

UNIVERSITY OF SURREY

DISCOVER UNIVERSITY SUMMER SCHOOL

16 – 18 JULY 2019





Your child is invited to attend the University of Surrey's Discover University residential summer school for young carers.

ABOUT THE SUMMER SCHOOL

The Discover University summer school is designed specifically for young carers. The summer school runs over three days and two nights and will give your child the opportunity to stay in university accommodation. However, if due to caring responsibilities your child is only able to visit during the day, this can be arranged.

During the summer school your child will take part in subject taster activities, explore life as a student and find out about the support offered at university. All young people invited to attend the summer school will be young carers, so attending will give your child the opportunity to meet new friends and fellow students from similar backgrounds. The summer school will create the friendly, caring atmosphere enjoyed by students at university and is a fantastic opportunity to experience the life of a student in a supportive environment.

During the evenings there will be a range of social activities held on the university campus, or in the surrounding area.

WHERE

The summer school will be held at the main University of Surrey campus. Some external trips may be offered as part of the summer school.

ELIGIBILITY

The Summer School is free to students in years 9, 10 and 11 who are young carers.

COST

The summer school is free to all students. This includes accommodation, food and activities provided over the course of the three days. Transport to and from the university can be provided and, if requested, the University can refund the cost of travel. For transport your child may be asked to make their way to a hub location, eg their school.

HOW TO APPLY

Your child will need to complete an application form, which is available as a hard copy or can be downloaded online:

surrey.ac.uk/individual-needs

Part of the application form will need to be completed by a parent or carer. In addition to this, it must be signed by a teacher at your child's school.

To find out more visit:
surrey.ac.uk/individual-needs
or email **summerschools@surrey.ac.uk**

