

# Admissions Confidentiality and Feedback

## Confidentiality

Sharing details of your admissions assessment and/or interviews risks compromising our standards of admission, and could harm the interpretation of your own performance. You understand that the College expects you to maintain confidentiality. Therefore you must not disclose the content of any admissions assessment or interview to other applicants or any commercial organisations at any point, either during the admissions process or while you are a student at the University of Cambridge. This includes, but is not limited to, communication indirectly or directly by email, websites, chat rooms and texts with other applicants. While we understand that you may wish to discuss your interviews with advisers at your school/college, you are requested not to share full details of any questions asked with them. The College will treat any breach of confidentiality as a very serious matter.

## Feedback

St John's College is happy to provide feedback, when requested, to applicants who have been interviewed by the College, but have failed to secure an offer, either in the first instance from St John's College or subsequently from a pool College.

We provide feedback to the writer of the UCAS reference (usually a member of staff at your school/college), or if you have left school at the time of applying, we will provide feedback directly to you.

This is for two reasons:

1. The referee is well placed to judge the best way to convey the feedback to you so that it is received as a beneficial learning experience;
2. The provision of feedback to your school/college informs advisers of future applicants about the standards and requirements for the relevant Cambridge course and is therefore of wider benefit to the admissions process.

I have read and understand the statement on the confidentiality of the admissions process as outlined above and I accept this. I am also aware of the feedback arrangements.

Name:

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UCAS PID:

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Subject:

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Signed:

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Date:

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