

Progression/transfer conditions for all Foundation Year Programmes

- Valid from September 2025 course entry
- Minimum pass mark for progression from Foundation Year to Year One is 40% on all degree routes

FdSc Agriculture/FdSc Countryside Management + Foundation Year

- Overall mean of 40%+ to progress to FdSc Year One
- Overall mean of 60%+ to proceed onto Agriculture or Environment, Sustainability and Wildlife Honours Degree courses or to request transfer onto any other eligible Honours Degree route, providing course entry requirements (including work experience) are met.

BSc (Hons) Veterinary Bioscience: Harper and Keele Vet School Pathway + Foundation Year

- Students achieving a mean of 70%+ and passing an interview with the Vet School team progress to the BVetMS at Harper and Keele Vet School.
- Students achieving a mean below 70% follow the progression conditions for BSc (Hons) Veterinary Bioscience (+ Foundation Year) below.

BSc (Hons) Applied Zoology, BSc (Hons) Applied Animal Science (+ Foundation Year); Food Science and Innovation (+ Foundation Year); BEng (Hons) Mechanical Engineering (+ Foundation Year)

- Overall mean of 40%+ in Foundation Year to progress to Year One of current Honours Degree route ONLY. Transfer onto a different eligible degree route is NOT guaranteed and will be at the discretion of the receiving course manager.
- Overall mean of 60%+ to transfer onto any eligible Honours Degree route providing course entry requirements are met.

- Course entry requirement for transfer to Veterinary Nursing is as follows: 60%+ mean overall, 60%+ grade in Life Sciences + approved work experience log + approved fitness to practice form.
- Course entry requirement for transfer to Veterinary Physiotherapy is as follows: 60%+ mean overall, 60%+ grade in Life Sciences/Vocational Skills Portfolio/Individual Project + approved fitness to practice form.