studied or are you studying with any of these awarding bodies):** checkbox and fill in as follows:

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## High school studies

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Do you have or are you studying for any of these qualifications?

Why do we need this information? 

- AS or A levels (including international AS and A levels)
- Scottish Highers or Advanced Highers
- International Baccalaureate
- I have studied for different qualifications

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## Your AS and A levels

Have you studied or are you studying with any of these awarding bodies?

You can find the awarding body on the exam certificate or statement of results. Your school or college should also have a record.

Select all that apply.

- AQA
- CCEA
- Edexcel
- OCR
- WJEC
- Cambridge International Examinations
- OxfordAQA (international)
- Pearson Edexcel (international)
- Learning Resource Network (international)
- I have or I am studying for other AS and A levels

 **Checkbox this: you are on the Singapore Integrated Programme-Cambridge GCE A-level (SIPCAL) system**

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**Section 4.11:** Checkbox that you only receive a grade for each subject. You do not have PUMs, so ignore those. Jump straight to 4.17 thereafter. This is where you upload the PDF of your high school transcript (refer to first page of this guide). Note: it's preferable that you combine all the documents and upload just one PDF. The page looks like this:



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## High school studies

### Upload your high school transcript

- Your transcript must be a .pdf file.
- You can add a maximum of 5 .pdf files.
- Each file must be 5 MB or less.



Select a file

or drag and drop to upload

## English Language Qualifications (Section 7):

- **Section 7.1 (*Have you taken IELTS*):** this would be no, for most of you → Jump to **section 7.4** then. If you have taken it, you can declare it in 7.2 & 7.3.
- **Section 7.4:**
  - ✓ *Have you taken or do you plan to take a different English language qualification:* Checkbox **Yes**.
  - ✓ Under *Give Details*. Provide the following as appropriate:
    - a) **IP students:** Singapore Integrated Programme Secondary 4 English (give month/year & grade as appropriate). **JAE students:** Singapore Cambridge GCE O levels (give month/year & grade as appropriate).
    - b) **All:** Singapore Integrated Programme Cambridge GCE A levels, H1 General Paper (give month/year & grade as appropriate. Alumni: give exact grade. Y6s: put 'Pending'.)

**Important:** Note that it is up to the Cambridge college on what is deemed sufficient. Should it be the case that upon offer, a condition is for IELTS/TOEFL, you will have to take it as required.

## Section 8 (*Interviews*):

Please fill this in according to your schedule. Be sure to inform Cambridge exactly when you are available for interviews/not.

**Section 8.3 (*list the topics you have studied*):** This pertains to your H2s/H3s. Given the 100 character limit, focus on the *relevant* H2/H3s to your major. Listing the broad topics will do—you will find this in your H2 subject scheme of work (the broad topics). Or: refer to SEAB website: <https://www.seab.gov.sg/home/examinations/gce-a-level/a-level-syllabuses-examined-for-school-candidates-2024>

For instance, *GCE A level H2 Chemistry*. Topics covered would include: Atomic Structure, Organic Chemistry, Electrochemistry, Chemical Bonding, Thermodynamics & Kinetics. Don't worry about listing out everything; it is not necessary to list every subtopic; go for key ideas.

All the best!

Source: [My Cambridge Application -International Applicants](#)