

THE SIXTH

THIS WEEK...

YEAR 12
ASSESSMENT WEEK

28 March–1 April 2022

Good luck to all Year 12 students sitting their assessments this week. Please make sure you know which lessons your assessments are in, and prepare properly.

Summer Exam timetable

Please [click here](#) to access the Summer Exam timetable, which includes both GCSE and GCE (A' Level) exams.

Students will be issued with their individual timetables nearer the time.

Careers Fair

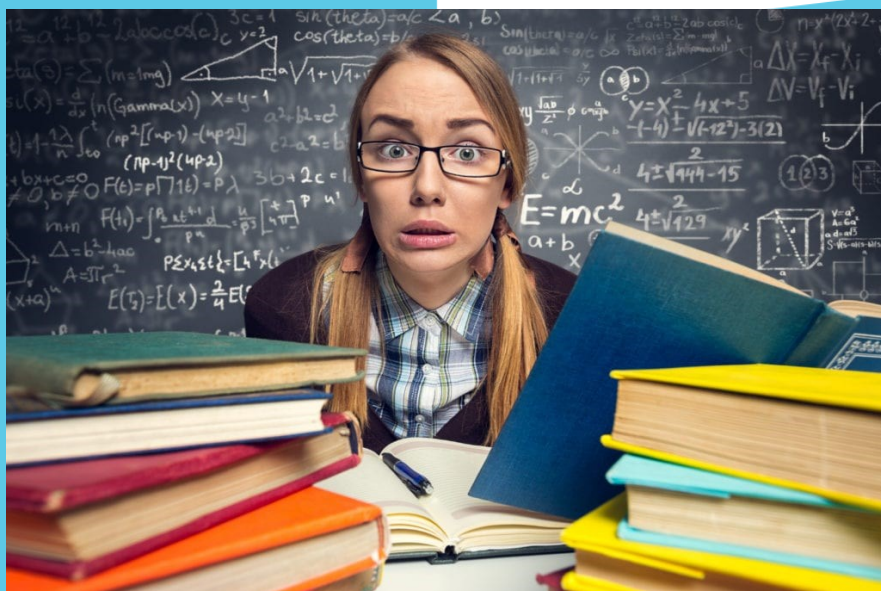
Lymm High's Careers Fair for students and parents is on **Wednesday 30th March** from 4–7pm. You will have the opportunity to meet a variety of employers and apprentice providers. There will also be a careers advisor on hand to offer advice and answer any questions you may have.

See p.13 for details of some of the organisations attending.

Exam stress

Year 13 received a talk on dealing with exam stress and learned how they could make stress their friend.

See p.17 for more information.



NEWS



BTEC Sport trip

Last week our BTEC Sport students attended a sports ability day, supporting students with special educational needs take part in sport. This was a really enjoyable experience for all students and a very worthwhile part of their course.



SCHOOL GAMES



WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK



CALENDAR

28 March–1 April 2022

DAY	YEAR 12	YEAR 13	OTHER EVENTS
MONDAY	Work Experience Research	Subject revision time	
TUESDAY	Work Experience Research	Subject revision time	Year 12 EPQ Meeting N103, 1.15pm
WEDNESDAY	Work Experience Research	Subject revision time	Apprenticeships, 2pm Model United Nations (see p.5) School Nurse, 1.15pm Careers Fair, see p.13
THURSDAY	What types of debt can I get into? (see p.4)	Assembly Year 13 Mock results	
FRIDAY	Manageable and unmanageable debt (see p.4)	UCAS – Confirming offers	Year 13 EPQ Presentations, 12.15–2.10pm Easter Egg Hunt at lunch!

LIFE PROGRAMME

Life Programme Form Time

Life Programme Form Time Sessions for Year 12 will focus on the types of debt we can get into and what manageable and unmanageable debt looks like. Many students will collect debt in their post-school years therefore it is important that students have the knowledge needed to manage money effectively.

For more information, please see Childline's [money problems page](#).

MONEY PROBLEMS

Worrying about money can make you feel stressed or anxious, and it can be hard to know what to do. We've got advice if you're struggling.

On this Page

Coping with money problems
Money and relationships
Problems at home

WORRYING ABOUT MONEY

Money problems can affect you in lots of ways, you might be struggling with:

- being able to buy food or pay for basic things
- [arguments at home](#) about money
- not having the same things as your friends
- threatening letters or threats of people coming round
- not knowing if you can [stay in your home](#)
- finding work, or being affected by COVID-19

Whatever's happening, there are ways to get help and get through it. And Childline is here any time you [need to talk](#).

5 ways to save money:

- Make a budget.
- Wait before deciding to buy something.
- Look for sales or discount vouchers.
- Get a [16-25 railcard](#).
- Ask for help.

ENRICHMENT

Year 12 Enrichment

Year 12 students will be taking part in a Model United Nations Event at Withington Girls School in July.

We will make up the Japan delegate. The students are busy researching their country and are keen to get the chance to visit other schools and try their hand at global diplomacy.

There is a meeting on **Wednesday 30th March** at 1.15pm to discuss the Model United Nations in N206.



Model
United
Nations

REMINDERS

DONT FORGET TO:

Important dates

We have now updated the [Sixth Form Assessment Calendar](#); this version will now replace the original sent out at the start of the academic year. Please note the new dates for the following:

Year 12 Mock exams will now be taken WC **13th June**.

Year 13 students will have their final day in Sixth Form on **Friday 20th May**. Study leave will begin from **Monday 23rd May**.

Year 13 mock results

All students will receive their mock results during an assembly on **Thursday 31st March**.

Progress reports will be sent home to parents shortly after the assembly.

Year 12 work experience

All Year 12 students will complete a week of work experience week commencing **27th June 2022**. Please see here for the information shared with students this week during [assembly](#). Please read the following information carefully, [work experience letter](#), [work experience self-placement form](#) and [medical consent form](#).

Student finance

Student finance for Year 13 moving onto further education is now open.

You can apply online by [clicking here](#).



FUTURES

OPPORTUNITIES

Words for Your World writing competition

Deadline: 22nd April 2022



The Humanitarian Conflict and Response Institute (HCRI) at the University of Manchester has launched a writing competition on climate change.

The competition, in collaboration with Save the Children UK and UK-Med, involves writing a speech or letter, addressed to the UN, on the climate emergency:

- How is climate change affecting you and what actions, initiatives and policies should the UN prioritise?
- What are your hopes for the shape of our future world? What concrete changes need to be implemented to protect the climate and increase social equity?

The competition runs until **Friday 22nd April 2022** (Earth Day).

All details of the competition, including resources and inspiration, can be found on the [W4YW website](#).

See also the HCRI's *Careers in Humanitarianism* on p.15.

FUTURES

OPPORTUNITIES

KING'S
College
LONDON

Kings College London Dental Summer School

25–28th July 2022

Applications for the Dental Schools Council funded residential summer school with King's College London (KCL) are now open!

The summer school will take place in July with students staying in KCL student accommodation at London Bridge. Students will have the opportunity to learn dental techniques through practical workshops and virtual reality sessions whilst experiencing what living and studying at a central London university is like. Interested students can get more information by [clicking here](#).

The summer school is open to all Year 12 students from non-selective state schools in England. Students can apply by [clicking here](#).

The deadline to apply is 11:59pm on **Sunday 24th April 2022**.

If students have any questions, they can email outreachformedicine@kcl.ac.uk





DO DISCOVER DEVELOP

Barclays Apprentice discovery event at our Radbroke campus site 29th March

We have more opportunities than ever for school leavers at Barclays.

We would like to invite students, teachers & parents to join us to hear all about apprentice careers at Barclays.

At the event

- ✓ Business leader speakers
- ✓ Current apprenticeship cohort speakers
- ✓ Information from HR about site location, accessibility for travel and our hybrid working model
- ✓ Refreshments & giveaways

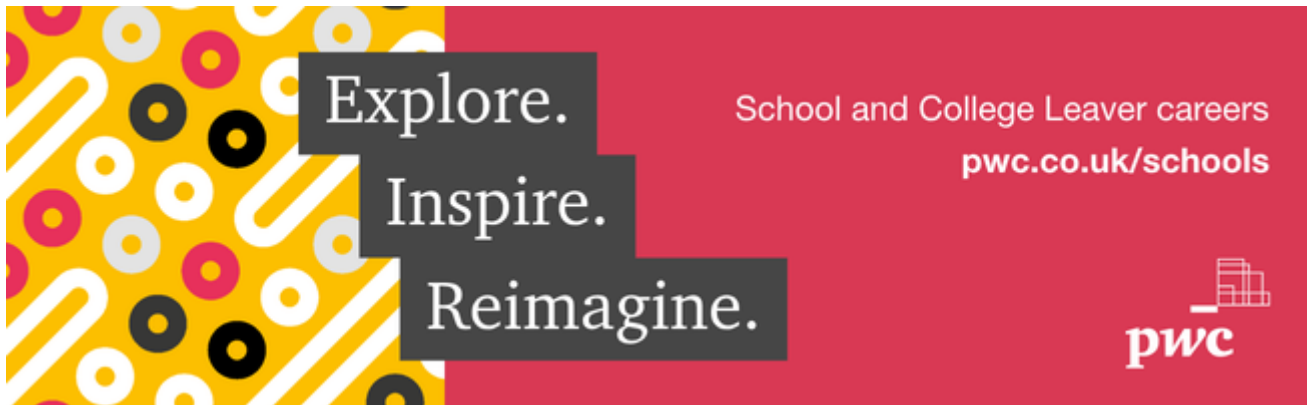
An invitation to register will be sent via email next week to invite you to our Radbroke Hall campus

Learn more

search.jobs.barclays/apprenticeships



Technology Degree Apprenticeships with PwC



PwC is launching a Flying Start Technology Degree Apprenticeship in partnership with [Ada College Manchester](#).

For any students that may be undecided about what to do next after school, this Technology Degree Apprenticeship may be worth exploring. Successful applicants will get the chance to start developing their career as a tech specialist straight away as an apprentice at PwC from day one. They'll spend the majority of their time getting to work with world-class clients as part of its highly skilled team in Manchester, building their network and enhancing their skills.

They'll also spend one week out of every six at Ada College studying towards a degree apprenticeship in Digital and Technology Solutions. This means that their career will be off to a Flying Start from day one whilst gaining practical experience to support their studies.

The applications for the **September 2022** intake are now open and you can find out more [here](#).

Positions will be filled on a rolling basis so we'd recommend that any students interested in applying do so soon to avoid missing out.

If you'd like to meet us in-person or virtually to find out more about the programme, students are invited to join PwC at one of its upcoming sessions, open to students, parents and carers.

- Ada Open Evening in the Manchester Office
12th April 2022, 4.45–7pm
- Ada Virtual Open Evening
20th April 2022, 4–6pm



Virtual Future Engineers Work Experience

Babcock at Her Majesty's Naval Base (HMNB) Clyde, Rosyth and Cavendish Nuclear have an exciting opportunity for pupils aged 14-15 to undertake a virtual work experience week as part of our Future Engineers Programme.

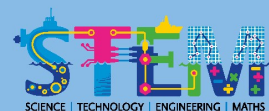
Virtual Future Engineers Programme

- › The programme will consist of a collaborative team project that will give an insight into the engineering industry and what it's like to work at Babcock at HMNB Clyde, Rosyth or Cavendish Nuclear. Join in and listen to presentations from members of our highly-skilled and experienced engineering teams.



Our Virtual Future Engineers Programme will take place over five days from 20-24 June.

For more information relating to our 2022 Virtual Work Experience Programme or to submit your application form, please email:
earlycareers@babcockinternational.com



* Please note that for our 2022 Future Engineers Programme, the closing date for applications is **15 April**

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For an application form, [click here](#).



Apprenticeships

Virgin Media Apprenticeships

Salaries from £19,000

Earn while you learn, picking up qualifications to kick off the career you want.

Excellent benefits:

25 days Paid holidays
Birthday off each year
Flexible working
Deals on mobile, TV & more
Medical, dental plans
Travel season ticket loan
Car Scheme
Ride to work scheme



- Field Engineer Apprentice
- Fibre Engineer Apprentice
- Business Administrator Apprentice
- Network Delivery Manager Apprentice
- Project Manager Apprentice
- Planner Apprentice
- Field Technician Apprentice

Locations across the UK – Reading, Hammersmith, London, Birmingham, Bristol, Manchester, Gateshead, Sheffield, Edinburgh, Peterborough, Kent, Cambridge, Preston, Bradford and more to come.



LYMM HIGH SCHOOL

CAREERS FAIR

Wednesday,
30th March
2022

Lower Hex,
Sixth Form
4-7pm

A great opportunity
to meet with
businesses, industry
professionals,
apprenticeship
providers and
careers advisors.



CAREERS

Pharmaceutical and healthcare communications

Wednesday 30th March 2022

This free event in London brings industry experts from pharmaceutical companies and agencies together to advise on career opportunities within the industry and how to present yourself and your talents.

After arrival and networking with exhibitors, there will be presentations and discussions with knowledgeable and engaging individuals from different areas of the pharmaceutical industry.

The event will finish with networking to allow you to discuss opportunities with exhibitors and talent acquisition teams.

This event is a must for anyone intrigued about how their skills or interests could be of value to such a vital and constantly evolving professional industry. Places are limited, so students are encouraged to register as soon as possible.

To find out more, [click here](#).

To register for your free place, please email Alexandra@pmsociety.org.uk



FREE TO ATTEND

**A CAREER IN PHARMACEUTICAL
AND HEALTHCARE COMMUNICATIONS
CAREERS EVENT**

**PM
SOCIETY**

The Royal Society of Medicine
LONDON
30th March 2022
Places Limited - BOOK YOUR PLACE
NOW

CAREERS

Careers in Humanitarianism

29th April 2022, 9.45–2pm, *The University of Manchester*



The Humanitarian Conflict and Response Institute (HCRI) at the University of Manchester is excited to announce that its annual Careers in Humanitarianism day will be returning to campus. The event is open to Sixth Formers and booking is now open.

This day is offered to University of Manchester students and Sixth Formers interested in careers in the humanitarian sector. It will involve a fantastic day of presentations, discussion and advice from current leaders in the field. This will be a great opportunity to meet the experts, network and find out what possibilities are open to you. This event is organised by the HCRI and there is a dedicated panel for Sixth Formers which introduces them to the [BSc International Disaster Management & Humanitarian Response](#)

The programme can be downloaded [here](#).

Booking is on a first-come, first served basis and places are limited.

Sixth Form students should book their place via this [booking form](#).

See also the HCRI's *Words for Your World* writing competition on p.7.

BSc International Disaster Management & Humanitarian Response

Develop knowledge about resilience and recovery relating to current disaster management.



CAREERS

Easter Law Work Experience

Monday 11th April, 9–4pm


This Easter Law Work Experience event will include the two Magic Circle firms Clifford Chance and Linklaters, as well as Browne Jacobson, Freeths, Charles Russell Speechlys and specialist legal university the University of Law.

The day will provide an immersive and interactive experience of what it's like working for one of the world's top legal companies. You'll get to hear and learn from senior legal professionals as they take attendees through a number of practical workshops, activities and presentations.

The organisers say that this is without a doubt the biggest virtual law work experience to be put together for students so if you're interested in a career in law make sure to take advantage of this opportunity! This is a chance to hear from some of the most distinguished law companies whilst getting your foot in the door to key decision-makers at these firms. Get an insight into the life of a legal professional, hear what it takes to thrive and be successful, gain application tips and tricks and ask all your questions to the panel of industry experts.

As it's a work experience opportunity, attendees will also be awarded a certificates of completion to add to their CV.

To sign up, [click here](#).



**EASTER
LAW
WORK EXPERIENCE**

**MONDAY 11TH APRIL
9AM - 4PM**

**CLIFFORD
CHANCE**

Linklaters
brownejacobson...

The University of
Law BUSINESS
SCHOOL

FREETHS
CharlesRussell
Speechlys

How to deal with stress



Year 13 students' Life Programme session this week was delivered by our school counsellor Ged. Ged talked to students about stress, how it can make you feel and ways to alleviate it in the run up to the exams. He also recommended this [Ted Talk](#) by Kelly McGonigal called 'How to make stress your friend', which is definitely worth a watch!

We know the next few weeks are going to be stressful for students. Please be reassured that all staff are here to support students through this time.

Please do not hesitate to contact us if you feel you need support in any way.

Saturday 26th March

[University of Warwick](#) – IAG Conference hosted by Bath, Cardiff, Exeter, Lancaster and Warwick, 1–3.30pm

Monday 28th March

[New College of the Humanities](#) – English Taster Lecture, 4.30–5.30pm

[University of Roehampton](#) – Wellbeing and Disabilities Support at Roehampton?, 4.30–5pm

[University of Sheffield](#) – Materials Science and Engineering Taster Session: Nanomaterials - the smallest solutions to the world's biggest problems?, 4–5.30pm



Tuesday 29th March

[Make Happen](#) – Student finance explained, 4–5pm

[New College of the Humanities](#) – Economics Taster Lecture, 4.30–5.30pm

[Outreach North East](#) – Supporting Students with Degree Apprenticeships, 4–4.45pm

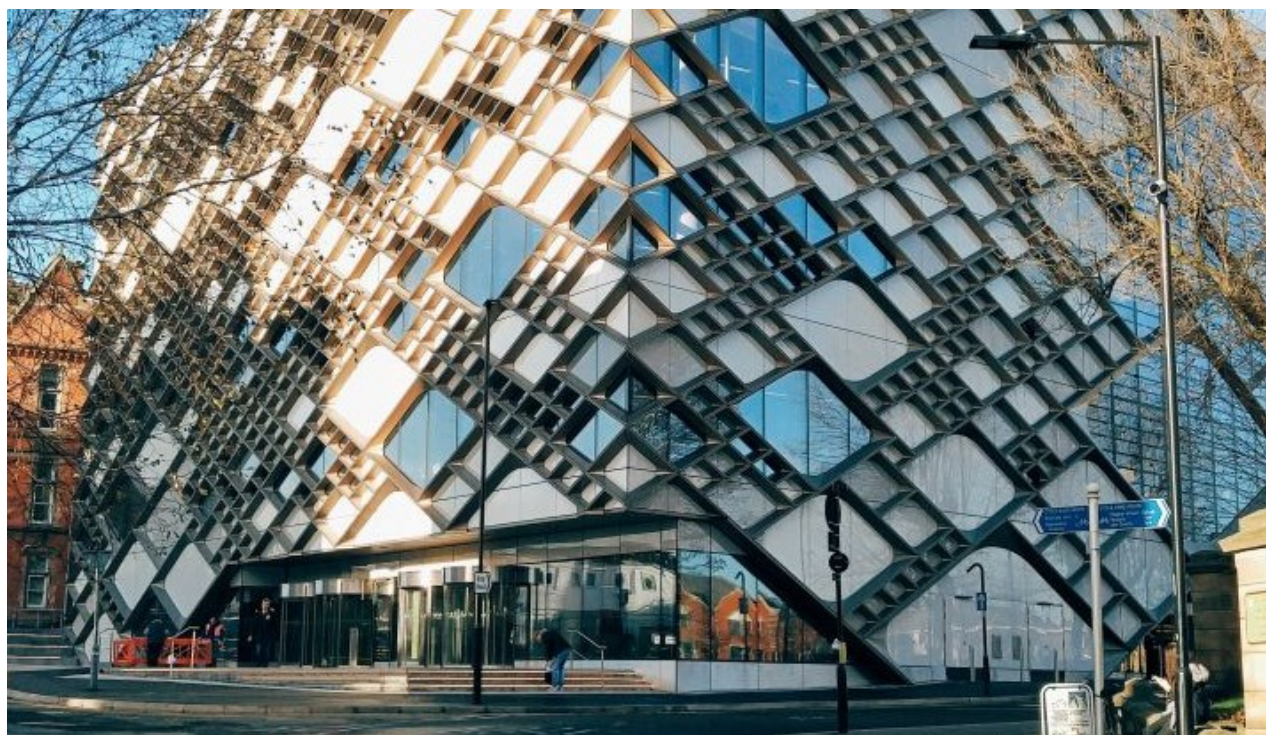
[Royal Holloway, University of London](#) – Geopolitics and Climate Change - Geography Taster Day, 10–3pm

[Royal Holloway, University of London](#) – Biology Master Class: TB and immunity

[University of East Anglia](#) – Webinar: Computing Science taster lecture (university module insights), 4.15–5.15pm

[University of Brighton](#) – Undergraduate student funding and finance talk with Q+A, 5–6pm

[University of Sheffield](#) – Mechanical Engineering Taster Session: Introduction to 3D Printing, 4–5pm



[University of Worcester](#) – Introduction to Studying Sociology: Sociology of Health, 6.15–7.15pm

Wednesday 30th March

[Lancaster University](#) – Student Life at Lancaster (online), 11–1pm

[New College of the Humanities](#) – History Taster Lecture, 4.30–5.30pm

[Queen Mary University of London](#) – Modern Languages Virtual Taster Session, 5–6pm

[St George's, University of London](#) – Work experience for healthcare courses, 5–6pm

[University of Huddersfield](#) – Parents' Information Evening, 7–8pm

[University of Portsmouth](#) – Student finance: a complete guide, 4–5pm

[University of Sheffield](#) – History Taster Session: You had to be there': Laughter in Eighteenth-Century Britain, 3.45–5.15pm

[University of Southampton](#) – Your future is in our hands. Find out how demographers are helping to create a sustainable world, 4–5pm

[University of Westminster](#) – BSc Computer Games Development - Online drop-in session, 1–2pm

Thursday 31st March

[New College of the Humanities](#) – Philosophy Taster Lecture, 4.30–5.30pm

[University of Leeds](#) – Foundation Years at the University of Leeds: Business Studies information session, 6–7.15pm

[University of Oxford](#) – Oxford Women in Computer Science: Challenge Club

[University of Portsmouth](#) – Student finance: a complete guide, 6–7pm

[University of South Wales](#) – Youth and Community Work Taster Day

Friday 1st April

[New College of the Humanities](#) – Art History Taster Lecture, 4.30–5.30pm



BIRTHDAYS

J. Baama

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M. Baama

G. Paget

A. Burnett

B. Robinson

E. Colquhoun-Lynn

E. Towey

A. Vesey