

Privacy Statement Summary for Students

The following text can be read out to students when introducing any of the KMPF paperwork (baselines or registers to students). This covers what is included in the privacy statement on all paperwork but in a more accessible format:

- KMPF (The Kent and Medway Progression Federation) is a joint collaboration between Universities in Kent and Medway, colleges and schools. We work together to support students like you with their future decisions, by providing sessions like the one you are taking part on today.
- We are regulated by an organisation called the Office for Students (OfS) and we have to ensure that all of our activities (like this one!) are monitored and evaluated to prove the value of the work we do. The OfS also gives us money to run some of these activities.
- We need to show that we are working effectively and that the work we do has a positive impact on the students (you!) that we work with by monitoring data for a prolonged period of time (15-20 years).
- We will collect your name, school/college, sex, date of birth and post code.
- Partner universities (the University of Kent, University of Greenwich, Canterbury Christ Church University and the University for the Creative Arts) may also use this data to inform and support its decision-making process regarding applications to undergraduate degrees (only ever in support of your application); but at no point will you be contacted, we will not try to sell anything or sign you up to anything.
- We do track the educational journey (for example, your GCSE results or A-level/BTEC results). We also track whether or not you chose to go study at university. This is only ever shared at group level (e.g. students from this school tend to go to 'X' university). In order to do this, we do share your data with educational agencies (but they will never contact you, try to sell you or sign you up to anything).
- If you do not want us to gather your personal details then you don't have to do this, but we would be grateful if you could allow us to use this information so that we can continue running activities like this one.
- By providing OfS with this data we can show that we are working with a variety of individuals across Kent in order to receive continued funding. Please read through the privacy statement if you would like more information, including agencies who your data would be shared with, how long we keep your data for and how you can contact us.