

## **Supplementary Gateway Form 2023 entry**

This form must be submitted, in addition to your UCAS application, in order for you to be considered for the Gateway course. You should return completed forms, along with any additional documents required, to [myapplication@rvc.ac.uk](mailto:myapplication@rvc.ac.uk), ensuring they arrive no later than 1 February. It may not be possible to consider forms after this date. If you have any questions about the form, please contact [admissions@rvc.ac.uk](mailto:admissions@rvc.ac.uk) or call 020 7468 5147.

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### **Section 1: Personal Information**

First Name:

Surname:

UCAS Personal ID:

Date of  
birth

Home Address:

Post code:

Do you live with:

Parent(s)

Independently

Carer(s)/Guardian

Name and address of  
current school (including  
postcode):

Name and address of  
level 2 school (GCSE), if  
different to above  
(including postcode):

Have you ever attended a selective or independent school?

Yes

No

Have you ever enrolled at a university or other Higher Education provider, even if you did not complete the course?

Yes, course/institution:

No

## **Section 2: Widening Participation Criteria**

Please indicate which of the following Gateway widening participation criteria you believe you meet:

### **POLAR4 Score**

I live in an area with a POLAR4 score of 1 or 2.

### **IMD Score**

I live in an area with a IMD **Quintile** score of 1 or 2.

Both IMD and POLAR 4 score will be determined based on the postcode provided as your home address above.

### **Care Leaver**

I have been looked after for at least 13 weeks, since the age of 14.

**Please provide a letter** from the relevant authority to confirm this.

### **Level 2 School** (School you studied your GCSEs at)

My Level 2 school is listed as an RVC Contextual School.

This will be determined based on the school information you provided above.

### **Level 3 School** (School you studied/are studying your A-levels or equivalent at)

My Level 3 school is listed as an RVC Contextual School.

This will be determined based on the school information you provided above

### **Income**

I live in a low income household which is in receipt of a means-tested benefit. This benefit is:

**Please provide evidence of the official assessment and award of this benefit.**

### **WP Summer School**

I attended the RVC Sutton Trust summer school provide details below:

### **Refugee**

I am a refugee

**Please provide a copy of your letter from the Home Office**, confirming this.

### **Parental Education**

My parents did not attend Higher Education.

### **Section 3: Additional Information**

If you have any additional information, that you have not provided in your UCAS personal statement, and that you feel is relevant to your application, please provide it here:

Work/voluntary experience is not required for the Gateway course but we appreciate that you may have experience that you wish to tell us about. If you have any experience, even if it is not in an animal environment, that you feel supports your application, please provide it below.

Please ensure you include the name of the organisation, their location, the dates you were there and a brief description of your duties.

## **Section 4: Declarations**

### **Declaration - to be completed by the applicant:**

I confirm that the information provided on this form is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed (applicant):

Name (print):

Date:

### **Declaration - to be completed by a Parent/Legal Guardian (mature students do not need to complete this part unless application is dependent on parental higher education attendance)**

I confirm that the information that has been provided on this form is complete and accurate, to the best of my knowledge and belief.

Signed (parent):

Name (print):

Date:

### **Documentation to include with this form:**

If you have selected any of the categories in section 2 that require additional documentation, please ensure these are provided with this form - your application **cannot** be considered without these.