

# Windsor Sixth Form Bulletin

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Dear Parent/Carer

Thank you to those parents who attended the Post-18 Parents Information Evening last night. We hope you found the evening informative and useful. Over the next few weeks we will be continuing a range of activities, giving students opportunities to ensure that they can make informed decisions about their options after Sixth Form. These include a visit to the UCAS Convention on 21<sup>st</sup> June at the NEC, UCAS/ Apprenticeship launch on 24<sup>th</sup> June and a "Futures Day" on the 4<sup>th</sup> July, where students will be able to research and plan their options Post-18.

This can be an exciting time as students explore the wealth of opportunities that are available for them Post-18. However, making applications to universities and apprenticeships can also be a daunting process for both students and parents. If you have any questions with regards to making Post-18 applications, please do not hesitate to contact Mrs Pedley, Head of Year 13 in the first instance:  
[spedley@windsor.windsoracademytrust.org.uk](mailto:spedley@windsor.windsoracademytrust.org.uk).

Our Football team played Aspire Sixth Form earlier this week. The boys were a credit to the Sixth Form. Windsor won 3-1. The boys were also treated to a well-earned breakfast for winning the league.

We continue to wish our Year 13 student's good luck with their final examinations and good luck to Year 12 students who begin their internal summer examinations next week.

Please do not hesitate to contact me if you have any further questions.

Kind regards

Mrs J Dhanoya  
Assistant Headteacher

## Year 13 Leavers Celebration

On Friday 27<sup>th</sup> May Year 13 students gathered together to reflect on their time at Windsor Sixth Form. They submitted photographs showcasing experiences and memories that were shared during a celebration assembly.

We wish all Year students good luck in their exams and all the best for the future.



## Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July - Year 12 Future's Day

You will already be aware that during this final half term of Year 12, we will be focusing on preparing students for their next steps at the end of Year 13. On the 4<sup>th</sup> July 2022 students will all have a 'Futures Day'. This is a day when students work from home to further their planning and preparation for their next steps. Therefore, they are not expected to attend Sixth Form on this day. The work students do may include further preparation of personal statements, course or apprenticeship searches or researching other possible career pathways.



Students may also take this opportunity to organise and visit any universities or apprenticeship providers to see what they have to offer to fully support making an informed decision in this next stage of their life. If you have any questions about Post-18 opportunities or anything commented above, please do not hesitate to contact us.

## Year 12 Summer Examinations

Year 12 summer examinations start on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> June and will be running for two weeks. Graphics and Art have already taken place this week. These are a great opportunity for staff and students alike to get a clear idea of their understanding of the subjects and any areas they may need to focus on as we head into Year 13. Students are expected to attend all timetabled lessons when they are not in an exam. I have attached a copy of the timetable for your information to the bulletin.

We wish all of Year 12 good luck with their exams.

**GOOD LUCK WITH YOUR EXAMS!**

## University of Lincoln Open Days

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> July, Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> July, Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> September, Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> October, Saturday 22<sup>nd</sup> October, Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> November (Virtual Open Evening), Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> November, Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> December**

Join us at an Open Day will help you gather all the information you need to help you decide what and where you would like to study. You will have the opportunity to explore our range of undergraduate programmes by chatting with our passionate course tutors and current students, tour our range of facilities and learning spaces, and view our modern, purpose-built accommodation to help you find your new home from home.

[Book your place](#)



### Travelling to Lincoln

Our Brayford Pool Campus is conveniently located just a few minutes' walk from Lincoln Central Railway Station and Transport Hub, and there are a number of public car parks within easy reach.

The University of Lincoln has partnered with LNER to offer discounted train tickets to students and their families travelling to attend a University of Lincoln Open Day. We also offer a parking discount if you are travelling by car. For full details of the discounts available, please [visit our website](#).

If you're planning to stay overnight in Lincoln, you can find hotels, restaurants, and other useful information on the [Visit Lincoln](#) website.

## Aspire by upReach

### Which path will you take after sixth form?

Join our free careers and further education webinars to explore your options:

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| 21 <sup>st</sup> June | Alternatives to University         |
| 28 <sup>th</sup> June | Applying to University             |
| 5 <sup>th</sup> July  | Writing a Great Personal Statement |
| 12 <sup>th</sup> July | Writing a Great CV                 |

[Register now:](#)

### Explore Your Next Steps After Sixth Form

- Apprenticeships
- Degree Apprenticeships
- School Leaver Programmes
- University
- Student finance and budgeting
- Writing a CV and cover letter
- Acing a job interview
- Gap years
- Career pathways

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## Aberystwyth University - Upcoming Criminology Virtual Tutorials

### Criminology/ Law: The Forgotten Victims of Crime, Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> June

In this live interactive Criminology/Psychology tutorial, we will be joined by Dr Bethan Poyser, a leading academic from the Department of Law and Criminology at Aberystwyth University, who will explore The Forgotten Victims of Crime.



Booking and further information on session content and pre-reading can be found [here](#)

### Criminology/ Psychology: Psychology of Terrorism, Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> July

In this live interactive Criminology/Psychology tutorial, we will be joined by Jen Phipps, a leading academic from the Department of Law & Criminology at Aberystwyth University, who will explore Psychology of Terrorism.



Booking and further information on session content and pre-reading can be found [here](#)

## What's coming up this half term!

### 'Day in the life' webinars, 20<sup>th</sup>-23<sup>rd</sup> June

These sessions will give students an insight into what it's really like to work in different industries.

The live and interactive webinars will feature apprentices and future talent specialists from some of the biggest employers in the world, including:

- The British Army and Navy
- The NHS
- HSBC, PwC, KPMG, and Accenture
- British Airways and Jet2
- The BBC



> [Find out more](#)

### Applications masterclasses, 13<sup>th</sup>-29<sup>th</sup> June

We are running a series of webinars to support students to create outstanding university applications.

- How to ace your Personal Statement
- Meet the Russell Group
- Applying to Oxbridge



> [Find out more](#)

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## The Sutton Trust - Upcoming Event/Resources for Students

### Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> July - Useful Support for Admissions Tests - What and When?

[4pm](#) and [6pm](#)

You can sign up for this webinar using the links above and can find out more on our [website](#).



With exams already in full swing and results day not far behind, we know this is a busy and stressful time for students. To help Year 13 students prepare for results day we have made the below resources available:

[Results day advice student booklet](#)

## Extra-curricular Activities and Clubs

We provide an extensive range of extra-curricular and enrichment activities for students. These activities enable students to follow their interests, develop their personal skills, contribute to school life and prepare them for their next step.

[View calendar](#)



## Get into Medicine Conference Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> June

The end of the academic year is fast approaching and students are running out of time to apply for Medicine.

The conference covers everything students need to know about the UCAS application and give students a chance to speak to Doctors and Medical School Students. Students can register here: <https://airtable.com/shr66li3bqG3ZpkPM>



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The conference runs from 9:00 am - 1:30 pm and provides a comprehensive guide to the Medical School application process, including:

- Interview Training
- Personal Statement Advice
- How to Approach the UCAS Application
- Entrance Exams: BMAT and UCAT
- Accessing Medical Leadership Programmes, Award Programmes, and Scholarships to Study Medicine at University
- CV Building



If students need any more information, do feel free to visit our website: <https://medicmentor.co.uk/medicine-national-healthcare-weekend/>

Please note that students must have a parent or guardian with them throughout the conference for safeguarding purposes.

## Bishop Grosseteste University - Masterclasses

Our Undergraduate Masterclass Week starts on **Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June to Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July 2022** and there is still time to book a place on any of the sessions. We are able to support with transport costs and are able to accept group or individual bookings. The masterclasses are 2 hours in length and delivered by our specialist subject academics across the university.

[Click here to book onto our masterclasses](#)

# UNDERGRADUATE MASTERCLASSES



## University of York

Deciding to go to university is one of the most important decisions you'll make about your future. Come to one of our events to get to know us better and explore whether York is for you. Hear from academics, explore our accommodation, chat to Student Ambassadors and much more.

Our 2022 undergraduate Open Day dates are:

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July  
Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> July

[Book your place](#)



There will be further events in September, the dates for these will be announced soon.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 20<sup>th</sup> June - Friday 1<sup>st</sup> July - Year 12 Trial exams  
Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> June - Year 12 UCAS Convention - The NEC Birmingham  
Monday 27<sup>th</sup> June - Inset day: School closed to students  
Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July - Sixth Form Induction Day/Year 12 Future's Day  
Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> July - Year 12 Progress Reports to Parents  
Monday 18<sup>th</sup> July - Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> July - Year 12 Work Experience  
The school Calendar of events for the forthcoming academic year can be found on the Windsor website

<https://www.windsorhighschool.org.uk/school-life/term-dates-and-school-calendar/>

