

Academic progression statements

For applicants who are applying to study at the same level we must formally justify on the CAS how this represents academic progression using one of the following approved academic progression statements:

1. Academic progression confirmed: programme is intended to provide **enhanced specialist knowledge** to support career development.
2. Academic progression confirmed: programme provides a **research-led experience related to previous taught study**, enabling the candidate to undertake in-depth projects and modules unavailable in previous institutions.
3. Academic progression confirmed: programme required for **professional accreditation** in chosen career field.
4. It may occasionally be appropriate to provide an alternative statement on the CAS to better suit the applicant. This should occur only in special circumstances and **must** be discussed with central admissions staff and/or the PBS policy and support manager.
5. Academic progression confirmed: the applicant has previously completed a course at NQF level X. It is not possible to directly compare NQF and CEFR levels. We confirm that the English language study is intended to prepare the student for a substantive course at NQF level Y. **(N.B. Y must be higher than X.)**

Language Centre only

The following statements are for applicants who have previously studied within CEFR level B2 and have applied for further study at CEFR level B2:

1. For students extending their period of study at the University of Leeds:

Academic progression confirmed: Applicant has previously studied University of Leeds level(s) <INSERT LEVEL> within the CEFR level B2. Their continued study will be at University of Leeds level(s) <INSERT LEVEL> also within CEFR level B2.

2. For applicants that have studied elsewhere in the UK at CEFR level B2:

Academic progression confirmed: Applicant has previously studied at <INSERT INSTITUTION NAME> within the CEFR level B2. The University of Leeds accepts this as equivalent to study on University of Leeds level(s) <INSERT LEVEL>. Their continued study will be at University of Leeds level(s) <INSERT LEVEL> also within CEFR level B2.