



Opportunities from the bulletin also feature on our Instagram: @qehs_sixth_form

We ask students and their parents to research fully any opportunities advertised in the bulletin to ensure they are happy with the organisation they are linking with and its value for money if there is a cost.

Notices

Y12 Assembly – Monday

Y13 Assembly – Friday

Freshers' Fair on Friday 16th September. Period 2 for year 12 and period 3 for year 13.

University: Super-curricular

You may be interested in these upcoming events.

Please note: We have been asked by the universities to share their outreach activities with you. To find out more about a university use university league tables and to research the course area you are interested in at a specific university use <https://discoveruni.gov.uk/> where the views from the most recent graduates on their degree experience have been sought.

Year 12

Year 13

Writing a Standout Personal Statement with UEA

On 20th September at 4.30pm, Lydia Newton and Christopher Hakes, HE Advisers from University of East Anglia, will guide students in how to produce a standout personal statement, offering a carefully pitched university perspective on how to hone and maximise the impact of their drafts.

- **September 20 @ 16:30 - 17:15 HE Guidance: Making Applying To University Easy - Writing A Standout Personal Statement - UEA (KS5) [Find out more »](#)**

Year 11

Year 12

Year 13

Law/Criminology University Sessions this Autumn

Channel Talent are offering a fabulous range of Criminology/Law sessions this term. Here is the current list of what is available:

- **September 15 @ 16:15 - 17:00 Criminology: Miscarriages of Justice - Tutorial – Aberystwyth (KS5) [Find out more »](#)**
- **October 11 @ 11:00 - 12:00 insight4me Criminology: Crime & Deviance with Goldsmiths & Surrey (KS5) [Find out more »](#)**
- **October 12 @ 12:45 - 13:30 Criminology: Assessing The Climate Crisis From A Criminological Perspective - Tutorial – Aberystwyth (KS5) [Find out more »](#)**
- **November 8 @ 14:15 - 15:15 Law: Skills & Insight - Legal Reasoning with Goldsmiths (KS5) [Find out more »](#)**

All these sessions are open to groups and individual students and teachers, and are designed to enrich students' current studies and thinking skills whilst offering an insight into what further study looks like.

Please note that the sessions from Aberystwyth also include introductory videos which set the scene for the live event.

**You may not miss lessons to attend these talks but if you are interested in attending, please contact the provider to see if they could send you a recorded version.*

Year 11	Year 12	Year 13	English - University Events this Autumn
<p>Channel Talent have a great selection of English sessions lined up this term, including two 'Book Clubs', a format shaped by students' questions and thoughts and for which the feedback last term was excellent:</p> <p><i>Teacher: 'Loved it. Very impressed by host and both speakers. Really well-pitched, helpful and directed to all students' concerns.'</i></p> <p><i>Student: 'It was very relevant as we are doing Frankenstein in English literature and I love book clubs and discussions of different readings and interpretations and I learnt a lot. So thank you so much.'</i></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • September 21 @ 09:10 - 10:10 English Language/Literature: Methods of Language Analysis - Grammatical Analysis/Parsing - Reading (KS5) Find out more » • October 5 @ 16:15 - 17:15 English/Drama: University Book Club – Othello with University of Reading (KS5) Find out more » • October 6 @ 10:30 - 11:30 English: Accessing Shakespeare - Shakespeare, Poems & Remaking Texts - UEA (KS5) Find out more » • November 7 @ 16:15 - 17:15 English Literature: University Book Club – The Great Gatsby with Goldsmiths (KS5) Find out more » <p><i>*You may not miss lessons to attend these talks but if you are interested in attending, please contact the provider to see if they could send you a recorded version.</i></p>			
Year 11	Year 12	Year 13	Public Lectures – Newcastle University
<p>The autumn 2022 programme is now available to view on the INSIGHTS Public Lectures website.</p> <p>All of the events remain free and open to all, but pre-booking is required. Bookings for lectures will open at 10.00am, one week before the event.</p> <p>With lectures on a range of subjects over the next few months, there is something for everyone. Highlights this season include talks by Professor Susan Standring to mark World Anatomy Day; Eduardo Mendoza, renowned Spanish novelist; Robert Tibbo, Human Rights Lawyer and Aleema Gray, public historian. The programme also includes a lecture to celebrate Black History Month and a panel discussion to mark 1900 years of Hadrian's Wall.</p>			
Year 11	Year 12	VIRTUAL Get into Medicine Conference – Medic Mentor	
<p>Aspiring medical students are eligible to attend a LIVE VIRTUAL Get into Medicine Conference on:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Sunday 18th September 10am - 3pm - Sunday 25th September 10am - 3pm - Saturday 1st October 10am - 3pm <p>Once students have attended, they will be awarded with a certificate from the Presidents at Medic Mentor to acknowledge that they are a student who has gone one step further than others.</p> <p>The Get into Medicine conference is a significant turning point for Medic Mentor students. It will unlock exclusive opportunities such as scholarships and prizes, as well as help them to make a highly competitive application.</p> <p>Students can register by clicking here.</p>			

Year 13**Five Key Points to Know About This Year's Admissions Tests**

1. **Registration closes on 30 September.**
2. **Some test dates are earlier than in previous years.** BMAT and TMUA take place on 18 October 2022. University of Cambridge pre-registration assessments take place on 19 October. University of Oxford Admissions Tests are on 2 November.
3. **Students in financial need can take the tests for free.** If your students are unable to take the tests in your school, authorised test centres typically charge an administration fee on top of any test registration fees. This year eligible UK students can apply for a test voucher code to cover all test fees at British Council test centres in the UK.
4. **Free preparation materials** are available via the [Admissions Testing website](#). Resources include test specifications, sample papers, question and marking guides, and top tips on how to do well. There is no need for students to pay for a preparation course or buy any books.
5. **Timed exam practice is important** as many admissions tests have an element of time pressure.

Year 13**Tariff Table for 2023 Applications**

The latest Tariff Tables, applicable to entry into higher education in September 2023 are [now available](#). The [Tariff Calculator](#) has also been updated and for the first time you can search for a qualification by number (QAN) where relevant. This year tariff points have been assigned to all UK regulated Level 3 qualifications. You can learn more about this change in [Tariff Learning Module](#).

Careers and Work Experience**Year 11****Year 12****Year 13****Live & Interactive Career Masterclasses at UCL or Online**

Students will learn directly from some of the world's best professionals - doctors, lawyers, engineers, investment bankers and more - **through a series of live, interactive simulations which provide tailor-made professional experience to ages 12-18.**

All programmes take place on Sundays at UCL; **students can also attend live online if they prefer.** Please register as soon as possible to ensure a place.

Click [here](#) for more information.

Sixth Form Welcome Day 8th September 2022

It was a pleasure to welcome the students joining QEHS Sixth Form yesterday. Reading their feedback forms last night it was evident that they had particularly enjoyed hearing advice directly from students in the year above. The older students who kindly volunteered their time, passed on some very wise words of wisdom about how best to make the step-up to sixth form study and they illustrated perfectly the benefits of volunteering and work experience. It was inspirational to hear their diverse aspirations for the future. We wish all our Sixth Form students a happy and productive autumn term.

