



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

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Talk by St Anne's College, Oxford University

Hannah Snell from St Annes' College at Oxford University is delivering an online talk about applying to the University of Oxford. The talk will be primarily aimed at parents/carers of Year 11 and 12 students but students are also welcome to attend. We hope that in person Oxbridge talks will be available for Year 12 students later in the year. The talk will take place on Teams on the **17th November starting at 17:30** and is expected to last no longer than an hour. [Click here to join the meeting](#)

Parents / Carers

Work Experience

Some students are finding it difficult to get work experience so if you work in a company where you may be able to offer a work placement, please do contact us at curriculum@qehs.net.

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Work Experience

Students who are finding it difficult to find work experience can contact Sarah Sunderland on SSunderland@qehs.net to arrange an appointment.

Year 13

Completing Your UCAS Form

The ['Next Steps' section of our website](#) has lots of information you need about progression, including instructions on how to complete your UCAS form (direct link [here](#)).

University: Widening Participation (some of the criteria universities use to assess eligibility are: household income, receipt of free-school meals/sixth form bursary, first generation in a family to attend university and living in an area with low progression rates to university). Schemes often result in students receiving a slightly lower offer from the university.

Year 12

Northumbria University 'NU Entry'

Northumbria University are pleased to announce **applications are now open for NU Entry, a supported entry scheme for students in year 12**. NU Entry is a two-year scheme designed to support students on their journey to university. The first year of the programme focusses on supporting exploration of university choices, development of key skills for undergraduate study and application preparation. The second year of the programme continues the application support and is designed to support the transition to university. Students who complete the first year of NU Entry will **earn 16 NU Entry points, which are equivalent to UCAS tariff points when applying to Northumbria University**.

What does NU Entry involve? In the first year, you will need to complete any combination of 2 online webinars/activities or faculty events from our programme, attend the NU Entry conference on campus in July and complete a research essay on your chosen subject area of interest, to earn NU Entry points. In the second year you are then able to benefit from an optional programme of support throughout the year.

How to apply? Applications are now open! First visit the website for further information and to check eligibility: <https://www.northumbria.ac.uk/study-at-northumbria/information-for-schools-and-colleges/supported-entry-schemes/northumbria-university-supported-entry-scheme>

Interested students should then complete the online application form: <https://data.heat.ac.uk/event/apply/northumbria/nu-entry-2021-22>. Applications close **Friday 21st January 2022 at 17:00**.

How to find out more? To find out more about the programme, [please visit our website](#) or get in touch on bc.numentry@northumbria.ac.uk.

Access to Leeds Programme

Year 12

The Access to Leeds programme is the Leeds University undergraduate widening access programme. It could offer you the chance to study an undergraduate degree with lower entry requirements. The application process opens in September 2022, to tie in with when you are completing your UCAS application. Deadlines for entry are November-February, depending on courses. All information and key dates are on the website at: <https://www.leeds.ac.uk/access-to-leeds>

Check the eligibility criteria here: <https://www.leeds.ac.uk/access-to-leeds/doc/am-i-eligible>

University: Super-curricular You may be interested in these upcoming events.

Medicine and Dentistry

Year 12 & 13

This is just a reminder that in our 16th September bulletin ([here](#), on page 4), we advertised various sessions that Newcastle University are running – refer back if you missed it then but think these would help:

- MaD Days (Medicine and Dentistry Days)
- Medicine and Dentistry Interview Workshops – These run November-January. Sign up [here](#).
- Pathways to Medicine – Full details are [here](#) and the application deadline is the **30th November**.
- Mini Medical School – This is now underway and there are four sessions left. Book [here](#).

Kings' College London Medicine and Dentistry Lecture Series

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Applications are open for the **online** King's College London [Medicine and Dentistry Lecture Series 2022](#). This programme is for students across the UK in **Year 11, 12, and 13** who are currently studying biology or chemistry.

Over the course of the 13-lecture programme you will hear from speakers working in varied specialities and at different career stages in healthcare. Last year's lectures included topics such as cardiology, prosthodontics, renal transplant, as well as the medical student experience. The lecture series is designed to give you an understanding of the range of opportunities in medicine and dentistry and the realities of being a healthcare professional.

You will also learn about the different elements of the application process, such as the UCAT, personal statements, and interviews.

Lectures will be held on **Tuesday evenings at 6-7.15pm** and will run in blocks of three throughout 2022. The first three lectures will take place on the **1st February, 8th February, and 15th February**. The remaining three blocks of lectures will take place in Spring and Summer.

For more information and to apply, [follow this link](#). The deadline to apply is **Friday 10th December 2021**.

Year 12**Filling the Gap: A Dentistry Mentoring Scheme at Newcastle University**

Filling the Gap is a fantastic opportunity for Y12 students who are interested in studying [Dentistry](#) to learn more about the studying the course, the application process and the profession.

This is a virtual mentoring scheme offering tailored support through the application process and beyond. The scheme will consist of the following:

- Access to a student mentor, who is a current Newcastle University Dentistry student, whom they can message any time securely.
- A bespoke programme of sessions offering support with personal statements, UCAT and interviews.
- Q&A sessions with a number of different dental practitioners and professionals.
- An introduction to studying Dentistry and Oral and Dental Health Sciences
- And much, much more!

All sessions will take place on an evening virtually via Zoom. The scheme will take place in **February 2022**.

For more details and to book, click [here](#).

Year 12**Movement as Medicine: A Sport and Exercise Science Taster Event at Newcastle University**

[Movement as Medicine](#) is the perfect opportunity for Y12 students who are interested in Sport and Exercise Science to learn more about the course and the profession.

This is a fast-paced practical and interactive event. Students will take part in the following activities:

- An exciting practical session with world-leading Sport and Exercise teaching staff
 - A strength and conditioning session with our Newcastle University performance coaches
 - A Q&A session with [Newcastle United Foundation](#) staff, current Sport and Exercise students and staff
 - An introduction to studying Sport and Exercise Science and careers
- And much, much more!

The event will take place on **January 26th 2022**.

Book [here](#).

Year 12 & 13**NHS Career Information**

In the Medical Mavericks Academy (<https://www.medicalmavericks.co.uk/academy-examples>) there is a mini course called NHS Basics and in there are videos that go through the basics of careers in the NHS. This covers everything from apprenticeships to entry routes to courses and more.

One of the most popular videos is on NHS Pay Scales. This video is on the Academy Taster page and you can watch them all by clicking the link below.

Look for video 5 in the list.

[Click here to watch the videos on NHS Pay and Sectors.](#)

Year 12**King's College, Cambridge, Y12 Access and Application Support Programme**

Applications are now open for the Y12 Access and Application Support Programme, which is designed to support students in Year 12 who may be considering applying to Cambridge, Oxford, or another competitive university.

This will be delivered through a series of online sessions running from January to March, with an opportunity to visit King's in person in July ahead of the Open Days and receive additional application support. Further information about how to register and a preliminary programme of events can be found in **Appendix 1**, and on the website: <https://www.kings.cam.ac.uk/study/year-12-access-and-application-support-programme>

Applications for this programme close on **3rd December 2021**.

Year 11**King's College, Cambridge, KS4 Aspiration Programme**

This is a new programme this year, running alongside the Y12 programme, to support Year 10 and 11 students as they begin to think about university.

This programme will run online as a series of webinars designed to introduce life at university, give a taste of some of the subjects you can study, and provide an opportunity to get advice from current students at King's. A preliminary timetable of sessions can be found in **Appendix 2**, and further information can also be found on the website: <https://www.kings.cam.ac.uk/about/ks4-aspiration-programme>

Applications for this programme are now open, and will close on **3rd December 2021**.

Year 12 & 13**Sheffield University Taster Sessions**

At the University of Sheffield, throughout November and December there are a number of (completely free) online subject specific **Taster sessions** for primarily Y13 but some Y12s. There is a full list in **Appendix 3** or on their [website](#), with links to book.

Year 12**Teesside University Events**

Teesside University have Y13 Career Taster Workshop sessions taking place before the Christmas break.

You can book onto the workshops below by emailing Carl.Williams@tees.ac.uk. The events will be held on Wednesday afternoons and will include a subject talk and taster session. Timings are **12.30pm-3pm** and bookings are first come first served. There may be an option to claim a contribution to your travel to our campus – please contact them to discuss.

You can also access a full list of Teesside University events [here](#).

Subject and date list

Wed 3 rd Nov	Electrical/Electronics Instrumentation & Control Automation and Digital Engineering Games (Art, Design, Development, Programming) Concept Art
Wed 10 th Nov	Chemical Engineering Civil Engineering & Construction Management Cybersecurity and Digital Forensics
Wed 17 th Nov	Mechanical and Aerospace Computer Science & IT Mathematics Animation & Visual Effects

Wed 1 st Dec	Electrical/Electronics Instrumentation & Control Automation and Digital Engineering Games (Art, Design, Development, Programming) Concept Art
Wed 8 th Dec	Civil Engineering & Construction Management Cybersecurity and Digital Forensics

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Dundee University

Online Events

Dundee University are hosting a series of online Q&A/Panel sessions for a variety of subjects in the coming weeks. These online sessions are a fantastic chance to engage with the world leading, academic staff, friendly students and recent graduates!

They are running sessions on studying STEM subjects at Dundee, Careers in Healthcare and a number of sessions on studying and pursuing a career in Business.

Sign up by clicking on the link: [Online Sessions](#)

University of Dundee Facebook Videos

The University of Dundee Facebook page is now host to a wealth of videos where you can hear directly from their academics about their research, courses and what it's really like to study at Dundee! In particular they recommend the fun and informative Q&A series of videos, available on the Facebook page using the link: [Facebook Videos](#)

Art & Design Explore Days

There is a virtual Explore Day at the Duncan of Jordanstone College of Art & Design on the 18th of November. Join online for live talks and find out why they're number one in Scotland for Art & Design (Complete University Guide 2021). Register using this link: [Explore Days](#) and see flyer in **Appendix 4**.

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You may be interested in these **online talks** in the coming weeks:

- **November 8 @ 16:45 - 17:30** Film: Exploring Editing Techniques - Tutorial - UEA (KS5). Patrick McGrady, film maker and lecturer in Film and Television in the School of Art, Media & American Studies at UEA, has provided a fabulous scene setting recording in advance of our tutorial with him on 8 November. The tutorial explores Documentary Editing Techniques, providing insights into the editor's role as storyteller and discussing method, style, intention and impact with respect to the choices the editor makes. [Find out more »](#)
- **November 10 @ 16:00 - 17:00** Art/Art History: What is Creativity & How Do I Get It? Workshop - Reading (KS5). Dr Annabel Frearson, University of Reading, will lead a Creativity workshop exploring concepts of originality, skill, freedom, and imagination through exercises and examples from Art history. It should be a lot of fun and extremely useful for all students interested in generating and developing ideas with confidence. [Find out more »](#)
- **November 10 @ 13:00 - 13:45** COP26 Languages/Linguistics: Learning a Language For A More Sustainable Climate - UEA (KS4 & KS5). On 10th November, in a new addition to UEA's [COP26 series](#), Marian Arribas-Tome will explore the role of Language learning and teaching in promoting social justice and positively countering the climate crisis. [Find out more »](#)
- **November 22 @ 16:45 - 17:30** Linguistics: Linking Language & Power - The Power of Word Choice - Tutorial - UEA (KS5). Dr Kim Ridealgh explores the link between Language and Power in a very interactive tutorial discussing **Divide or Unite? The Power of Word Choice**. The event page has now been updated with Kim's scene setting Headliner video which students can watch in advance of the tutorial. [Find out more »](#)
- **November 23 @ 15:35 - 16:20** MFL: Immigration & Integration in France - Film & Song - Aberystwyth (KS4 & KS5). Aberystwyth University exams Immigration and Integration in France, investigating its

changing nature through film and song. Dr Gabor Gelleri will also produce a scene setting Headliner video in preparation for this university style tutorial. [Find out more »](#)

Note: You may not miss lessons to attend these talks but if you are interested and unable to attend owing to lessons, please contact Channel Talent to see if you can obtain a recording of the talks. The contact form is on their website: <https://www.channeltalent.co.uk/>

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Art and Film Online Talks

Throughout November 2021, The Northern Festival of Illustration is hosting a series of online events. They will be joined by friends from the world of illustration including [Aardman Animation](#) and [The Association of Illustrators](#).

Links to the live events below. The book here links click through to Eventbrite. Please complete the booking process for each talk you would like to attend to reserve your virtual space.

Sam Horton - Storyboarding Masterclass (60 min Talk followed by Q&A)

[Sam Horton](#) works for [Aardman Academy](#) and many other international names and has worked on boards for features, CGI, games and much more. he will share his tips and tell us how he got where he is today! Plus he will explore the difference between 'boarding for animation and film.

16th November 2021 at 2pm. [BOOK HERE](#)

Mark Hewis - Diversity & Inclusivity in Animation (60 min Talk followed by Q&A)

Mark is the Head of the [Aardman Academy](#) and has experience across the industry. Mark is a filmmaker whose work includes international award-winning films for the Arts Council, Channel 4 and BBC. His first feature film, *8 Minutes Idle* was released in 2014 for BFI, BBC Films, Matador and Arthur Cox. The film gained a theatrical release and was shown on streaming services around the world. Mark is passionate about inclusion and he will make the case for inclusion in the animation and film industry.

23rd November 2021 at 2pm. [BOOK HERE](#)

Niel Bushnell - From Blake's 7 to Dr Who - a life in British Sci-Fi.

[Niel Bushnell](#) (who is a Senior Lecturer in [Illustration](#) and [Animation](#) at The Northern School of Art, you may have heard of him!) is a writer, illustrator and animator who has worked on some of the classics of British Sci-fi.

24th November 2021 at 2pm. [BOOK HERE](#)

Gaining Work after the Pandemic – Panel Discussion

Ren Renwick, Chief Executive of the [AOI](#) chairs a panel discussion with views from practising illustrators and the world of publishing

25th November 2021 at 2pm. [BOOK HERE](#)

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Newcastle University's Public Lecture Series continues this month:

- **Tuesday 9 November, 5.30pm**
[How to make the world add up](#)
Tim Harford, economist, broadcaster and journalist
- **Tuesday 16 November, 5.30pm**
Jacobson Lecture
[Leading the fight against virus spread: the Integrated Covid Hub North East](#)
Dr Akhtar Husain, Clinical Director, Integrated Laboratory Medicine, Newcastle Hospitals
- **Tuesday 23 November, 5.30pm**
[Climate change and global corporations: Five sources of responsibility failure](#)
Dr Cristina Neesham, Newcastle University

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Online Talks, Gresham College

Gresham College are hosting a range of online talks, on a variety of subjects.

- On the **24 November at 6pm, Professor Chris Whitty** will deliver a talk on **‘Food and Drink Borne Diseases’**.

Other talks coming up are:

- **Einstein’s Blunder**, Professor Roberto Trotta, Monday 15 November, 1pm (recording available afterwards in case this is when you have a lesson)
- **Nature’s Numbers: Natural Capital Accounting**, Professor Jacqueline McGlade, Tuesday 16 November, 6pm
- **Holocaust History Under Siege**, Professor Jan Grabowski, Wednesday 17 November, 6pm
- **How can music be ‘Socialist Realist’?**, Professor Marine Frolova-Walker, Thursday 18 November, 6pm
- **The Maths of Beauty and Symmetry**, Professor Sarah Hart, Monday 22 November, 1pm

You can filter online for subject areas on their [website](#) or see a full list of talks for 2021-22 [here](#).

Talks are grouped by subject areas:

- Art and Literature
- Business
- History
- Law
- Mathematics
- Medical Science
- Music
- Politics
- Religion
- Science

Work Experience

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Aerospace Work Experience, Airbus (Online)

Airbus are hosting free online work experience for students aged 14-19. This takes place between the 15th and 29th November, during which time you need to complete 10 hours of work experience. (You may not miss lessons to undertake work experience). There are live workshops but if you have a lesson at that time, recordings will be provided so you can fit it around your lessons.

Airbus is an international reference in the aerospace sector. They design, manufacture and deliver industry-leading commercial aircraft, helicopters, military transports, satellites and launch vehicles, as well as providing data services, navigation, secure communications, urban mobility and other solutions for customers on a global scale.

During this free 2-week virtual work experience programme students will meet (virtually) members from some of the key teams within Airbus from space to civil aviation. They'll learn about key elements of Airbus' business including sustainability and manufacturing. Finally, they'll complete work and assignments to get an understanding of what life at Airbus is like.

These are the topic areas that will be covered during the programme:

- Space: Meet a member of Airbus' space team
- Wing Manufacturing: Take a look at manufacturing at the Airbus Broughton base
- Sustainability: Explore the work of Airbus' sustainability team

- Apprenticeships at Airbus: Learn about entry routes into Airbus
- Getting hired at Airbus: Everything you need to know from interviews to applications.

For more information and to apply, go to: <https://neonfutures.org.uk/experiences/aerospace-work-experience-with-airbus/>

Online Work Experience

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There are a range of online work experience options available on this [website](#). These include opportunities in engineering, construction and project management with [Colas](#) or [Atkins](#) / [engineering and technology \(Siemens\)](#) / [technology](#) / [cybersecurity, computing and automation \(Fujitsu\)](#), plus many more.

Not Going to Uni?

Northumberland College – Courses at Kirkley Hall

Year 11

Year 12

This weekend there is an event at Kirkley Hall for those students currently in Sixth Form that have decided that A Levels might not have been the right choice for them and are looking for alternative options, or for those in Year 11 who don't think A Levels are the right choice. This is a great chance to see the campus, meet the staff and discuss the courses. Please book through this link: [Kirkley Hall New Direction - 6th November 10:00 - 12:00noon](#)

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RAF 'Learn Live Event', Wednesday 10th November, 6-9pm

The RAF are hosting a free online event next week, where you can speak to serving RAF personnel and ask any questions you may have about roles and careers in the RAF.

The RAF works at the cutting edge of technology every single day, some of which is the most advanced in the world. The work demands the highest standards and brings the greatest rewards. The RAF is currently engaged in 15 missions on 4 continents, in 22 countries!

Interested in a role in the RAF but unsure of what to go for? There are 55+ different roles to choose from within 8 specialisations! Tune into the Learn Live event to find out more. There will be videos detailing the different roles and also generic information videos on life within the RAF. It also features a Q&A session with RAF careers personnel and different trade ambassadors.

The link to register for this event is <https://learnliveuk.com/partner/raf-careers/>

You can use the LIVE CHAT facility next to the video player to ask any questions you have about the RAF. See the Student Tutorial Video: <https://vimeo.com/426183878> For general information about RAF careers visit [RAF Recruitment](#), scan the QR code or alternatively download the RAF Recruitment App on your smartphone or tablet.

See **Appendix 5** for the flyer and more info!

Apprenticeships (remember to check <https://www.findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk/> regularly and any employers, such as the NHS, who you are particularly interested in working for).

Year 13

Careers with PwC – Degree Apprenticeships

On the PwC Flying Start degree programmes, you'll have the opportunity to go to university and start your career at the same time. You'll get to work with world-class clients and be part of highly skilled teams. Studying at university you'll get to experience the full-time student lifestyle, but with integrated paid placements at PwC, you'll have some money to enjoy it too. You'll gain a degree, and hopefully impress enough to secure a graduate job after you graduate.

There is an Accounting degree apprenticeship available through Newcastle University but there are many more: a full list of all degree apprenticeships and locations is at:

<https://www.careersschools.pwc.co.uk/ListJobs/All/Search/jobtitle/flying-start/>

There are three new Flying Start programmes this year...

Flying Start Business Management Degree Apprenticeship - a programme in partnership with Ulster University - is open for applications: <https://www.pwc.co.uk/flying-start/business-management>

There are also two new programmes with Queen Mary University of London (QMUL); one for Accounting and one for Tech: <https://www.pwc.co.uk/careers/student-careers/school-careers/our-programmes/flying-start-degrees.html>

The deadline for these is generally during January 2022.

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MI5 Cyber Apprenticeship

Salary: £24,385, Location: London

Join us, and you'll work alongside some of the UK's best minds on projects that help protect UK communities. As a Cyber Apprentice, you'll bring your background and unique insights to our work. You'll share your ideas and apply your strengths to deliver innovative solutions. We'll provide all the training and support you need, so you'll have the freedom to show us what you can do.

Who do we look for?

- We're looking for adaptive, creative and dynamic individuals who want to make a genuine contribution.
- You don't need to have STEM experience, or come from a tech background, but you'll have an aptitude for problem solving and basic computer knowledge.
- You'll enjoy working collaboratively, but, most important, you'll need the drive to learn and aptitude to protect our digital world.

For more information and a list of all MI5 apprenticeships, click [here](#).

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UCAS/Discovery Apprenticeships Fair

Tuesday 30 November, 10:00 – 18:00

Book your place for a day of inspiration, information, and live employers. Featuring everything you need to discover if an apprenticeship might be right for you – all packed into one day, and online. Plus, your chance to explore what apprenticeship opportunities are out there right now.

[Save my virtual seat](#)

- Meet and chat with big name employers including the NHS, PwC, and Rolls-Royce
- Discover popular apprenticeships and where they can take you
- Join live interview clinics and CV workshops
- Take part in Q&As with employers
- Get tips on how to ace your apprenticeship application
- Hear what it's really like from current apprentices
- Find out how to land your dream apprenticeship

... And lots more!

For more information, visit their website: <https://www.ucas.com/events/ucasdiscovery-apprenticeships-fair-404796>

Note: You may not miss lessons to attend this event but you can attend in your non-contact time, or contact them to see if there will be recordings of sessions that you can access afterwards.



Y12 Access and Application Support Programme – King's College Link Areas

Are you in Year 12 and considering making an application to a competitive university? If so, we want to help support you. We therefore invite you to participate in our Y12 Access and Application Support - King's College Link Area programme.

Through a series of online sessions, this programme will enable you to get your questions answered, clarify a few myths, and make an informed decision about the university to which you might like to apply. Overall, the programme should build your confidence to help you make a competitive application to a University of your choice. This programme will include some specific details about the Cambridge application process, but if, after this programme you decide that Cambridge University isn't for you, the programme will still help provide you with the confidence you need to make a competitive application to another University.

The number of places we can offer on the residential are limited by the amount of accommodation we have available – in the case of oversubscription priority will be given to those who have attended all previous sessions, and according to King's College Widening Participation strategy (see below). Those who are not able to attend the residential are of course still welcome to attend the Open Days, and will be invited to online versions of the Personal Statement and Study Skills Workshops.

How you can get involved

If you are interested in participating in this programme, please register your interest by completing the form at the following website:

https://cambridge.eu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_elgXZyLG7s95Vr0

This programme is available to students at select state schools within the North East, including schools in the following areas: Darlington, Durham, Hartlepool, Middlesbrough, Northumberland, Redcar and Cleveland, Stockton-on-Tees, East Yorkshire, Kingston-upon-Hull and York (this is King's College's link area). If you are unsure if your school is included, please do get in touch with us at SLO@kings.cam.ac.uk.

We hope to offer this programme to as many people as possible however if there is oversubscription, we will prioritise students in the following areas in accordance to the King's College Widening Participation Strategy:

- Living in care or care leavers
- Eligibility for Free School Meals
- BAME background
- Living in Polar4 quintile 1 and 2
- Living in IMD quintile 1 and 2
- No parents with background in HE
- Attending a state school

Please register your interest at https://cambridge.eu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_elgXZyLG7s95Vr0.

The deadline for registrations is the 3rd December 2021.

The programme of events will be as follows:

Please note that sessions will typically be run on a weekday at a time outside of normal school hours (after 4pm).

Date	Title	Description	Length of session
18 th January (Arts/Humanities) 20 th January (Sciences)	Why Cambridge – an introduction (online)	A session to welcome you to the programme, and introduce Cambridge University and the collegiate system	1 hour
25 th January (Arts/Humanities) 27 th January (Sciences)	Cambridge Myth Busting	A session to dispel some of the common myths associated with Cambridge, using real life experiences from our students.	1 hour
1 st February (Arts/Humanities) 3 rd February (Sciences)	Applying to Cambridge (online)	Details about the application process for Cambridge, as well as what you might like to bear in mind before the process begins.	1 hour
8 th February (Arts/Humanities) 10 th February (Sciences)	Student Life at Cambridge (online)	Current students discuss their day to day life – an opportunity to ask questions.	1 hour
28 th Feb – 11 th March	Subject masterclasses (online)	A variety of different subject sessions to give a flavour of the type of teaching offered at Cambridge.	1 hour
6 th July	Visit to Cambridge	An opportunity to visit King's college and experience college life on the Wednesday afternoon prior to the July open days, as well as Personal Statement and Study Skills Workshops. Current students will be on hand to answer any questions and participants will also experience a night in College accommodation.	An afternoon /evening
12 th July	Personal Statement Workshop (online)	For those unable to attend the residential on 6th July - An in-depth look into how to begin drafting your personal statement	1 hour
14 th July	Study Skills workshop (online)	For those unable to attend the residential on 6th July - A general study skills workshop to help with super-curricular engagement	1 hour

Appendix 2



KS4 Aspiration Programme – King's College Link Areas

Are you in Year 10 or 11 and considering applying to a competitive university? We would like to invite you to take part on our KS4 Aspiration Programme!

We will be hosting a series of online webinars designed to introduce you to what life at university is all about, give you a taste of some of the subjects you could study, and give you an opportunity get advice from current students at King's.

The programme of events will be as follows:

Please note that sessions will typically be run on a weekday at a time outside of normal school hours (after 4pm).

Date	Title	Description	Length of session
19 th January	An Introduction to Life at University	A session to give you an idea of what life at university is like. We will cover some of the types of universities, some aspects of student life, and an introduction to how Student Finance works.	1 hour
26 th January	The Subject Matters	Thinking about what subjects you might want to take at A Level (or equivalent)? This session looks at how best to prepare for university courses, as many have required or preferred A Level subjects	1 hour
31 st January – 11 th February (Exact day and subjects TBC)	Subject Introductions	A series of sessions, each giving a short introduction to 3 or 4 different subjects that you could study at University, many that you may not have been able to study before at school. These will be given by Cambridge academics who will be able to answer any questions.	1 hour
2 nd March	Q&A with Current King's Students	In this session you will meet some current students at King's, and ask them any questions you may have about anything covered in the programme, or about university more widely.	1 hour

How you can get involved

If you are interested in participating in this programme, please register your interest please complete the form at the following website:

https://cambridge.eu.qualtrics.com/jfe/form/SV_7PRUIRDVr1eVIOi

To be eligible to sign up for these session, you must be attending a UK state school within our link area, the North East of England. This includes schools in Darlington, Durham, Hartlepool, Middlesbrough, Northumberland, Redcar and Cleveland, Stockton-on-Tees, East Yorkshire, Kingston-upon-Hull and York. If you are unsure if your school is part of our link area, please do not hesitate to get in touch with us at SLO@kings.cam.ac.uk.

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The deadline for registrations is the 3rd December 2021.

Taster Sessions - Science

Date	Time	Subject
Tuesday 16 November	4pm - 5:15pm	Biosciences
Wednesday 17 November	4pm - 5:45pm	Chemistry
Tuesday 23 November	4:15pm - 5:40pm	Psychology

Taster Sessions - Engineering

Date	Time	Subject
Wednesday 10 November	4:30pm - 6pm	Electronic and Electrical Engineering
Thursday 11 November	4pm - 5pm	Mechanical Engineering
Tuesday 16 November	4:30pm - 6pm	Aerospace Engineering
Wednesday 17 November	4pm - 5:30pm	Materials Science and Engineering
Thursday 18 November	4pm - 5:30pm	Computer Science
Monday 22 November	5pm - 6pm	Bioengineering
Wednesday 24 November	3:30pm - 4:30pm	Automatic Control and Systems Engineering
Thursday 25 November	4pm - 5:30pm	Civil & Structural Engineering
Tuesday 23 November	4pm - 5:30pm	Chemical & Biological Engineering
Tuesday 30 November	4pm - 5:30pm	General Engineering

Taster Sessions - Medicine, Dentistry and Health

Date	Time	Subject
Wednesday 24 November	4:15pm - 5:30pm	Nursing

Wednesday 17 November

3:45pm - 5pm

[Health and Human Sciences](#)

Taster Sessions - Arts and Humanities

Date	Time	Subject
Thursday 4 November	3:45pm - 5:15pm	Russian
Monday 8 November	3:45pm - 5:15pm	English Literature
Tuesday 9 November	3:45pm - 5:30pm	East Asian Studies
Wednesday 10 November	3:45pm - 5:15pm	Music
Monday 15 November	3:45pm - 5:15pm	History
Monday, 22 November	3:30pm - 5pm	History
Tuesday 16 November	3:45pm - 5:15pm	German
Wednesday 17 November	3:45pm - 5:15pm	Philosophy
Thursday 18 November	3:45pm - 5:15pm	French

Taster Sessions - Social Sciences

Date	Time	Subject
Monday 15 November	4pm - 5pm	Geography (Physical / Environmental Science)
Tuesday 23 November	4pm - 5:30pm	Economics
Thursday 25 November	4:30pm - 6pm	Sociology
Thursday 25 November	3:30pm - 5pm	Journalism
Tuesday, 30 November	3pm - 5pm	Politics and International Relations
Wednesday 1 December	4pm - 5:15pm	School of Education



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Online Art, Design & Architecture Explore Day

Saturday 30 October
Thursday 18 November





Join the **Learn Live Channel**
for an **RAF Live** broadcast

Wednesday 10 November
@18:00 - 21:00

The RAF works at the cutting edge of technology every single day, some of which is the most advanced in the World. The work we do is vital, it demands the highest standards and brings the greatest rewards. The RAF is currently engaged in 15 missions on 4 continents, in 22 countries! We are a force for good around the World.

Interested in a role in the RAF but unsure of what to go for?? Did you know that we have 55+ different roles to choose from within 8 specialisations? Why not tune into the learnlive channel to find out more?

This live streamed event will broadcast to thousands of people across the UK. There will be videos detailing the different roles and also generic information videos on life within the RAF.

Our interactive event features a Q&A session with RAF careers personnel and different trade ambassadors. Questions on key topics submitted from the studio and virtual audience were addressed by our panel and broadcast in real-time.

The broadcast is free for all schools and colleges to watch.

The link to register for this event is
<https://learnliveuk.com/partner/raf-careers/>

Don't forget to use the **LIVE CHAT** facility next to the video player to ask any questions you have about the RAF. The chat facility is safe, moderated, accessible and available 24/7.

See the Student Tutorial Video:
<https://vimeo.com/426183878>

For general information about RAF careers visit **RAF Recruitment** scan our QR code or alternatively download the RAF Recruitment App on your smartphone or tablet.



RAF LIVE

TOPICS TO BE COVERED ARE;

General - What does the RAF do

- Challenges
- Benefits
- Fitness
- Apprenticeships
- Sponsorship
- How to join.
- Engineering & Technical
- Air Operations
- Logistics
- Personnel
- Force Protection
- Intelligence
- Medical & Medical Support
- Aircrew

THE REWARDS OF LIFE IN THE RAF

- Competitive pay and pension
- Training and lifelong learning
- Six weeks' paid leave and public holidays
- Free medical and dental care
- Gain civilian recognised qualifications
- Guaranteed job after training
- Subsidised food and accommodation
- Free gym and sports facilities
- Adventurous training opportunities
- Excellent starting salary and career progression