

THE SIXTH

“ THIS WEEK... ”

FUTURES

25–29 April 2022

This week, Year 12 students will continue to explore the choices they have after completing Sixth Form.

Year 13 students will be reflecting on their performance in the mock examinations, whilst also finalising their choices after they leave us.

Year 13 Leaving information

Please [click here](#) to read a letter about Year 13's last day (**Friday 20th May**) and Prom (**Wednesday 13th July**).

Leavers' Hoodies are now available to order for £20.50. For details, [click here](#).

Year 12 Work Experience

The deadline to return the work experience documents is **Monday 25th April** (see p.8). For students without a placement by this deadline, we intend to run a hybrid experience which will involve some time with an employer and time in school working on a project. Further details will follow.

Leavers' Photos

So that we can celebrate Year 13 leaving us, please send us photos of you / you and your friends so that we can put them all together for a big 'Goodbye Slideshow' for your last day. Please send your photos to [leaversphotos2022@lymmhigh.org.uk](#) by **Sunday 8th May**.

NCS Summer Jobs

On Thursday we have a representative from the National Citizen Service delivering a talk at 1.30pm in N103 to promote the summer jobs available. If successful, students would earn between £700 and £900 for each 2-week programme they work. Please note that whilst students can apply at 17 they must turn 18 before their programme date starts (see p.3 for dates).

Study rooms

N205 and N201 will be closed for the next 2 weeks due to speaking exams. Please use the lower N block study rooms or the Upper Hex to complete your SSP sessions.

NEWS



Geography trip



Year 12 Geographers had a fantastic time on the Physical Geography trip to Blackpool. They are preparing for their independent non-examined assessment. They learnt about coastal processes and features.



Upon turning around Mr Iddon realised the class had made a swim for it





WE ARE HIRING

NCS Summer Staff Team 2022

Are you interested in helping young people, developing your own skills, having a brilliant summer all whilst earning money? We are recruiting Team Leaders and Assistant Team Leaders to work on NCS this Summer.

We are looking for people who passionate about supporting teenagers through residentials and workshops. You don't need any formal qualifications. Youth Work experience is desired but not necessary.

We have 4 different waves available, which are two week models:

WAVE 1	Wave 1: 27th June - 8th July (2 week model - includes residential)
WAVE 2	Wave 2: 11th July - 22nd July (2 week model - includes residential)
WAVE 3	Wave 3: 25th July - 5th August (2 week model - includes residential)
WAVE 4	Wave 4: 8th August - 19th August (2 week model - includes residential)

Please note that as waves run over different dates, it is possible to work multiple waves. Our programmes runs Monday – Friday and you won't have to work weekends.

Wages are up to £900 dependant on role and full training is included. If you are interested, please go to wearencs.com/work-with-us/on-programme.

If you'd like more information, please email NCS Delivery Manager Phil McNicholl on philm@warringtonyouthclub.co.uk



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REVISION SUPPORT



Year 13 Revision sessions

English Language:

Thursday after school, A217 with Miss Peach

Wednesday after school, A210 with Mr Finnigan

English Literature:

Tuesday after school, S206 with Mrs Corker

Wednesday lunchtime, S206 with Mrs Corker

Chemistry:

Thursday lunch time, E301 with Mrs Cormack and Mr Blackburn

Friday lunch time, E301 with Mrs Cormack and Mr Blackburn

Media:

Wednesday, online training course via Zoom (details sent via email). Please see Mrs Lorenzelli or Mrs Culver if you don't have the details.



WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK



CALENDAR

25–29 April 2022

DAY	YEAR 12	YEAR 13	OTHER EVENTS
MONDAY	Mentoring – Work experience conversations	Progress meeting with tutors	
TUESDAY	Mentoring	Progress meeting with tutors	
WEDNESDAY	Writing CVs	Progress meeting with tutors	MUN meeting, 1.15pm School Nurse, 1.15–2.10pm
THURSDAY	CV writing session	Progress meeting with tutors	Year 13 Job Opportunity National Citizen Service 1.30pm, N103 (see p.1) Warrington Youth Lunch
FRIDAY	Introduction to UCAS Hub	Planning for Results Day	

Y12 LIFE SKILLS

CV Writing



During form this week, Year 12 will be focusing on their CV writing skills. When writing a CV, students should follow this format:

- Aim for all text to fit on one page
- Work in bulletpoints rather than long paragraphs
- Use 'doing' words to highlight what skills were gained
(e.g. **analysed** data for an IT firm or **managed** customer enquiries)
- Order CVs by date order or skill
(e.g leadership roles vs. teamwork roles)

Good examples of CVs can be found by [clicking here](#).

For tips and hints on writing CVs, please see these resources:

- [How to create a winning CV](#)
- [CV template](#)
- [Hints on writing a good CV](#)

Introduction to UCAS

Students will also have a session on the UCAS Hub where they can access their university and apprenticeship applications once they are submitted.

For further information, [click here](#).

ENRICHMENT

Chernobyl lecture



Last week biology and physics students enjoyed a chance to fly drones and test out Virtual Reality at Chernobyl Nuclear Plant. Professor Mike Wood, a Professor of Radioecology from Salford University, came to speak about the effect of radiation on the ecology of the fallout area. The presentation gave students a fantastic insight into the variety of topics you can study at university.

We are looking for volunteers to help with the Lower School talk on **Thursday 28th April** (off timetable Period 1–4). If you are interested, please email Miss Dixon (jdixon@lymmhigh.org.uk).

REMINDERS

DONT FORGET TO:

Year 12 Work Experience

All Year 12 students will complete a week of work experience during the week commencing **27th June 2022**.

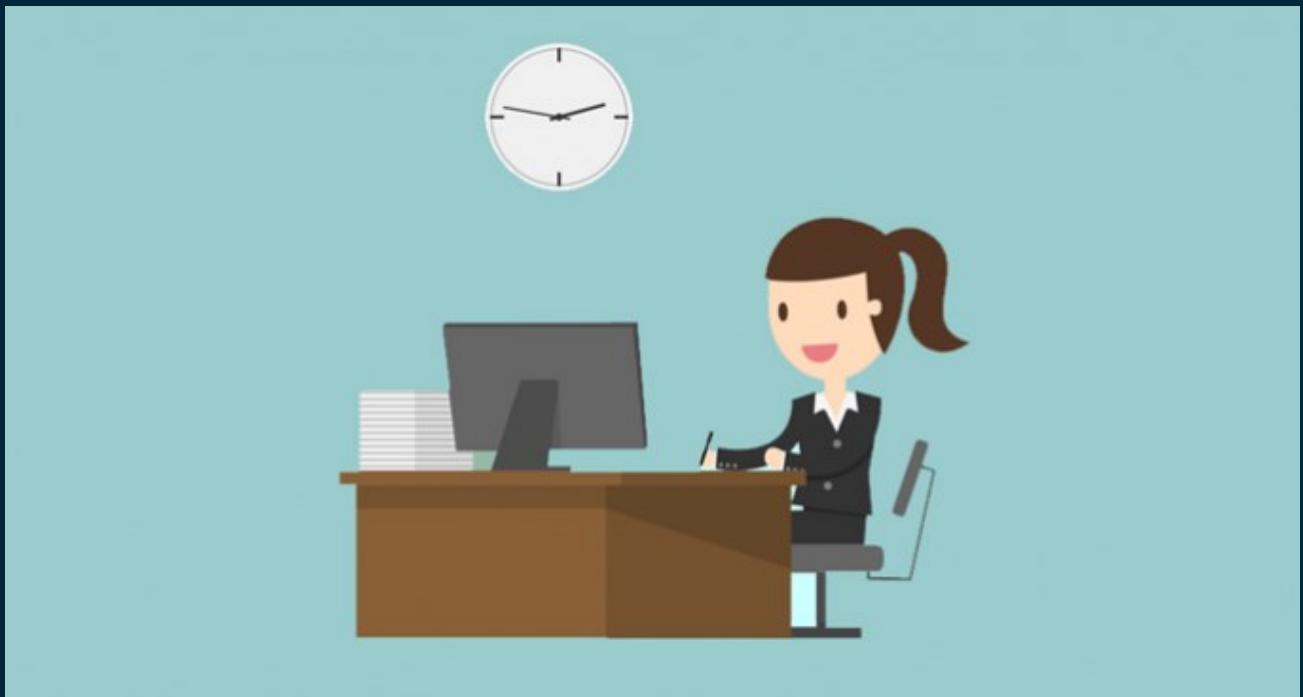
Please see below for the information shared with students during assembly last month.

Please also read the following information carefully:

- [work experience letter](#)
- [work experience self-placement form](#)
- [medical consent form](#).

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The LSE logo consists of the letters 'LSE' in a white, bold, sans-serif font, centered within a solid red square.

London School of Economics Taster Courses *May and June 2022*

[The London School of Economics and Political Science \(LSE\)](#) has some great opportunities for Year 12 students this summer.

A series of events are being arranged to provide an insight into undergraduate studies and student life at LSE. They will take place online and are open to students from across the UK who are currently under-represented at LSE, as part of LSE's commitment to inclusivity and diversity.

Taster Courses provide Year 12 students with a taste of what life at a university in London is like. Taster courses are free to attend and students can choose from over 100 courses in a variety of subject areas at numerous participating universities. Participating students will attend two taster sessions in their chosen subject led by LSE academics and meet current LSE students. In 2022 LSE will be running virtual and in-person taster courses in a selection of subject areas:

[Studying History \(online\)](#)

[Studying Geography and Environment \(online\)](#)

[Studying Anthropology \(online\)](#)

[Studying Economic History \(online\)](#)

[BSc Language, Culture and Society \(on campus\)](#)

Booking is essential and students can click on the links above for further information about each taster course.





LSE Explore 2022

Year 12 University Subject Taster Events

What? A series of online subject taster events for LSE UG degree programmes.

LSE is a world-leading university in London which specialises in the Social Sciences.

Who? Year 12 pupils from widening participation backgrounds.

When? June 2022. **Where?** Zoom.

- International Relations – 6 June 2022, 4.30-6.45pm
- Geography and Environment – 7 June 2022, 4.30-6.45pm
- Data Science – 8 June, 4.30-6.55pm
- Sociology – 13 June, 4.30-6.45pm
- Philosophy, Logic and Scientific Method – 14 June, 4.30-6.45pm
- Management – 15 June, 4.30-6.45pm

Each event includes:

- A subject introduction
- An academic taster session
- Admissions information
- Careers information
- A Q&A panel, including current students.

To find out more, including widening participation eligibility and how to apply, please visit: lse.ac.uk/study-at-lse/undergraduate/widening-participation/sixth-form-college/lse-explore-year-12

Please note: Applications close at midnight on Sunday 8 May 2022.



Scan the QR code to apply now:

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London School of Economics Open Day

Thursday 7th July 2022 (booking opens May 2022)

Open Days are an opportunity to visit LSE, find out more about the degree programmes on offer and discover what it's like to be a student at the School.

Booking is essential for the Undergraduate Open Day. To receive notification when bookings open, [sign up here](#).

Students are also able to experience [LSE's Virtual Undergraduate Open Day](#), which enables prospective students to:

- Watch sessions delivered by LSE's academic departments, current students and support services.
- Explore London, the LSE campus, and accommodation through interactive maps, videos and virtual tours.
- Find out how to apply to LSE and what the school looks for in an application.
- Discover LSE's academic and student support services.
- Find out about student life at LSE and its Students' Union.
- Ask your own questions via Live Chat.
- Access information for parents and carers.

To receive updates on LSE's Open Days and other opportunities to visit the LSE campus, please [sign up here](#).



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Lancaster University Summer School

July 2022

Lancaster University is excited to announce that its Year 12 Summer Schools are now open for applications. This is a chance to spend a week living on a university campus and spending time working with an academic department and gaining an insight into university life. The residentials are completely free to attend and are open to Year 12 students across the UK who meet the university's widening participation criteria.

The subjects available in 2022 include:

- **Sciences and Health & Medicine**
Biosciences (11–14th July)
Chemistry (11–14th July)
Maths (Week TBC)
Psychology (Week TBC)
- **Arts & Social Sciences** (all 11–14th July)
Architecture
Criminology
English Literature and Creative Writing
History
Linguistics and English Language
Politics and International Relations
Sociology
- **Lancaster University Management School (LUMS)** (all 20–23rd July)
Accounting
Business Management
Economics
Marketing

Further information, subjects and an application form can be found by [clicking here](#).



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Weekend jobs at Cottons Hotel & Spa



Various shifts and hours are available for weekend positions at Cottons Hotel & Spa (Manchester Road, Knutsford WA16 0SU).

- Food and Beverage Team Member (£4.81 – £9.50)
- Housekeeper (£4.81 – £9.50)
- Kitchen Assistant (£4.81 – £9.50)

Students need to be 16 years old and have completed their GCSEs. To apply, visit the [website](#) or email your cv to kirstydaly@cottonshotel.co.uk.



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Journalism Summer School

1–12 August 2022, London

This 2-week journalism Summer School is a chance to get a taster for what being a journalist is like and meet the team of award-winning tutors. You will cover all forms of journalism and get a good grounding before taking the leap into the industry.

The intensive study programme is designed to give you a taste of what it takes to become a journalist, and will cover the following:

- Newsgathering and news writing
 - Feature and magazine writing
 - Video journalism skills
 - Journalism ethics and responsible reporting
 - The basics of media law
 - Interviewing techniques
 - Reviewing and comment
 - An introduction to Teeline shorthand
 - Getting into freelance writing
- You will also get the option to choose one of the following mini-modules: Sports journalism, Political journalism, or Arts and culture journalism.

The course costs
£645 (including VAT
and resources)

To get an application form,
email [training](mailto:training@newsassociates.co.uk)
[@newsassociates.co.uk](mailto:training@newsassociates.co.uk)
or call 0203 026 3781.

For a copy of the Summer
School brochure, [click here](#).



UK university & apprenticeship search fairs

Event Opens
9:30am

Event Closes
2:30pm

UK UNIVERSITY & APPRENTICESHIP SEARCH FAIR

LIVERPOOL SPRING

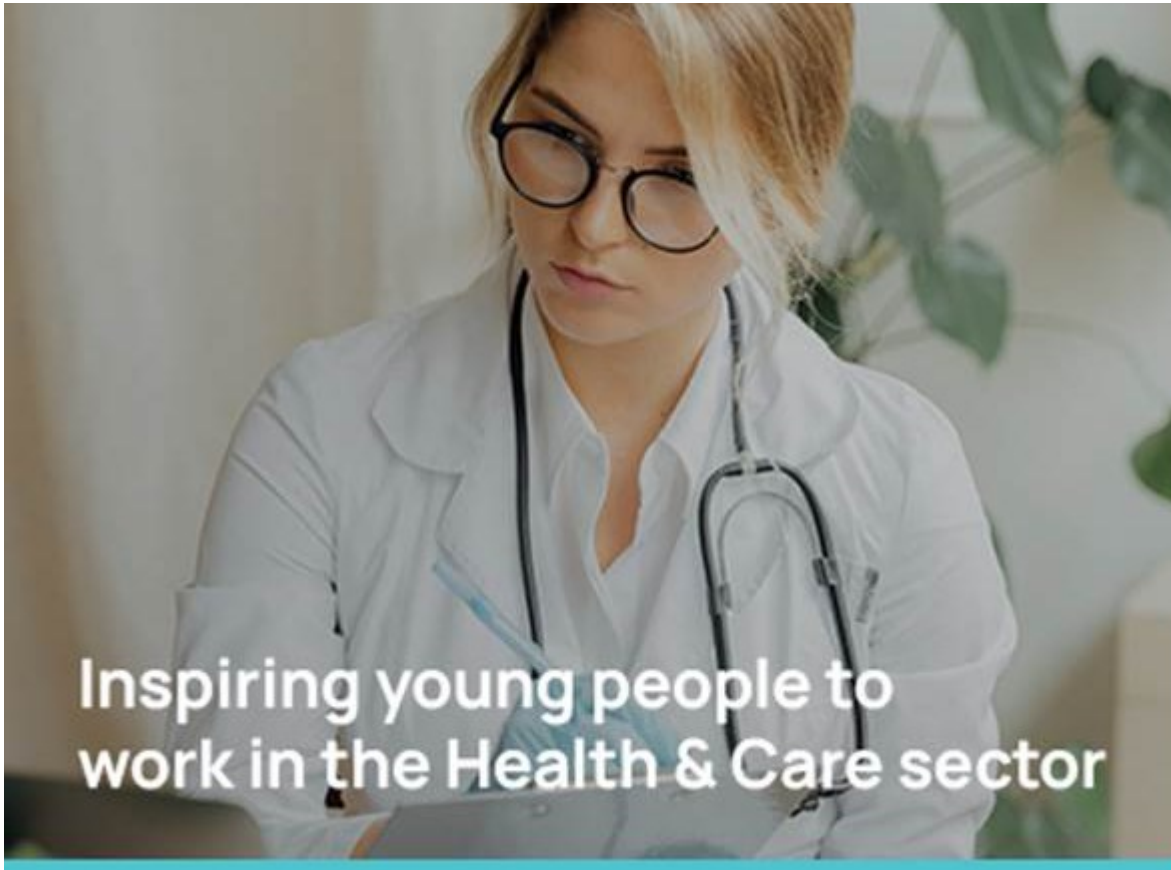
Friday 29th April

Aintree Racecourse, Ormskirk Rd, Aintree, Liverpool L9 5AS

Special Focus – UCAS Applications – Applying for Apprenticeships



Apprenticeships at Warrington & Halton Teaching hospital



Warrington & Halton Teaching hospital is advertising two roles (three vacancies) for level 2 or 3 Apprenticeship opportunities:

- **Patient Experience and Inclusion Project Support Officer**
As an Apprentice at Warrington and Halton Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust, the postholder will complete level 3 'Business Administration'. The postholder will be allocated time to achieve the award and will be expected to attend study sessions with a local training provider. For further information, a summary of the role, and details of the main tasks & responsibilities, [click here](#).
- **Appointments Officer (Radiology)**
As an Apprentice at Warrington and Halton Teaching Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust, the postholder will complete level 2 'Customer Service Practitioner'. The postholder will be allocated time to achieve the award and will be expected to attend study sessions with a local training provider. For further information, a summary of the role, and details of the main tasks & responsibilities, [click here](#).

Civil Engineering Degree Apprenticeship (Deadline to apply: end of May)

Any Year 13 interested in civil engineering? Read this opportunity from a past student.

Hello all,

I am an ex-student who left in back in 2020. After leaving Sixth Form, I joined Wood as a degree apprentice and have now been working there since September 2020. Mr Beardsall may remember me from his Year 13 product design class from the year Covid started.

We are now looking for a potential degree apprentice who has an interest in civil engineering to join the team in Knutsford

Important points to know about the role:

- *One day a week will be spent in University with the rest of the days either being in the Knutsford office (Booths Park office No. 2) or working from home.*
- *On completion of the course, apprentices will achieve a Level 6 qualification (BEng Civil Engineering)*
- *A minimum of 3 A' levels (Grade B or above including Maths, Further Maths and/or Science) is required.*
- *No prior experience is required. Full training will be provided in AutoCAD, Civil 3D and Revit*
- *Apprentices will be mainly working on water and waste-water projects*

All other relevant information regarding the role and how to apply can be found using [this link](#).

For further details about the company, [click here](#).

If interested individuals have any further questions about the role, they can email this past student. Please contact Mrs Jennings for the email details.



Barratt Apprenticeship Opportunities



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Intermediate or Advanced Apprenticeship

As an Intermediate or Advanced Apprentice, you'll be supported in your learning from day one. We combine hands-on work with professional training, practical skills with transferrable qualifications.



Higher or Degree Apprentice

Our higher-tier apprenticeships are a great alternative to full-time university study. Explore your potential in the construction, quantity surveying, technical or real estate side of the industry.

APPLICATIONS OPEN

I'm interested! How do I apply?

Applications are open. You are advised to apply as soon as possible due to the high levels of interest we receive and all the information will be available to you when you apply. In the meantime you can view our [FAQ's](#) on our website

Our apprenticeship start dates are spread throughout the year.

If you are shortlisted, you will be invited to attend an interview (either in person at our local office or remotely by video call) to discuss your application further.



Want to know more? For information on our apprenticeship schemes, [click here](#).

Auto Trader Apprenticeship Open Evening *Tuesday 26th April, Manchester, 4–7pm*

Auto Trader is one of the UK's most progressive tech organisations and is looking for apprentices to join its Customer Services and Sales teams. The company is passionate about Early careers, developing exceptional talent and investing in its community. Its Early careers community is made up of apprentices, graduates and re-trainers. Lots of support is offered from trainers, mentors and colleagues with regular pay reviews, so your career will go from strength to strength. The headquarters are in Manchester, with an office in Kings Cross, London too.

The Open Evening will include a tour of the office and an overview of the apprenticeships available. You'll meet some of the current apprentices and the trainers, mentors and providers who support them. You'll also get the chance to ask questions about the role, the amount of studying involved, and the salary – pretty much anything you want to know!

If you love working with people and want a job where you continue to learn and gain qualifications at the same time, then this could be the role for you! These roles are open to all with GCSEs grade 4/ C or above in Maths and English. The starting salary is £19,500. The apprenticeships will be at levels 2 or 3 and typically last 12–15 months.



How do I apply?

If you're interested in applying, you can register your interest with the Recruitment Team at the event, and they will then book you in for a 1st stage interview.

For further information and to apply to attend the Open Evening, [click here](#).

CAREERS

Healthcare work experience

We have been informed of an opportunity for work experience within the health care sector.

Bridgewater NHS Trust are rebuilding their work experience programme and have created an expression of interest form for students to complete. At this stage the main purpose is to gauge where the student's specific interest lies and dates when the Work Experience is needed.

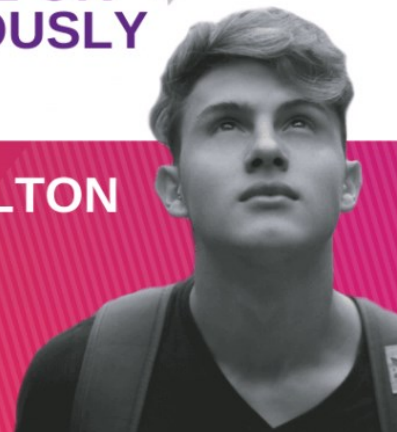
All interested students should complete this form: <https://forms.office.com/r/1hsdMjytYG>



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Monday 25th April

[Harper Adams University](#) – Insects are going virtual with TV's Stefan Gates! 9–5pm

[Middlesex University](#) – How to start a sustainable business, 4–5pm

[Middlesex University](#) – The evolution of computer science, 4–5pm

[Middlesex University](#) – A masterclass in screen dialogue, 4–5pm

[Middlesex University](#) – Sociology: a tale of three objects, 4–5pm

[Middlesex University](#) – How to Be a Successful Illustrator? (Illustration), 5–6pm

[Middlesex University](#) – Gaming: From idea to design, 5–6pm

[Middlesex University](#) – Are you the future of Marketing Consultancy?, 5–6pm

[London South Bank University](#) – In Conversation With Applied Sciences Students (online), 5–6pm

[Solent University](#) – Get ready to find out about student support, 5.30–6.30pm

[University of Leicester](#) – A Parents and Carers guide to Student Finance, 5.30–6.30pm



Tuesday 26th April

[Lancaster University](#) – Student Life at Lancaster (online), 5–7pm

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

[Middlesex University](#) – The Ukrainian crisis: a new Cold War? (International Politics), 4–5pm

[Middlesex University](#) – The future of accounting is now, 4–5pm

[Middlesex University](#) – Write to laugh: the secret to sitcom (TV and Film), 4–5pm

[Middlesex University](#) – Creative writing masterclass: read like a writer, 4–5pm

[Middlesex University](#) – Mind over matter: the key to resilience (Psychology), 5–6pm

[Middlesex University](#) – What is angiography and intervention cardiology? Healthcare Sciences, 6–7pm

[Queen Mary University of London](#) – University Study Skills, 4.30–5.30pm

[Royal Holloway, University of London](#) – All about... Study Skills, 5–6pm

[University of Cambridge](#) – Theology, Religion and Philosophy of Religion Open day

[University of Reading](#) – From Zoology to Bioengineering: Exploring Biological Science Degrees, 4–5pm

[University of Sheffield](#) – German Taster Session, 3.45–5.15pm

[University of Sheffield](#) – Chemistry Taster Session, 4–5.45pm

[University of Wolverhampton](#) – How to apply for Student Finance

[University of Worcester](#) – Health and Social Care Virtual Taster



Wednesday 27th April



[Middlesex University](#) – How to make Usain Bolt faster (Sports), 4–5pm

[Middlesex University](#) – Under the microscope: antimicrobial resistance, 4–5pm

[Middlesex University](#) – The laws of a pandemic (Law), 5–6pm

[Middlesex University](#) – Education: Be the change, 5–6pm

[Middlesex University](#) – The Life of a Product Designer, 6–7pm

[Middlesex University](#) – Graphic Design: Where will it take you?, 6–7pm

[Middlesex University](#) – International Tourism, 6–7pm

[University of East Anglia](#) – Webinar: Economics taster lecture (Globalisation), 11.10–12.10pm

[University of Sheffield](#) – Materials Science and Engineering Taster Session, 4–5.30pm

[University of Westminster](#) – Business Information Systems Online drop-in sessions, 1–2pm

Thursday 28th April

[Middlesex University](#) – Student life panel, 5–6pm

[Middlesex University](#) – UK Student finance workshop, 6–7pm

[University of East London](#) – School of Psychology: What are Conspiracy Beliefs?, 4–5pm

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

[University of Sheffield](#) – Electronic and Electrical Engineering Taster Session, 5–6.15pm



Friday 29th April

[Queen Mary University of London](#) – Parent and Carer webinar series: Researching courses and universities, 5.30–6.30pm

[University of Warwick](#) – Behind the Scenes: Chemistry@Warwick, 4pm

BIRTHDAYS

J. Hale

L. Johnson

N. Johnson

I. Livingstone

D. McCue

J. McGrath

A. Williams

L. Williams

L. Wood

