



Prospective Member Information 2025



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Reigate and Redhill u3a

Thank you for your enquiry regarding Reigate & Redhill u3a. To give you an idea of what we do, here is some information which you may find useful.

Membership year

This runs from April 1st each year, irrespective of when you join us.

Data Protection

At rru3a we take data protection seriously. Your details are kept safe and are never sold or passed on to third parties.

Communications

Information about all our activities can be found on our [website](#). A **What's New** page is updated at least once a month. We also produce for members:

- Monthly email bulletins sent out on the Saturday following the first Friday of the month meeting.
- Here & Now magazine, three times a year available on-line
- A mid-month update email

Ideas for inclusion in the bulletin or magazine are always welcome.

In addition, members receive a copy of the national u3a Matters magazine which is published five times a year.

Events open to all

On the first Friday of every month (unless it is a Bank Holiday) at 2pm, there is a talk with a guest speaker. This is held at Reigate Park Church, Park Lane East, Reigate, followed by tea, coffee and biscuits. Members can also access the talks through YouTube. A YouTube link for the meeting will be emailed to you. Details of each month's speakers are available on our website rru3a.org.uk. They are also in the Monthly Bulletin emailed to all members. Members of the Welcome Team will be there to greet you, and after the talk you are invited to chat at the **Come & Join Us** tables. At the meeting you will be able to talk to the Groups' Co-ordinators, enquire about upcoming holidays and outings, and of course, meet other members.



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Monthly Coffee Mornings

The monthly coffee mornings alternates between Tuesdays and Thursdays, details are in the Monthly Bulletin and also on the website. There is usually a table for books, CDs and jigsaw puzzles, and computer advice and help are available from our Tech Help team. At the moment these are held at The Light in Redhill, opposite The Belfry.

Groups

We have over 100 activity groups, run by our members for our members. You will find the list of groups on our website with details about each group. Most groups meet in members' houses, so sizes vary, they are autonomous and the members of the group choose how they work.

Other activities.... with additional costs

- Coach outings, generally six a year, to London and parts of south-east of England.
- Holidays...we normally arrange two a year. One in the UK and one abroad.
- Entertainment - occasional entertainment events.
- Study days at Stoke D'Abernon. These are open to all u3a members and are organised by the u3a Surrey Network. They run monthly from 10am until 4pm and can be accessed remotely.
- A 4-day Summer School in Chichester, usually on September.

Further information regarding the above activities is available on our [website](#) . All these activities are run by members for members - it is a real cooperative organisation. We always welcome offers of help to enrich what we can offer – from helping with setting out chairs and tables and serving teas, to helping with IT and Tech. Also with communications, managing meetings and participating in shows. If you have skills and interests to share, we can use them!

If you have any queries, do not hesitate to contact Heather Earl, on enquiries@rru3a.org.uk or by phoning 01737 929001.

There is much on offer in our u3a – should you decide to join, details together with the online form can be found on our website