

# THE SIXTH

16–20 October 2023

“ THIS WEEK...  
HALL ASSEMBLY  
WEAR IT PINK ”

Our Hall System fosters a great sense of belonging and identity amongst the school community. It is just as important to us in the Sixth Form as it is in the main school. This week, all students will attend a Hall assembly in the Main Hall delivered by Mr Hayes (see p.2). For more information about our Hall System, [click here](#).

## UCAS PREDICTED GRADES

Year 13 students have now received their predicted grades. [Click here](#) for a letter from Mrs Jennings to accompany these.

## WEAR IT PINK

On **Friday 20th October**, we will 'Wear it Pink' to raise money for Breast cancer awareness. Exchange one item of your uniform and donate £1 to raise money for this very worthwhile cause.



## ALDER HEY RESEARCH AMBASSADOR SCHEME

Dr Dan Hawcutt (a researcher and paediatrician at Alder Hey) is looking for two students to help on a research project. This could be a great opportunity for any Year 12 interested in a medical career. If you're interested, please contact Mr Dobson for more details ([rdobson@lymmhigh.org.uk](mailto:rdobson@lymmhigh.org.uk)).

## YEAR 13 EPQ

Any students who are completing their EPQ will have their mid-project Interim Reviews over the next 2 weeks. Check your emails for updates from Mr Mullin.

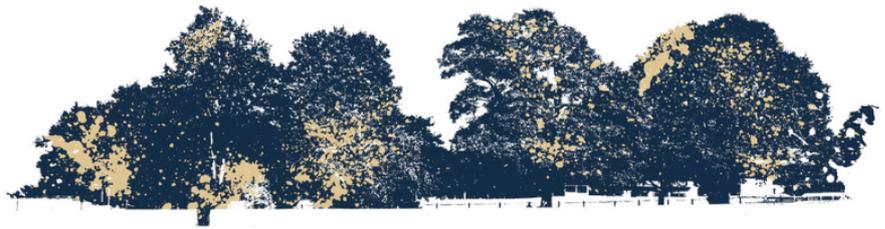
## PHOTO MOP-UP DAY

If you did not have your photograph taken at the start of the year, you will be required to have this taken on **Wednesday 18th October**. Further details will follow.

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# WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK



Year 12 and 13 students will follow the same activities this week, aside from Study Skills, which will focus on:

- Year 12 – SWOT analysis
- Year 13 – Sources of information

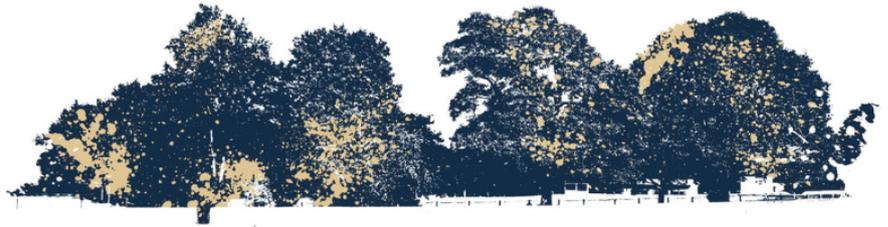
## CALENDAR

16–20 October 2023

MONDAY  
TUESDAY  
WEDNESDAY  
THURSDAY  
FRIDAY

	WALTON	DUNHAM	TATTON	ARLEY	MORETON
MONDAY	Assembly – Main Hall	<i>The Sixth</i> , Expectations reminder, Mentoring	<i>The Sixth</i> , Expectations reminder and Mentoring	<i>The Sixth</i> , Expectations reminder and Mentoring	<i>The Sixth</i> , Expectations reminder and Mentoring
TUESDAY	<i>The Sixth</i> , Expectations reminder and Mentoring	Assembly – Main Hall	Study Skills	Study Skills	Study Skills
WEDNESDAY	Study Skills	Study Skills	Assembly – Main Hall	Relationships: Dealing with rejection	Relationships: Dealing with rejection
THURSDAY	Relationships: Dealing with rejection	Relationships: Dealing with rejection	Relationships: Dealing with rejection	Assembly – Main Hall	Cancer awareness: Checking yourself
FRIDAY	Cancer awareness: Checking	Cancer awareness: Checking yourself	Cancer awareness: Checking yourself	Cancer awareness: Checking yourself	Assembly – Main Hall

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## Other events this week

### Wednesday

Debate Club, 1.20–2.30pm

### Thursday

Yoga, 1.20–2pm

### Friday

Wear it Pink!  
Don't forget to bring  
in cash on the day.

(see p.1)



# NEWS



## Auschwitz visit

Four of our students visited Poland's notorious concentration camp this week as part of the 'Lessons from Auschwitz' Project.



## BIRTHDAYS

H. Davies  
T. Franks  
H. Furness  
O. Smith  
H. Yiu



# PREVIOUS

# NOTICES

DONT FORGET

## Gateway Programme

The Gateway Programme will begin in school after half term. Please keep an eye on *The Sixth* for further information. However be aware that deadlines for HE+ (Cambridge), OxNet (Oxford) and StemSmart (Cambridge) are **30th October 2023**. Please see Dr Dodds' email for more information and eligibility criteria.

## Enrichment

Sign up for our enrichment activities took place earlier this term. If you wish to sign up to a club or society and have not already put your name down, please email Miss J Dixon.

[Click here](#) for a list of activities.

*Please note this list is liable to change.*

## Exam Timetable

The provisional exam timetable for summer 2024 can be [found here](#). Please note this is provisional and may be subject to change. Please do NOT book holidays around these dates just yet.



## Key dates

Please [click here](#) to view the Assessment calendar, which includes key dates for the year ahead.

# ENRICHMENT

## Fancy working on a magazine?



One of our Year 12 students is starting a school magazine for students, by students, and needs help putting it together. The plan is to have one publication each term.

Not only will this look great on your CVs and Personal Statements, it will help you get involved in the creation, layout and publication of a student magazine. Do you fancy joining the team? The available roles are:

- Editors
- Journalists
- Head of Editors
- Head of Journalism
- Photographers
- Creative Director

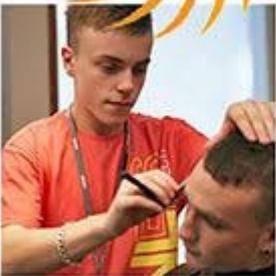
Please let Miss J Dixon ([jdixon@lymmhigh.org.uk](mailto:jdixon@lymmhigh.org.uk)) know if you are interested, or if you'd like any more information.

# FUTURES OPPORTUNITIES

# APPLYING TO APPRENTICESHIPS



## Apprenticeships



- Please [click here](#) to see this week's list of current apprenticeships in the Warrington area.  
For further details and to apply for any of these vacancies go to the [National Apprenticeship Website](#).
- [Click here](#) for the 2022 Top 100 Apprenticeship Providers.
- Further opportunities in Cheshire and Warrington can be viewed [here](#) and [here](#).
- Don't forget to use [Unifrog](#) to search for Apprenticeship opportunities too!

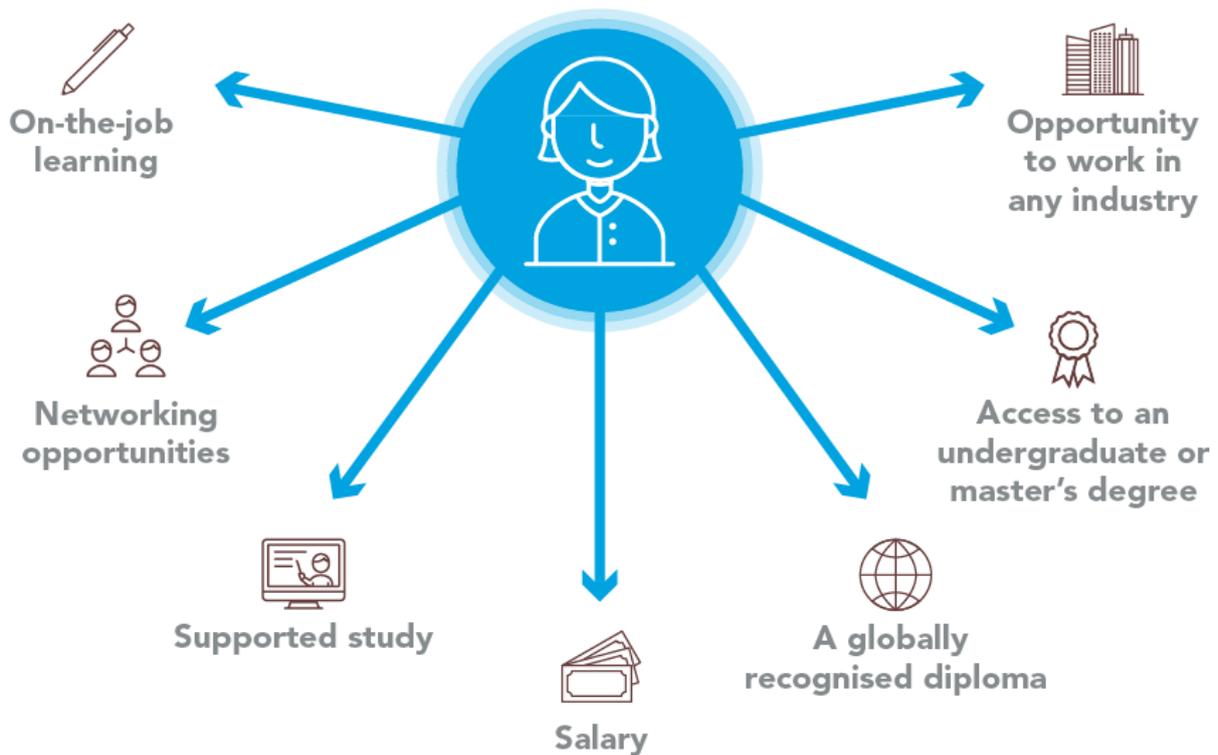
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## Accounting apprenticeships



The accountancy body ACCA provides the opportunities and tools needed to become a successful finance and business professional.

The organisation says that accountancy opens the door to a wide range of opportunities, both inside and outside of finance. It is open to anyone, anywhere, from any walk of life – students don't need to excel at maths to become an accountant.



If you're curious about what it's like to become an ACCA apprentice and what your career might look like, check out these [apprenticeship success stories](#) and [a day in the life of a Trainee Accountant](#).

If you're interested in becoming an ACCA apprentice or you'd just like to find out more, get in [touch here](#).

# CAREERS

Our [careers website](#) includes a [calendar of events](#), [labour market information](#) and a link to [Unifrog](#).



In Cheshire and Warrington, the industry sectors that are growing include life science, digital & technology, logistics & distribution, energy, zero carbon and clean growth. Find out more [here](#).

Key sectors with significant levels of employment are: chemicals, manufacturing & engineering, finance & business services, and health & social care.

## Upcoming Events

- **Unilever Careers evening**  
*Port Sunlight, Wednesday 18th October, 5.30–7.30pm*
- **Looking ahead to your PwC career options: Degree programme**  
*Thursday 19th October, 4.30–5.30pm (online)*
- **Army Careers** (see p.12)  
*Warrington & Vale Royal College, Thursday 19th October, 6–9pm*
- **Business, Technology & Law-focused Work Experience, Manchester** (see p.10)  
*Deansgate Hotel, Thursday 26th October, 9.30–1.30pm*
- **Legal Work Experience Day in Manchester** (see p.11)  
*Hilton Deansgate Hotel, Thursday 26th October, 1.30–5.30pm*
- **NHS Virtual Allied Healthcare Work Experience**  
*Sunday 5th November, Sunday 3rd December, Sunday 7th January, Sunday 4th February, Sunday 3rd March (all 9–5pm)*
- **Online careers and work experience days**  
*October to December 2023*

For details of all these events and more, [click here](#).

## In-person Work Experience in Manchester

*Hilton Deansgate Hotel, Thursday 26th October, 9.30–1.30pm*

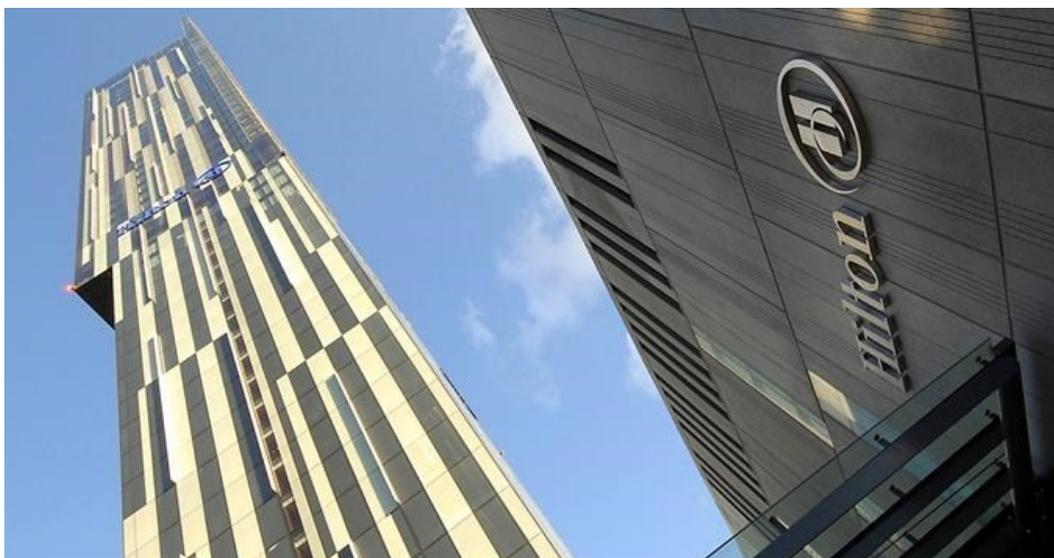
This is a business, technology and law-focused event where students will spend the day taking part in workshops, working on real-world business projects, as well as lots of networking throughout the day. It will feature some of the world's leading employers such as Amazon, KPMG, Mazars, Mott MacDonald, Grant Thornton, RAF, CIMA, the University of Law and many more.

During the event, students will take part in interactive sessions and workshops to gain practical knowledge, enhance skillsets, and engage in meaningful discussions with industry professionals.

Why attend?

- Connect with leading global employers.
- Gain industry insights and trends as well as picking up new skills through hands-on workshops and group activities.
- Expand your professional network.
- Explore potential career opportunities and further work experience opportunities .

Students are encouraged to apply as soon as possible, as there are limited places. To apply, please [click here](#).



## Legal Work Experience Day in Manchester

*Hilton Deansgate Hotel, Thursday 26th October, 1.30–5.30pm*

This in-person Work Experience Day is aimed at aspiring legal professionals, solicitor apprentices, and anyone who's considering a career in Law.

Young Professionals has teamed up with City Century, which is a collaboration of over 50 leading London law firms who are all coming together to provide invaluable insight events, work experiences, and solicitor apprenticeship opportunities for students up and down the country. Their aim is to help thousands of students around the UK find out how to secure their dream jobs within a City law firm. Students will be in the same room as some of the senior leaders at each of these incredible law firms to learn from their experiences, ask any burning questions, network, and ultimately take the first step to secure their dream job!

Students will get the chance to come face-to-face with the law firms, experience panel discussions, hear some inspiring keynote presenters, as well as have plenty of opportunities to network and build up their personal legal connections.

This is set to be the biggest in-person student law event to take place in Manchester so spaces are in high demand and are very limited. Students are encouraged to apply as soon as possible. To apply, please [click here](#).



# CAREERS



## Interested in Army careers?

***Warrington & Vale Royal College, Thursday 19th October, 6–9pm***

This Army Engagement event provides students with a chance to learn more about the opportunities that exist within the Army. The organisation has more than 200 trades on offer and has been voted the Top Apprenticeship employer for the third year running.

Colonel D.P. Doherty, Commander of the Army in this region, and host of this event, aims to promote greater awareness and understanding of the Army.

The format for the evening is:

- 6.30–7pm: Reception
- 7–7.45pm: Presentation
- 7.45–8.15pm: Questions
- 8.15–9pm: Refreshments



If you wish to be part of this opportunity to not only engage directly with the Army, but also network with local community leaders, then please [register here](#).

You can find further information by visiting the [Army Engagement website](#).





To view the latest online University events, [click here](#).

These are listed in chronological order and include Open Days (in-person and virtual), online chats and webinars. Students can browse these events and engage with higher education from the comfort of their mobile, tablet or computer.

# UCAS

- **Discovery Days at Wrexham**  
**Glyndwr University**  
*October*
- **UCAS University and Apprenticeship Search Fair** (see p.9)  
*Liverpool, Tuesday 17th October*
- **University of Sheffield Subject Tasters**  
*October and November*

For details of these events and more, [click here](#) to access our dedicated UCAS webpage, and click the button '**What's on this month**'.