

OSCAR university applications platform

Causeway's Online System for Completing Applications and References (OSCAR) provides an intuitive, step-by-step framework for planning, writing, and editing outstanding personal statements and teacher references.

OSCAR is available completely free of charge to all UK state schools.

The OSCAR difference

At OSCAR's core is our rigorous research into what admissions staff are really looking for in university applications. Its clear guidance empowers students to analyse and present their skills, knowledge and experiences in the most effective way, and supports teachers to write the best possible references. OSCAR provides:

- ✓ A clear personal statement structure for students to refer to and follow.
- ✓ Sources of suggested further reading that allow all applicants to undertake course-related independent research and showcase their academic personality and potential.
- ✓ An intuitive messaging and feedback interface that allows for in-line comments on a student's statement by the designated teacher.
- ✓ Interactive modules that give guidance on course choices, interviews and admission tests.
- ✓ Clear breakdowns of reference advice for both subject teachers and form tutors with an even better Reference Framework on the way for the 2021-22 application cycle.



of 2019–20 OSCAR student users sampled felt it helped them write a better personal statement

"With OSCAR, our subject references are a million times better. The platform has significantly up-skilled our staff."

Katie Sanders-Pope, Director of Sixth Form,
Mildenhall College Academy

How to get OSCAR

To register for the platform, simply send an email to info@causeway.education with the name and email address of the staff member you would like to designate as the lead teacher on OSCAR. They will then receive clear, step-by-step user guides for staff and students, alongside instructions for onboarding them onto the platform.

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