

## COMPACT PICK 'N' MIX AWARD

Once Compact students have enrolled they can claim up to £100 from one or more of the following:

- Book voucher
- Railcard
- Discounted car parking
- Money for childcare
- Fill the freezer
- Bus pass
- Mobile phone voucher
- IT Equipment
- Stationary
- Homewares

## HOW IS A COMPACT APPLICATION MADE?

Applicants complete the UCAS form in the normal way and write "Compact" in the further details box on the choice details page. It is also recommended that students talk to their tutor or Careers Adviser before applying.

## CONTACT US

For more information about the University of Winchester Compact Scheme please email [compact@winchester.ac.uk](mailto:compact@winchester.ac.uk)

To find out more about the range of courses we offer, or to request a prospectus contact [admissions@winchester.ac.uk](mailto:admissions@winchester.ac.uk) or telephone 01962 827234

[www.winchester.ac.uk](http://www.winchester.ac.uk)



Thinking of applying  
to the University of  
Winchester?

The Compact Scheme offers you a **guaranteed offer** or **invitation to interview**, **guaranteed housing** and an **extra £100 in support**

For more information about the University of Winchester Compact Scheme and to check your eligibility please go to [www.winchester.ac.uk/compact](http://www.winchester.ac.uk/compact)

## WHAT IS THE COMPACT SCHEME?

The Compact is an agreement between schools/colleges and the University of Winchester to provide opportunities for students to progress to higher education. As a Compact applicant you are guaranteed an offer of a place for non-interview courses. For courses that require an interview as part of the application process, Compact applicants are guaranteed an invitation to interview. The decision on whether to make an offer will be based on performance at interview as well as the initial application.

Compact applicants need to meet/be predicted to meet the academic requirements of the course in order to receive an invitation to interview, an offer and gain a place.

## DO I QUALIFY TO BE A COMPACT APPLICANT?

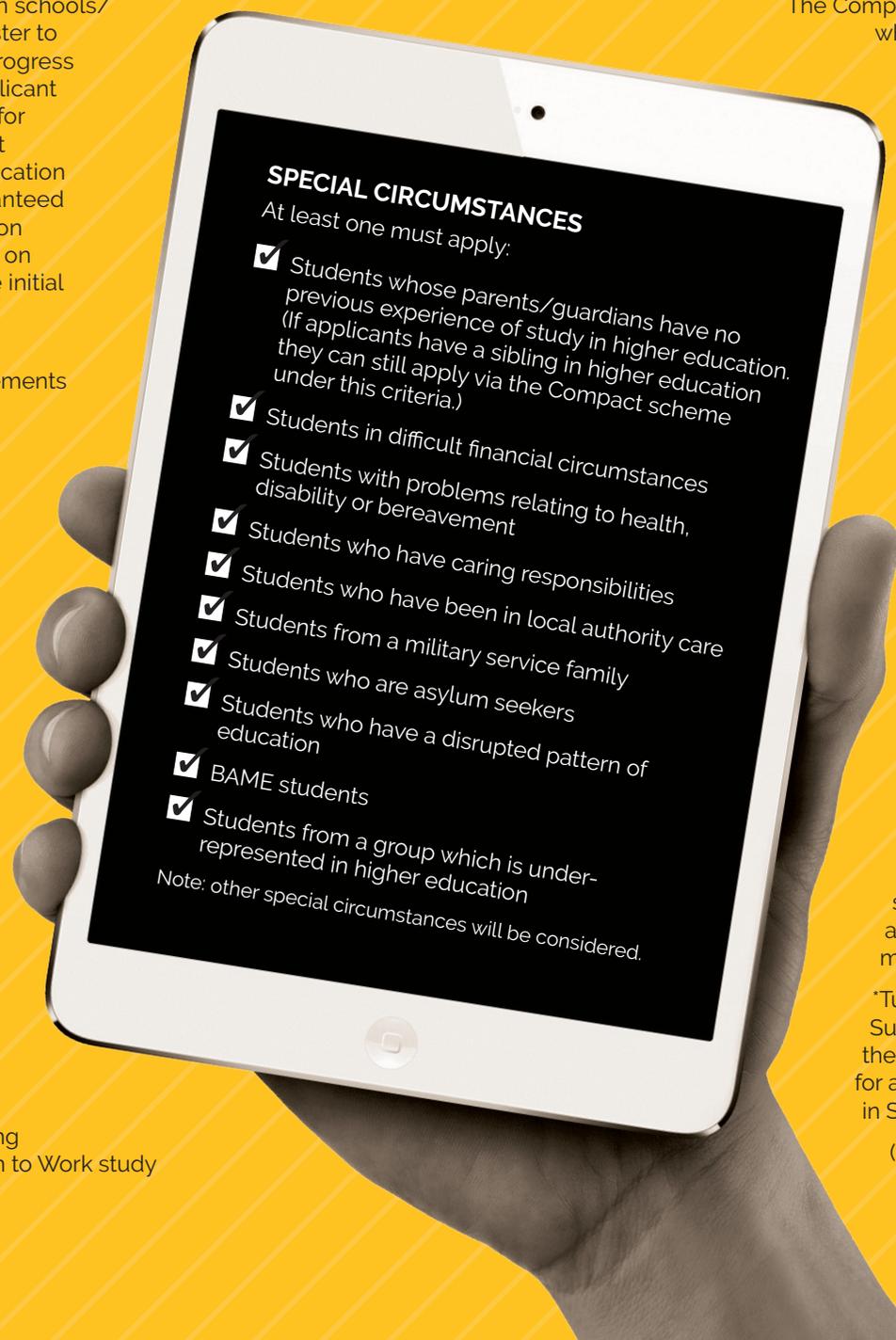
There are two requirements which must be fulfilled in order to be eligible to apply to the University of Winchester via the Compact scheme:

### Academic qualifications

For all our courses we ask students to have at least 2 full A levels or equivalent plus GCSE English Language grade A'-C. Individual courses have specific entry requirements which are detailed in our prospectus and on our website

[www.winchester.ac.uk](http://www.winchester.ac.uk)

Mature candidates (over the age of 21) who do not have standard qualifications should contact the Admissions team. We consider a range of qualifications and experience including Open University credit, Access or Return to Work study courses and relevant work experience.



## EXTRA SUPPORT FOR COMPACT APPLICANTS

The Compact scheme can provide extra support for applicants who require it in the following three ways:

### Lower offer\*

Compact applicants who feel they would benefit from a lower offer (i.e. an offer at the bottom of the range of points typically needed) should speak to their tutor or Careers Adviser. If the tutor/Careers Adviser supports this they can request that a lower offer is made. This request needs to be made around one week before the UCAS application is completed to ensure that the University is aware of your request before making an offer.

### Place in student housing\*

Compact applicants who feel that they would benefit from living in student housing during the first year of their course should speak to their tutor or Careers Adviser. If the tutor/Careers Adviser supports this they can request that we offer the applicant a guaranteed place in student housing providing the housing application is completed by the normal deadline and accommodation is available. Please note this does not include housing for partners, families or dependents.

### Contact in Student Services\*

Compact applicants who feel they would benefit from a designated contact within the University's Student Services department should speak to their tutor or Careers Adviser. If the tutor/Careers Adviser supports this they can request the applicant receives assistance in establishing contact with a relevant member of staff.

\*Tutors/Careers Advisers will need to complete a Tutor's Supporting Application form with relevant information on the applicant relating to why they should be considered for a lower offer, place in student housing and/or a contact in Student Services. This form is available via our website.

(see the Compact Partnerships page via [www.winchester.ac.uk/Compact](http://www.winchester.ac.uk/Compact) or email [compact@winchester.ac.uk](mailto:compact@winchester.ac.uk)).