Exceptions to academic regulations for 2026/27, based on PSRB requirements

SITS code	Programme(s) Full Name	PSRB Name	Exceptions re: Late Summer Assessment period (LSA)	Exceptions to assessment, progression and other regulations	Approved by Senate
School of Biosciences and Medicine					
UCA10002	Nutrition and Dietetics BSc	British Dietetic Association (BDA)	Core Level 5 modules BMS2049 and BMS2052 should be passed before the start of Placement B and cannot be trailed into the following academic year, so the third attempt will be offered sooner than the next available opportunity.	Each module must be passed with a mark of at least 40% with each unit of assessment at a minimum of 35%. Compensation is not available	June 2021
	BSc (Hons) Nutritional Sciences BSc	Association for Nutrition (AfN)	n/a	As part of the successful PSRB reaccreditation, the module status for a range of specific modules (see Programme Specifications) has been changed from CORE to COMPULSORY, but with the additional requirement that these modules are **not eligible for compensation**. To allow an exception for the standard progression rules, namely course transfer to an alternative, non-accredited Surrey degree award (BSc (Hons) Nutrition) at the point where students fail to pass/proceed on the accredited route	January 2024 April 2024
	MSc Human Nutrition MSc	Association for Nutrition (AfN)	n/a	To allow an exception for the standard progression rules, namely course transfer to an alternative, non-accredited Surrey degree award (MSc Nutrition) at the point where students fail to pass/proceed on the accredited route	April 2024
	MSc Nutritional Medicine MSc	Association for Nutrition (AfN)	n/a	To allow an exception for the standard progression rules, namely course transfer to an alternative, non-accredited Surrey degree award (MSc Nutrition) at the point where students fail to pass/proceed on the accredited route	April 2024

	BSc Medical Sciences (Top-Up)	Pending (new programme)	n/a	Exception to the minimum programme duration and academic year structure: due to a partnership with GEMS Middle East to develop accelerated programmes, the BSc Medical Sciences (Top-Up) programme received an exemption from A1 regulations so that it can run in an accelerated format and potentially seek accreditation	June 2025
School of Health Sciences					
UTF10002	Paramedic Science BSc	Health and Care Professions Council (HCPC)	Lifting the 60-credit cap on resit examinations during Late Summer Assessment (LSA) period: LSA: Exception to A1 *Regulations for taught programmes*, Failure of modules with a value of more than 60 credits.	Additional reassessment period of 12 weeks at start of next academic year: Exception to A1 *Regulations for taught programmes*, Failure and reassessment	April 2021
Pre-registration programmes					
UTA10005	Midwifery: Registered Midwife BSc	Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC)	Lifting the 60-credit cap on resit examinations during Late Summer Assessment (LSA) period: LSA: Exception to A1 *Regulations for taught programmes*, Failure of modules with a value of more than 60 credits.	Additional reassessment period of 12 weeks at start of next academic year: Exception to A1 *Regulations for taught programmes*, Failure and reassessment	April 2021
UTA10002	Nursing Studies (Registered Mental Health Nursing) BSc				
UTA10003	Nursing Studies (Registered Nurse Adult Nursing) BSc				
UTA10004	Nursing Studies (Registered Nurse Child Nursing) BSc				
PTA56004	Nursing Studies (Registered Nurse - Adult Nursing) PG Dip				
PTA56005	Nursing Studies (Registered Nurse - Children's Nursing) PG Dip				
PTA56006	Nursing Studies (Registered Nurse - Mental Health) PG Dip				
Post-registration programmes					
UTA25056 (FT) UTA25062 (PT)	Primary and Community Care (Community Children's Nursing) BSc with SPQ (Full Time and Part Time)	Nursing and Midwifery Council (NMC)	N/A	Reassessment period takes place 6 weeks after the Board of Examiners meeting that ratified the 1st failed attempt	N/A
PTA61074 (FT)	Primary and Community Care (Community Children's				

PTA61083 (PT)	Nursing) MSc with SPQ (Full Time and Part Time)				
PTA61076 (FT) PTA61078 (PT)	Primary and Community Care (District Nursing) MSc with SPQ (Full Time and Part Time)				
UTA25057 (FT) UTA25035 (PT)	Primary and Community Care (District Nursing/Nursing in the Home) BSc with SPQ (Full Time and Part Time)				
UTA25058 (FT) UTA25065 (PT)	Primary and Community Care (General Practice Nursing) BSc with SPQ (Full Time and Part Time)				
PTA61075 (FT) PTA61079 (PT)	Primary and Community Care (General Practice Nursing) MSc with SPQ (Full Time and Part Time)				
UTA25031 (FT) UTA25051 (PT)	Public Health Practice (Health Visiting) BSc with SCPHN (Full Time and Part Time)				
UTA25032 (FT) UTA25052 (PT)	Public Health Practice (School Nursing) BSc with SCPHN (Full Time and Part Time)				
PTA61047 (FT) PTA61044 (PT)	Public Health Practice (SCPHN Health Visiting) MSc (Full Time and Part Time)				
PTA61048 (FT) PTA61046 (PT)	Public Health Practice (SCPHN School Nursing) MSc (Full Time and Part Time)				
PTC56001	Physician Associate Studies PG Dip	Seeking the General Medical Council (GMC) accreditation	N/A	Reassessment period takes place throughout August due to clinical placements. For practise elements failed at the 2nd attempt, the timing of the 3rd attempt should be agreed with the Programme Leader	Pending on the accreditation event
Degree Apprenticeship					

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<tr><td>UG3236261 Pathway UTA32001

UG3236261 Pathway UTA32002</td><td>Nursing Studies Registered Nurse (Mental Health Nursing) Integrated Degree Apprenticeship BSc FT

Nursing Studies Registered Nurse (Adult Nursing) Integrated Degree Apprenticeship BSc FT</td><td>Department for Education and the Department for Work and Pensions Apprenticeship Funding Rules: 2026 to 2027</td><td colspan="3"><table>
<tr><td>Department for Education Regulations will preside where appropriate</td><td>Overarching</td><td>in addition to university regulations and validating body regulations, apprenticeships are also subject to regulations set by the Department for Education. Where appropriate, these regulations will come into effect and will supersede the university regulations where they conflict.</td></tr>
<tr><td>Apprentices do not pay fees</td><td>A1 regs 34, 66, 69, 73, 152, 162</td><td>Funding for degree apprenticeships is obtained via the Department for Education and is thus regulated by them. Apprentices are prohibited to pay any fees related to their programme.</td></tr>
<tr><td>Break in Learning</td><td>A1 regs 87-91</td><td>Apprentices are also subject to Department for Education regulations. These regulations will supersede university regulations where they conflict in regard to temporary withdrawals (breaks in learning).</td></tr>
<tr><td>Termination of Registration due to not meeting reporting/DfE requirements</td><td>A1 regs 96, 106, 109</td><td>In addition to reasons for termination laid out in the A1 regulations, apprentices may also have their registration terminated if they have a change in circumstances which means they no longer meet the requirements to be on an apprenticeship set out by the Department for Education. Apprentices may also be terminated or have their progression delayed if they do not engage in reporting requirements set out by the Department for Education.</td></tr>
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<tr><td>ULD51002</td><td>Advanced Practice in Psychological Wellbeing GradCert FT</td><td>British Psychological Society (BPS)</td><td>N/A</td><td>There are no 3rd attempts allowed</td><td>During initial validation</td></tr>
<tr><td>PLD56001</td><td>Psychological Intervention (CBT) PGDip FT</td><td>British Association for Behavioural and Cognitive Psychologies (BABCP)</td><td>N/A</td><td>There are no 3rd attempts allowed</td><td>During initial validation</td></tr>
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UCE30001	Veterinary Medicine and Science BVMSci	Royal College of Veterinary Surgeons (RCVS)	Lifting the 60-credit cap on resit examinations during Late Summer Assessment (LSA) period: LSA: Exception to A1 *Regulations for taught programmes*, Failure of modules with a value of more than 60 credits. For cohorts of 100 or fewer e.g. Late Summer Assessment, the standard setting will be applied using valid and evidenced methods for lower numbers such as but not limited to Angoff.	Exception to A1 *Regulations for taught programmes*, Timing of reassessments: students are permitted an additional reassessment period within the academic year for core barrier units of assessment in years 3, 4 and 5 of the programme. Standard setting of the BVMSci MCQ/SBA class tests and examinations. Use of standard known as the Minimum Pass Level to be used for cohorts of 100 and above. For cohorts of 100 or fewer e.g. Late Summer Assessment, the standard setting will be applied using valid and evidenced methods for lower numbers such as but not limited to Angoff.	February 2020 January 2024