WHAT IS UNIQ?

UNIQ is Oxford University’s state school access programme, for students in their penultimate year of school or college who are thinking about what and where to study at university. A three day residential allows students with a curiosity for the natural world to discover what studying biology in Oxford is like, alongside an online support programme.

WHO IS THE BIOLOGY COURSE FOR?

Biology at Oxford focuses on the natural world — at all scales, from microbes to ecosystems — and the UNIQ course reflects this. It’s for students who love getting stuck into lab sessions, going outside on field trips, and learning about why organisms are the way they are or how they interact.

WHAT SHOULD TEACHERS DO?

Encourage your students to apply! Students may be unsure if Oxford is for them, but UNIQ is a great opportunity to see what studying at Oxford is like from both a course and college perspective. They may realise it’s a much more realistic option for them to consider than they thought.

Find out more about what the programme involves at www.uniq.ox.ac.uk/c/biology