### **TGGS Careers Notices Bulletin –**

### Week Ending – 25/04/2025



**Welcome to the career's notices bulletin!** As always lots of information for you. If you are in year 10 and above, please note carefully the procedure for applying for Work Experience.

Please note that it is really important that you must ensure that you only apply for events / experiences if they are relevant for your age group.

Any questions about future careers, please drop me an *email* or *message in Teams* and I can then arrange a meeting with you. I am more than happy to help you look at a variety of different options.

Many thanks,

### G. Neighbour

Mr G. A. Neighbour FGS Careers Leader

### Important Reminder for students applying for InvestIN courses.

As we are a partner school if you apply for one of the events you can now gain a 10% discount on the cost – you will need to apply the code, which is given on the **Careers SharePoint News** site which is across any of their programmes. To apply the discount, the code simply needs to be entered at checkout.

### All students

You will all at some point have a one-to-one Careers Meeting with Miss Morgan who is a Qualified Careers Advisor. She will notify you via MS Teams when you have a careers appointment. (All students will receive at least one Careers Meeting). When you know the time / date of your meeting it is important that you complete the <u>Pre 1-1 Careers Meeting Questionnaire</u> before the meeting.

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=EWSL9vASo0iK-8kz7xSXI-RC4Rj77sFOh2Vm3yUHrHVUNVA3U1A1TERONVBFV1RKODMzTFRRVFNUVi4u

After the meeting we will ask you to also completed the following <u>1-1 Careers Meeting Feedback Questionnaire</u>:

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=EWSL9vASo0iK-8kz7xSXI-RC4Rj77sFOh2Vm3yUHrHVUQINGSEZEN1JOSFg4Q0ZMSTk3NIJNQU1RRi4u

Any questions <u>please contact either Miss Morgan (Imorgan@tggsacademy.org) or Mr Neighbour</u> (gneighbour@tggsacademy.org

IMPORTANT – Sometimes organisations (Employers and Universities) send me information with only a day or two notice of events or deadlines – As before this will be shared with you via the TGGS Careers MS Teams pages.



**Speakers for Schools** have a new portal for their **Virtual work experience opportunities** – this will replace the long list of work experience opportunities that used to be included in the newsletter.

The new website address for this portal is here -

https://www.speakersforschools.org/experience-2/work-experience/

This Week's Work Experience Spotlight!



### **Work Experience Programmes for Students**

Students in Years 10-13 can complete these programmes at their own pace, fitting them around their schedules. Upon completion, they'll receive a certificate that's perfect for enhancing CVs, cover letters, and interview applications.

You can explore all of our February programmes here

# Next-Gen

FREE

**Ticket Required For Entry** 

**For Future Cyber Security Leaders** 

Live Hacking Session

STEM Groups

IDI STOKE

Interactive Workshops

**Including Minecraft Coding and Hero VR Gaming** 

Audience: Designed for GCSE to A-Level Students, but all ages are welcome.

Friday 25th April 2025 3:30pm - 6:00pm University of Exeter

Visit nextgen.bsidesexeter.co.uk for tickets! All children must be accompanied by an adult.





### CAREERS WEBINAR



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### IMPOSTER SYNDROME & HOW TO OVERCOME IT

86 13th May 2025 | 6:30pm

Got exams coming up? Turn your self-doubt into self-belief. Learn more about how imposter syndrome can hold you back - and discover the strategies to overcome it, build confidence, and perform at your best!

- >> Learn to recognise & challenge imposter syndrome
- Get confidence-boosting strategies
- >> Hear real stories from professionals who've been in your shoes





BRAND NEW APPRENTICESHIP I : Digital Financial Audit Apprenticeship Scheme

**P** Opportunities in London & Newcastle

Looking for a career that **blends tech and finance**? The **National Audit Office (NAO)** has the **perfect apprenticeship** for you!

What's in it for you?

Earn while you learn with a **fully funded degree apprenticeship in Digital & Technology** Solutions!

Gain professional qualifications in audit & IT

- Work on high-profile government projects
- Be part of a **fast-growing teams**

This **4-year programme** is your chance to **make an impact**, **develop in-demand skills**, **and shape your future** in a career that matters.

APPLY NOW

I've only been here for a few months, I have already had the opportunity to contribute to the IT audit of a high-profile public-sector body that frequently features in the news. It has been a fascinating introduction to the IT audit process, and I am really excited about the other audits I will get to work on in the future.

- Daniel - 1<sup>st</sup> Year DFA Apprentice

Been forwarded this email? Don't miss out on our opportunities...

Register here to get the latest careers advice and

apprenticeships to your inbox.



### Royal Holloway University of London



### **Upcoming Events**

Parents and Supporters of 2026 University Starters Webinar

13<sup>th</sup> May 2025 – 5pm to 6pm

For more information, please click the link below:

https://events.teams.microsoft.com/event/a2d5e87e-64f0-4da2-a484-b3d6edecd73e@2efd699a-1922-4e69-b601-108008d28a2e

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### **UKESF Girls into Electronics Programme**

### 25<sup>th</sup> June 2025

The UKESF Girls into Electronics programme is a unique opportunity for female students – in years 10, 11 and 12 – to explore Electronics. At the heart of the programme is a series of one-day events, during the summer term, hosted by the UKESF's partner universities. During the day, participating students find out more about Electronics and studying the subject at university level, hear from female graduate engineers working in the sector and get 'hands on' with circuit building, coding and Arduino microcontrollers. Since 2022, the Girls into Electronics programme has inspired over 1000 young women. Royal Holloway University of London is pleased to announce it will be running a Girls into Electronics event on Wednesday 25 June 2025. If you're a teacher interested in taking a group of our students or a student wanting to make an individual booking, you can book now!

Link to Girls into Electronics webpage - ukesf.org/what-we-do/girls-into-electronics/

Link to Booking form for Teachers - GIE 2025 - Booking Form for Teachers - Google Forms		

A Taste of Physics and Astronomy

25<sup>th</sup> June 2025 10am to 4pm

This one-day Taster Day at Royal Holloway is for anyone who wants to learn more about what a degree in Physics and Astronomy can offer you.

For more information, please click the link below:

https://www.unitasterdays.com/events/event/74019/a-taste-of-physics-and-astronomy

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**Studying Classics at University** 

### 'NORMAL PEOPLE': LIFE AND LOVE IN THE ANCIENT WORLD

Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> July 2025 10.30 am – 3.30 pm

A University Taster Day of mini lectures and interactive experiences for school students

For more information, please click the link below:

https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/normal-people-life-and-love-in-the-ancient-world-tickets-1232708196399?aff=oddtdtcreator& gl=1\*1cjt55o\*\_up\*MQ..\* ga\*Mzc5MjY0MzU5LjE3Mzg1NzYw NTQ.\* ga\_TQVES5V6SH\*MTczODU3NjA1My4xLjAuMTczODU3NjA1My4wLjAuMA





**Opportunities from across the University Bookings Now Open: Doing History at University** Thursday 26 June 2025 The Diamond, University of Sheffield

The Historical Association are hosting a one-day on-campus event for students and teachers in partnership with the University of Sheffield. A must for students looking to study history at university and post-16 teachers looking to support their students, join us for a day packed full of helpful advice, workshops, mock interviews and case studies, plus sessions from the University of Sheffield history department and a chance to meet current students.



A Taste of Linguistics – Taster Day at The University of Sheffield

Monday 16 June 2025

Bring your Year 12/13 students to campus for an exciting and thought-provoking day exploring the science of language. Our Linguistics Taster Day is designed for curious minds who want to discover how language works and why it matters.

The day will include:

- Engaging, interactive taster sessions led by university lecturers on topics like language variation, accents, meaning, and the mind.
- Live polls, quizzes and hands-on activities to get students thinking like linguists.
- A lively Q&A where students and teachers can ask anything about studying linguistics at university.
- Opportunities to meet current undergraduates and find out what it's really like to study English Language & Linguistics at Sheffield.
- A guided tour of our campus.

We welcome bookings from school groups and aim to accommodate around 30 students per school. Places are limited, so early registration is encouraged.



### French Online Subject Taster: Understanding gender and society in the French-speaking world

Tuesday 29 April 2025

12pm - 1:15pm

What role did women play in the Declaration of the Rights of Man? Why were French suffragettes less radical than their British counterparts? How has French president Emmanuel Macron stirred up a historical debate about reproduction and national strength? To what extent did the Paris Olympic and Paralympic Games achieve their stated aim of gender parity?

Explore these questions and find out more about gender relations in the francophone world during a free online taster session with the University of Sheffield. The session will be interactive and led by Dr Sophie Maddison, convenor of the second-year module 'Understanding Gender and Society in France and the Francophone World'.



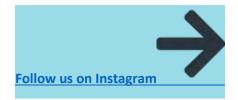
### Health courses at Sheffield are now on Instagram!

Say hello to *@shefunihealth* – the official account for health courses at the University of Sheffield.

This is your inside look at what it's really like to train as a health professional at Sheffield – from lecture theatres to clinical placements and beyond. It is also the perfect place to have any questions answered by current staff or students!

### We'll be sharing:

- $\bigcirc$  Real stories from students, apprentices, and graduates
- Authentic videos and behind the scenes content
- Honest advice and experiences from across our programmes
- 📈 Trend driven posts that reflect what it's like to study and thrive at Sheffield
- 🔬 Cutting-edge research shaping clinical care



### **Physics Research Experience Week 2025**

Monday 21 July - Friday 25 July 2025

University of Sheffield campus

Join us for this exciting and informative week, where you'll get the chance to get hands-on in our facilities, speak to world-leading scientists about the work they are involved in, and understand how a career in physics research impacts the global community.

Plus, you'll have the chance to work with academic staff to get an in-depth look into our fascinating research specialisms, including **Quantum Technology, Astronomy, Particle Physics and Materials and Biological Physics**. There will also be an opportunity to meet students and graduates, find out more about life at university and learn about career opportunities with a physics degree.

The research experience week will take place on campus at the University of Sheffield. Please note that this is not a residential week and you will be expected to arrange travel to the department for each day of the work experience week.



Girls into Electronics Wednesday 2 July 2025 University of Sheffield campus

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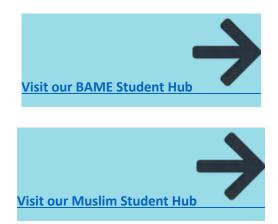
As a charity, the UKESF want their courses to be accessible to all. So if the admin fee is a barrier, please get in touch with them before booking - info@ukesf.org



### Access

### Information, advice and guidance (IAG) for BAME and Muslim Students

Created in partnership with our student communities, our new BAME and Muslim web pages cover everything students need to know about student life at Sheffield—from wellbeing and community networks, student societies to academic and financial support. For more information, check out our Hubs.



### Student loans and shari'ah law

We have new updated guidance on our web page with the latest information for Muslim students who may be affected by the current non-Sharia-compliant loan system as well as resources for students who cannot secure loans for non-religious reasons. For anyone impacted by this or who have raised this issue, please direct them to our web pages where they can also book an appointment with our Muslim Chaplain, Ameena Blake, to discuss this in confidence. For teacher and advisor enquiries, please direct them to Seetal Jutla, Access Officer <u>s.jutla@sheffield.ac.uk</u>

### Offer Holder Days and Open Days - our Access+ Travel Bursary

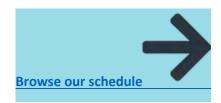
Are you working with students who are eligible for Access+? We know that sometimes the cost of travel can make visiting us in person challenging, but if any students you work with meet our Access+ criteria, we might be able to help with their travel costs.

Students may be able to <u>claim back travel expenses</u> if they visit us on Open Days, On Campus Subject Taster events, Offer Holder Interviews and Offer Holder Days. They can ask about this at the Access Sheffield stand in our central exhibition on all our Offer Holder days and Open Days.

### Events

### **New! Subject tasters**

Subject taster sessions offer an opportunity to experience a university lecture or seminar, to get a taste of what studying at university is like. Our interactive sessions are available for prospective students who are exploring their post-16 options. New exciting additions have recently been added to our spring/summer schedule, from *Robots in our sewers* to *Fostering inclusive societies*.



### Open days

Bookings are now open for our summer Open Days, being held on **21 June** and **5 July** 2025! Students can expect informative campus and city tours, support sessions, and opportunities to find out more about their course from academics and current students. It's the perfect opportunity to get a feel for what Sheffield is really like.





### Sheffield on the road

With another busy March under our belt, we've been travelling across the country, from Lisburn to Brighton, attending no fewer than 11 UCAS and UK University Search Exhibitions. We've met with thousands of students, supporters, and plenty of teachers and advisors, too! As exhibitions continue into the summer term, we'll keep showcasing everything Sheffield has to offer and we hope to meet you there.



### **Sheffield - Your University City**

Sheffield is buzzing with exciting events this spring! The World Snooker Championship at the iconic Crucible Theatre kicks things off, where the top 32 players compete in a thrilling knockout tournament. On 5 May, the Graves Park Country Show offers free entry for a fun-filled day with family or friends, featuring an animal park and activities. Later in May, the fifth Get Together Festival returns to Kelham Island on 17 May, celebrating independent music, art, food, and drink. That same weekend, the Sheffield Cocktail Festival is showcasing 25 of the city's top bars - so I'll definitely be heading there! - Alice, Student Recruitment Intern & recent Sheffield graduate



## Lucy Cavendish College University of Cambridge

### Admissions Updates

Open Days: 10 <sup>th</sup> and 11 <sup>th</sup> July	How to Apply and Undergraduate Admissions FAQs
Bookings for our July Open Days are now open! Open Days are a great opportunity to get a feel for the University and to visit our Colleges, departments, and facilities.	Our Admissions Team has recently updated our <u>How</u> to Apply webpage and our <u>Undergraduate Admissions</u> <u>FAQs</u> webpage. Both contain useful information and advice on the different aspects of the application process.
We look forward to welcoming many of you to Lucy Cavendish College for:	
Student-led guided tours, including     accommodation	
<ul> <li>Drop-in one-to-one meetings with our Admissions Director or Deputy Admissions Director</li> </ul>	
<ul> <li>Drop-in one-to-one meetings with our student support team</li> </ul>	
Book here	

### **Opportunities and Events for Students**

Information, Advice and Guidance on Applying to University

The Homerton College Admissions Webinars	International Undergraduate Webinar Series
Date: between 12 <sup>th</sup> May and 12 <sup>th</sup> August	Date: between 12 <sup>th</sup> May and 20 <sup>th</sup> June
	Find out more and register here

<b>Open to:</b> students in Year 12 (S5 – Scotland/Y13	
– N.I/equivalent) and their teachers and	
advisers	
Find out more and register here	
Apply: Cambridge	Become's Navigating Higher Education
	webinar series
Apply: Cambridge is a free programme to support high-attaining students from underrepresented backgrounds and areas to make competitive applications to the University	The <b>new rolling webinar series</b> offers advice and guidance for care-experienced young people on applying to higher education.
of Cambridge. The Programme will include:	Topics will include:
<ul> <li>Informational webinars</li> </ul>	An overview of how to apply for higher
<ul> <li>Interactive workshops</li> </ul>	education
<ul> <li>Supercurricular learning opportunities</li> </ul>	Student Finance
<ul> <li>Q&amp;A sessions with Admissions Tutors</li> </ul>	Information on UCAS applications
<ul> <li>and current students</li> <li>Mentoring from a current University of Cambridge student, including:         <ul> <li>virtual 1-1 mentoring over a text-based app and website</li> <li>monthly group mentoring meetings with your mentor over Zoom</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Specific support for care- experienced students, such as what you're entitled to while at university from your local authority and designated contact.</li> <li>The support you can get from Become outside of education such as <u>coaching</u> and <u>career</u> help.</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>personal statement feedback</li> </ul>	Deadline: rolling deadline
<b>Open to</b> : state school students in Year 12 (S5 – Scotland/Y13 – N.I/equivalent)	<b>Open to</b> : care-experienced young people
Find out more and register interest here	Register here
Christ's College Webinar Series	Become's Propel Uni Ready Programme
	Through six 1:1 sessions, the Uni Ready Programme is designed to propel you on your journey to higher education. These sessions

These webinars run regularly until August and provide information about applying to Cambridge. You can find the full list of upcoming webinars and register for any you would like to attend <u>here</u> .	will: support you throughout the process, cover the UCAS application, applying for Student Finance, help accessing support for care- experienced students at university & more. <b>Deadline</b> : rolling deadline
	<b>Open to</b> : care-experienced young people
	Apply here
Apply: Cambridge 2025/26	Medical Schools Council's Social Media Accounts
Apply: Cambridge is the University's free applicant support programme for high-attaining students from underrepresented backgrounds and areas of the UK. It's an intensive online programme:	These new accounts have been created for aspiring medicine and dentistry students to guide them on the university application process. The accounts will share key information about the application process, important diary dates, personal statement and interview tips and links to our library of free
<ul> <li>offering information, advice and guidance to help you make a competitive application to Cambridge</li> </ul>	resources on our Studying Healthcare website.
<ul> <li>with weekly activities until the UCAS deadline, including interview and admissions test practice</li> </ul>	The accounts can be found here:
<ul> <li>delivered by Cambridge staff, students and Admissions Tutors, who will share</li> </ul>	Instagram: <u>@studyinghealthcare</u>
their expertise on the application process.	TikTok: @studyinghealthcare
The programme runs from July 2025 until the end of January 2026. Eligibility criteria applies.	YouTube: @StudyingHealthcare
<b>Deadline</b> : 9am, 1 <sup>st</sup> May	
<b>Open to</b> : students in Year 12 (S5 – Scotland/Y13 – N.I/equivalent)	

Find out more and apply here

### Target Oxbridge Year 12 Programme

Target Oxbridge is a free programme that aims to help Black African and Caribbean students and students of mixed race with Black African and Caribbean heritage increase their chances of getting into the Universities of Oxford or Cambridge (known collectively as Oxbridge). Since launching in 2012, Target Oxbridge has helped over 500 students to secure Oxbridge offers across its sixth form programmes. Applications have now closed but late applications will still be considered, so we would recommend applying as soon as possible.

Deadline: 1<sup>st</sup> August 2025

**Open to**: students in Year 10 (S3 – Scotland/Y11 – N.I) who identify as Black African and Caribbean, or mixed race with Black heritage and meet further eligibility criteria listed at the link below

### Find out more here

### **Taster Days and Other Subject-Focussed Events**

Subject-focussed events are a great way for students to gain an insight into a subject they're interested in applying for at university, as well as an opportunity to explore an area of the subject in more depth to support their <u>ongoing supracurricular exploration</u>.

Murray Edwards College Taster Lectures	Selwyn College: Year 12 Residential Summer
This series offers online taster lectures followed	Schools
by a Q&A that are delivered by some of the	Each of our summer schools is a two-night
University of Cambridge's most prestigious	residential course, with all food and
fellows. The aim of these webinars is to give	accommodation included free of cost to
students who are considering applying to the	participants. Travel bursaries will also be
University of Cambridge and Murray Edwards	available. You can choose from the following
College an insight into the breadth of the	three subject streams:
degree programmes we have on offer; the	• Physical Natural Sciences
content and research that is involved; and the	• Languages and Cultures
teaching style that is used.	• Unearthing the Past
<u>Find the full list of lectures on offer here</u>	Deadline: 5pm, 30 <sup>th</sup> April

	<b>Date:</b> between 30 <sup>th</sup> June and 10 <sup>th</sup> July, depending on stream
	<b>Open to:</b> UK state school students in Year 12 (S5 – Scotland/Year 13 - N.I)
	Find out more and apply here
Academic Skills & Stories (Clare College)	Murray Edwards College: DOME Languages Summer School
This webinar series is a fantastic opportunity to encounter and strengthen academic skills related to the study of arts and humanities subjects. Linked by the theme of stories, each session will encourage students to develop university-level thinking skills, take critical approaches to texts and resources, and gain confidence in exploring their own interests independently.	The DOME Languages Summer School is a 2-day residential summer camp that will give participants the opportunity to discover many of the different language-based degree programmes that are offered at the University of Cambridge. Come away from the residential with knowledge of various degree programmes; experience of student life at Cambridge
Deadline: 1pm, 30 <sup>th</sup> April	University; insight into what you can do with a language qualification; and new friendships with like-minded students.
Date: 2pm, 15 <sup>th</sup> April to 6pm, 30 <sup>th</sup> April	The summer school is completely free: the meals and accommodation are provided by the College.
<b>Open to</b> : state school students in Year 11 (S4 – Scotland/Y12 – N.I) and Year 12 (S5 – Scotland/Y13 – N.I)	Deadline: 9am, 19 <sup>th</sup> May
Find out more and apply here	Date: 27 <sup>th</sup> August-28 <sup>th</sup> August
	<b>Open to</b> : female and non-binary students in Year 11 (S4 – Scotland/Y12 – N.I) attending UK schools
	Find out more and apply here

Faculty of Mathematics Open Day	Churchill College: Sustainable Urban Futures
<ul> <li>In the morning, most Colleges offer a variety of sessions for prospective mathematicians, which cover wider aspects of undergraduate life as well as mathematics. In the afternoon, the Faculty of Mathematics offers a programme of in-person activities, including: <ul> <li>Mathematical talks</li> <li>STEP workshop</li> <li>Preparation for interviews sessions</li> <li>Talks for parents and supporters</li> </ul> </li> <li>as well as 'drop-in' sessions with students and staff, where you can ask questions about admissions or the course.</li> </ul>	Sustainable Urban Futures is a free, 5-day residential at Churchill College. Explore a wide range of areas – from Architecture and STEM to Design, Humanities and Social Sciences – and see how they connect to creating a more sustainable future. You'll stay at Churchill College, meet current Cambridge students, and get stuck into hands- on activities, including working in a team to build a temporary eco home. Alongside practical workshops, you'll attend taster lectures, learn about university life, and take part in a mini conference. All costs – including travel, food, and accommodation – are fully covered.
<b>Deadline:</b> 1pm, 28 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Deadline</b> : 11:45pm, 6 <sup>th</sup> May
Date: 3 <sup>rd</sup> May and 10 <sup>th</sup> May	Date: 18 <sup>th</sup> -22 <sup>nd</sup> August
<b>Open to:</b> all UK schools	<b>Open to</b> : state school students in Year 12 (S5 – Scotland/Year 13 - N.I)
<u>Register here</u>	Find out more and apply here
The Murray Edwards Sixth Form Lecture Series	Clare College: Secret Histories 2025
The Murray Edwards Sixth Form Lecture Series will dive into English Literature, French, Spanish, Classics and many more literature and language-based subjects by exploring many commonly studied A Level texts and topics in new and interesting ways. This is a fantastic opportunity for students to engage with Fellows from the University of Cambridge; gain an insight into Cambridge University's teaching approach; improve their critical thinking and analytical skills; and	<ul> <li>A webinar series sharing the hidden stories of the past. Sessions include:</li> <li>The Surprising Roots of the Vietnam War</li> <li>Secrets of Early Modern Prisoners' Letters</li> <li>The Sixteenth-Century Roots of Artificial Intelligence</li> </ul>

prepare to make applications to selective universities with the support of the Murray Edwards College Director of Admissions.	<ul> <li>The Hidden Stories of Women in Science during WW1</li> </ul>
Date: 30 <sup>th</sup> April to 19 <sup>th</sup> November	<b>Date</b> : from 7 <sup>th</sup> May to 11 <sup>th</sup> June
<b>Open to:</b> students in Year 11 (S4 – Scotland/Y12 – N.I/equivalent) and above, as well as their teachers and advisers	<b>Open to</b> : state school students in Year 12 (S5 – Scotland/Year 13 - N.I) <u>Find out more and register here</u>
Location: Murray Edwards College, Cambridge	
Find out more and register here	
Year 12 Arts and Humanities Summer Residential (Pembroke College)	Queens' College Medieval Outreach Day
This residential will provide successful applicants with the opportunity to explore a number of subjects in more depth, get a taste of life at Cambridge, meet current students and staff, and find out more about the application process and Cambridge as a city. We hope that students who participate will get a real taste of university life, and a better understanding of what they can do now to prepare themselves for this step. <b>Deadline</b> : 8am, 19 <sup>th</sup> May	<ul> <li>Share your passion for the past and explore all things medieval with experts from the Cambridge University departments of English literature, Anglo-Saxon Norse and Celtic, History of Art, Asian and Middle Eastern Studies, and Architecture.</li> <li>Find out about the range of degree courses available at the University of Cambridge.</li> <li>See the architecture of the medieval university, and view precious medieval manuscripts.</li> </ul>
Date: 7 <sup>th</sup> July – 10 <sup>th</sup> July	<b>Deadline:</b> 9am, 8 <sup>th</sup> September
<b>Open to</b> : state school students in Year 12 (S5 – Scotland/Y13 – N.I/equivalent)	<b>Date:</b> 29 <sup>th</sup> September
Location: Pembroke College, Cambridge	<b>Open to</b> : students in Year 11 (S4 – Scotland/Y12 – N.I/equivalent) meeting eligibility criteria (see link below)

Find out more and apply here	
	<b>Location:</b> Queens' College, Cambridge (with a small number of residential places available)
	Find out more and apply here
Homerton College Subject Focus Sessions	Royal Geographical Society's events for students
Each Subject Focus session will involve an introduction to Cambridge University and Homerton College from a member of our Admissions Team, followed by a taster session to give you an insight into the subject. To conclude, there will be Q&A with current Homerton students studying the subject.	The Society has a number of upcoming events for students, including advice about choosing Geography courses at university, information about careers related to Geography, and talks for supracurricular exploration.
Find out more and apply here	Find out more here
University of Cambridge Online Subject Masterclasses	Anglo Saxon Norse and Celtic Department Open Day
<ul> <li>Subject Masterclasses are sessions that allow you to explore your subject in greater depth while experiencing typical undergraduate teaching at Cambridge.</li> <li>Each Masterclass includes: <ul> <li>Two taster sessions delivered by our academic staff</li> <li>An opportunity to ask questions and engage with subject experts</li> <li>An introduction to the Cambridge admissions process</li> <li>Insights into life as a Cambridge student from current undergraduates</li> </ul> </li> </ul>	The teaching staff will describe the courses they provide, the kinds of materials studied, the range of choices the Tripos offers, and the kinds of employment our graduates move into. There will be opportunities to put questions to staff and current students and to ask advice about application procedures for both prospective students and accompanying parents. A visit to a College Library to view Anglo-Saxon and other medieval manuscripts will follow the presentations. <b>Deadline</b> : 5pm, 23 <sup>rd</sup> June
<b>Open to</b> : students in Year 12 (S5 – Scotland/Year 13 - N.I)	Date: 2 <sup>nd</sup> July Open to: students in Year 12 (S5 – Scotland/Year 13 - N.I) and their parents, guardians and supporters

<b>Cost</b> : £15 (with funded places available for eligible students – find more information below)	<u>Apply here</u>	
Find the full list of Masterclasses and book here		
Archaeology Webinars 2025		
Archaeology at Cambridge is made up of four subject areas: Archaeology, Biological Anthropology, Assyriology and Egyptology.		
Each webinar will consist of an introduction to the subject area, a 30-minute taster lecture and a Q&A with a Cambridge academic. The final sessions will cover where Archaeology can take you in the future and how best to prepare for applying to Cambridge.		
Date: 7 <sup>th</sup> May to 18 <sup>th</sup> June		
<b>Open to</b> : all students		
Find out more and register here		

### **Projects and Competitions**

Completing projects and participating in competitions offer further opportunities for <u>supracurricular</u> <u>exploration</u>, as this allow students to apply and extend their knowledge beyond the classroom and develop key skills such as critical thinking, essay writing and problem-solving.

Peterhouse Kelvin Biological Sciences Essay	Armstrong Arts and Humanities Essay
Competition	Competition 2025
Submissions are now open for the Peterhouse	The essay questions cover the breadth of arts
Kelvin Biological Sciences Essay Competition,	and humanities subjects offered at
which aims to give students the opportunity to	undergraduate level at the University of
explore scientific concepts and topics beyond	Cambridge. Questions are often multi-
the classroom, and to engage with scientific	disciplinary, designed to encourage entries to
research.	consider the connections between various
The competition has a prize pool of £750, which	subjects, and to allow entries to approach the
will be shared between the winners. A	question from varying angles. Effective essays

prizegiving ceremony will be held in Cambridge in the summer.	will present a clear argument supported by specific, relevant examples.
Deadline: 28 <sup>th</sup> April	<b>Deadline</b> : 11:45pm, 30 <sup>th</sup> April
<b>Open to</b> : UK students in Year 12 (S5 – Scotland/Year 13 - N.I)	<b>Open to</b> : state school students in Year 12 (S5 – Scotland/Y13 – N.I)
<u>Find out more here</u>	Find out more and apply here
BioArtAttack (2D) 2025 competition!	Young Geographer of the Year competition
	2025: Understanding Islands
This competition is for young people to draw or paint their favourite animal, plant or fungi. The competition is open to entries of two- dimensional artworks only. All winners will be invited to an experience day at the <u>Royal</u> <u>Veterinary College</u> , and other prizes are also available.	We are looking for eye-catching, creative and informative posters and StoryMaps (KS5 only) that delve into the socio-economic, cultural, political and physical aspects of a range of islands, showcasing their features and exploring how islands can be connected through the challenges that they face and the solutions they use to address those challenges.
Deadline: 3 <sup>rd</sup> July	
<b>Open to</b> : students aged between 7 and 18	<b>Deadline:</b> 5pm, 3 <sup>rd</sup> October
Find out more and apply here	<b>Open to:</b> students aged between 7 and 18
	Find out more and apply here
British Society for the History of Mathematics' S	

British Society for the History of Mathematics' Schools Prize

Every year the British Society for the History of Mathematics gives prizes for the best essays or presentations on some aspect of the history of mathematics.

For 2024-25, we are asking strudents to write or make a presentation/film/song (or make a submission in any other medium) on *Ethnomathematics*.

Deadline: 12am, 27<sup>th</sup> June

**Open to:** students studying at schools in the UK and the Republic of Ireland aged between 11 and 19

### Find out more and apply here

### **Resources for Supracurricular Exploration**

Exploring your subject outside of school is crucial to developing your knowledge and skills and making competitive applications to highly selective universities. <u>Our dedicated webpage</u> contains comprehensive guidance on supracurricular exploration from our Admissions Team, as well as a comprehensive bank of subject-specific resources. You can also see below for this month's highlighted supracurricular resources.

Royal Geographical Society's Talks	Ada Computer Science
The Society runs a number of talks, many of which are free and open to all.	Ada Computer Science provides free, high- quality, online learning materials to use in the classroom, for homework, and for revision.
OpenLearn's Learning from the Global South	Gresham College public lectures, schools-only
Openceant's ceaning non-the Global South	lectures and playlist
<u>Voices from the Global South</u> is a series of six short films made to stimulate thinking about and reflection on the difference that geography makes to understanding the climate crisis and its impact.	Find public lectures on a wide range of topics <u>here</u> . Find playlists of past lectures <u>here</u> <b>Open to</b> : GCSE and A Level students
Advanced Mathematics Support Programme	Virtual Work Experience with Watson Farley &
	Williams, international law firm
The Advanced Mathematics Support	
Programme is creating an exciting set of high-	

quality videos which showcase the uses of maths in different careers.	This bespoke WFW programme has two modules focussed on the maritime sector, one of the three sectors in which we specialise.
Watch here You might be particularly interested in the resources and videos they created for Green Careers Week, which can be found here, and here.	You can complete the modules at your own pace. It should take you approximately two to three hours in total. You'll gain skills that could help with your studies and with making a more informed decision about whether we are a firm for you.
	<b>Open to</b> : students in Year 13 (S6 – Scotland/Y14 – N.I)
	Find out more here
Oxford Online Maths Club	MathsCareers website's career profiles
The Oxford Online Maths Club is a weekly livestream from the University of Oxford. It's free, interactive, casual, and relaxed, and the livestreams are recorded so that you can watch back afterwards if you can't make it to the live broadcast on Thursday afternoons. Our regular host is Dr James Munro, and we often have current Oxford students answering questions in chat and appearing on the livestream to talk about maths.	Here you will find hundreds of examples of people who have gone on to work in a huge range of different sectors.
Find out more here	a Science and Springhod
Virtual Work Experience at Wellcome Connecting Science and Springpod	

Springpod has partnered with the Wellcome Sanger Institute to help you experience careers in genomics, science and data and discover the range of opportunities on offer. You'll hear from staff at the Wellcome Sanger Institute, explore careers in science and data, and even ask real scientists about their roles, career journeys, and what they enjoy most. You can complete the

**Open to**: students aged 14-18

course at your own pace, whenever and wherever suits you.



Meet PwC: Community Insight Evening's, Reading, Newcastle & Belfast!

These events are perfect for all students Years 10-13, parents, and teachers in the community eager to discover how PwC is shaping industries and supporting career growth for ambitious students.

Join us for an inspiring session hosted by PwC, a global leader in professional services.

This is your chance to explore how **PwC's** *Apprenticeship Programmes & Work Experience Opportunities* can help students towards successful and rewarding careers!

### What to Expect:

### Introduction to the Flying Start Accountancy Programme:

Learn how this unique programme combines real client experience through work placements at PwC with a university degree, preparing you to gain the knowledge, skills and behaviours you need in order to thrive in the business.

### **Programme Overview:**

Discover the structure of this four-year programme combining studying towards a degree during the academic year, along with three paid work placements from second year onwards, with the summer off to enjoy.

### Hear from PwC Representatives and Current Apprentices:

Gain valuable insights from PwC professionals who will share their experiences and career journeys.

### Interactive Q&A Session:

Ask questions directly to PwC representatives and current apprentices, and get advice on the application process with a deep dive into the selection process and what makes a good candidate.

### **Networking Opportunity:**

Meet and connect with PwC staff, university representatives, and peers.

Newcastle - Tue 29 April | 17:30 | Register Here

Reading - Tue 6 May | 17:30 | Register Here

Belfast - Wed 7 May | 17:30 | Register Here





# MEDIC MENTOR MAKE A DIFFERENCE

### **Comprehensive UCAT Support for Medic and Dental Applicants**

The UCAT exam plays a vital role in aspiring dental and medical students' journey, and we are committed to equipping your students with the essential mentoring and resources they need to excel in this crucial exam. Through the guidance of experienced doctors, dentists, and insights from top 10% UCAT scorers in the country, our conferences offer comprehensive support for navigating the application process and thorough UCAT preparation.

To empower your students in achieving their career aspirations and answer the questions surrounding the UCAT exam, it's important for your students to join the upcoming Get into Medicine and Get into Dentistry Virtual Conferences.

Register for the Get Into Medicine Conference on: Saturday 26th April, 9:30am - 3:30pm Sunday 27th April, 9:30am - 3:30pm <u>https://airtable.com/appgXnyzN5ZD9Iwk6/shry7MZYtt3MGPjvO</u>

Register for the Get Into Dentistry Conference on Saturday 17th May, 9:30am - 3:30pm: https://airtable.com/appgXnyzN5ZD9Iwk6/shrBuiR7SBAcC19kE

Attending these conferences provides your students with valuable insights and strategies for tackling the UCAT, as well as giving them an opportunity to connect with other like-minded individuals who share their passion for medicine and/or dentistry.

During these sessions, we will cover:

- UCAT Entrance Exam
- Exam techniques and sample questions from each UCAT section
- UCAT shortcuts and timeline
- Best UCAT preparation techniques
- Tactically choosing universities
- Medical and Dental school interview skills
- National Leadership Programmes
- Medical and Dental Awards Programmes
- Extracurricular activities

- Work experience

- Applying for scholarships to study medicine or dentistry

Your students will not only leave with enhanced test-taking abilities but also invaluable connections and resources to support their dream of a career in healthcare. We would be incredibly grateful if you could share this opportunity with any of your students who may benefit. Students and parents can register for free at this link:

Medicine: <u>https://medicmentor.org/get-into-medicine-university-conference/</u> Dentistry: <u>https://dental-mentor.org/get-into-dentistry-university-conference/</u>



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# START STRONG EVENT

- CAMPUS TOURS
- CHAT BURSARIES, TRANSPORT, CAREERS & MORE
- COMPETITIONS & GAMES IN OUR
   STUDENT AREA THE BARN

### THURSDAY 26TH JUNE 2025 1:30-3PM

BICTON COLLEGE PLEASE REPORT TO RECEPTION BOOK YOUR



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The University of Plymouth, Exeter School of Nursing would like to invite your students who are interested in the below courses to our 6<sup>th</sup> Form event (Half Day) being held on Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> April 2025 in Exeter.

- Nursing Associate Higher Apprenticeship
- FDSC Nursing-Associate (Full time)
- BSc (Hons) Nursing (Adult Health) (Full time)
- BSc (Hons) Nursing (Adult Health) with Integrated Foundation Year (Full time)

The event will give potential Year 12 & 13 students the opportunity to chat to academics, existing students, and other university support areas. Students can gather more information about the facilities, such as our state-of-the-art Clinical Skills Ward, and resources available at The Exeter School of Nursing. It will enable students to discover more about the modules available to study and meet NHS Trust representatives who can advise on your future career.

Students can register to attend either the morning or the afternoon sessions. Places are limited with availability for 60 students in total across the morning and afternoon.

- Morning Session (AM): 10am until 12pm with registration at 9.45am.
- Afternoon Session (PM): 1pm until 3pm with registration at 12.45pm.

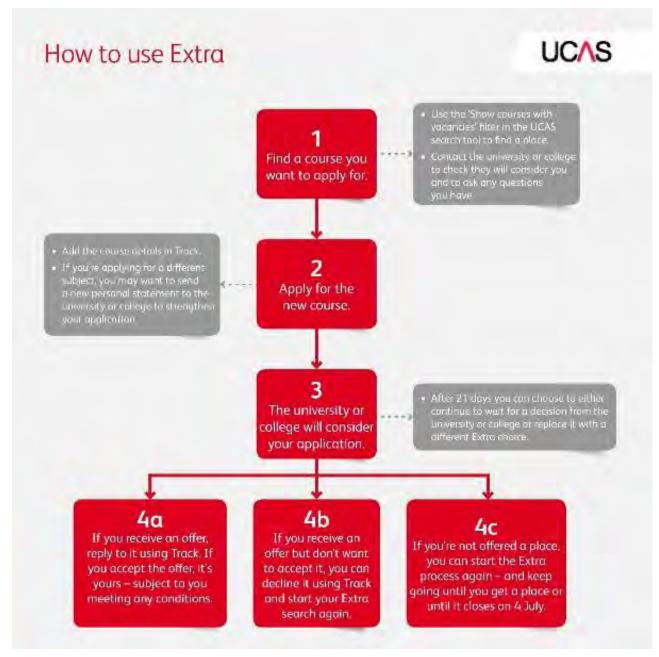
The 6<sup>th</sup> Form event will include a welcome talk and a campus tour. There will be hands-on interactive sessions in the following areas.

- Anatomage Table
- Disability goggles, vests, and gloves
- ECG (electrocardiogram)
- Intubation
- Peak flow and urine testing
- Resuscitation
- Virtual reality room
- Wound management

The Exeter School of Nursing campus is within the grounds of **The InFocus Charity, Topsham Road, Exeter EX2 6HA.** 

To book your place please complete the application form using the link below.

# Sixth Form specific Careers Notices $UC \land S$



To understand how to use Extra in detail, please follow this link:

https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/after-you-apply/types-offer/extra-choices