



General Circular for all students at AGC in light of actions by The United Kingdom Border Agency

Friday 15th April 2011

As you are no doubt aware the UKBA is attempting to change the rules and that from 21st April 2011 B rated Colleges will no longer be able to issue CAS's.

Alfred the Great College last week had a successful 3rd visit from ASIC and next week we will be visited by the UKBA with a view to raising our rating to A and then to Highly trusted Status.

Alfred the Great College is leading the opposition to these projected changes:

- 1) We have a letter of support from the Rt Hon Dr Vince Cable, Minister for Industry. He is in conversation with the Immigration Minister Damien Green about the situation.
- 2) We are taking out a legal injunction in the high court against the UKBA to stop this injustice taking place.
- 3) The Principals of the College are making a direct petition to HM the Queen to ask for her help.

Students who already studying at AGC or who have their visa, are unaffected and we ask that you work hard and keep your attendance high.

