

Lawnswood School – Sixth Form Bulletin



w.b. Monday 10 May

The 7Cs – 'C' of the Week – Curiosity

Week 1a – 1,3,5

Monday Period 5 – Tutor period for lower school students only.

Normal lessons for year 12 and 13 students, except for Year 13 Psychology, Further Maths and Year 12 Economics. Check with your subject teacher to see what work needs completing independently.

Assembly

Year 12 – 20.5.20

Important General Reminders

- Students are no longer allowed to use the AQUA staircase. This can only be used by staff.
- You must follow the one-way system. The only exception to this is I2DBO and maths students who can turn left from the yellow stairs if the corridor is empty to access their classrooms.
- Entrance - yellow staircase when entering the building in the morning and to access the KS5 area during the day. Exit via student reception.
- Masks are compulsory at all times on the corridor and should be worn in the classrooms and KS5 area.

Study Programme:

- **Progression Module** – Wednesday P5
- **EPQ** – Wednesday P5
- **Law Ambassador Programme** - Insight into Court day – full day – Tuesday 18 May

UCAS responding to offers

Students who missed the session from IntoUni can get advice from the UCAS website or speak to Ms Ullah if you are concerned about the process. The main points to note are:

- It is highly advisable to wait for ALL your offers before taking any action so you can consider your response carefully
- You are required to make one FIRM choice – this will be your most favoured university with achievable entry requirements
- You must then make your INSURANCE choice – be careful to make sure that this has a lower entry requirement to your first choice and that you are prepared to go there. NB On results day, if you don't meet the entry requirements for your first choice, the insurance choice will become your firm offer and you will be expected to take this up.
- Finally, you will need to decline any other offers.

Reply Dates:

- If you receive your last decision on or before **20 May 2021**, your reply date is **10 June 2021** (except if you're using Extra to find a place).
- If you receive your last decision on or before **13 July 2021**, your reply date is **14 July 2021** (including Extra choices)

Check the UCAS website for more details - <https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/after-you-apply/types-offer/replying-your-ucas-undergraduate-offers>

Diner Facilities

Please continue to place your food order by 9:15am using the google form. See links below or your email from Mrs Coop. You must ensure your Parent Pay account is in topped up in advance as the credit doesn't upload straight away. Break

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=YDrB504cvkGNrWtnO_lGh503J99gSVFh1IcxWJbIY5URTZYRDRKOFkxMkZQVkkzN0pVVkNjTVhLOC4u

Lunch

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=YDrB504cvkGNrWtnO_lGh503J99gSVFh1IcxWJbIY5UNTlxWTIYVvc4UUI0M0xSTIOMUU5QTRKNC4u

Oxbridge Talk – Tuesday 25 May at 9:30am

If you are interested in attending a session on applications to Oxbridge and Russell group universities, please inform your form tutor asap. This will take place in school during the tutor session on 25 May and will be a very useful session with lots of advice and useful tips.

University of Leeds Means -Tested Scholarships 2020

Any students applying to the University of Leeds, with a household income level of less than 42,875 GBP, may be **eligible to apply** for a means-tested undergraduate scholarship (worth up to 3,000 GBP a year).

The scholarships are non-repayable and in addition to the financial support they can receive from the [government](#) (ie tuition fee loan or maintenance loan). The scholarships are available thanks to the generous support from alumni and other organisations. To apply students must submit a fully completed [application form](#) by **11:59pm on Friday 14 May 2021**. Applicants can contact the Scholarships Team on the contact details below with any questions about their application.

The UK Undergraduate Scholarships Team

University of Leeds

0113 343 2007 - Mon - Fri, 9am - 5pm

For an application form and further details see -

http://www.leeds.ac.uk/info/130532/scholarships__personal_circumstances/23/scholarships

Opportunities

University in September: it's not too late – Year 12 and 13

Date: **Tuesday 11 May**

Time: **4.30 pm - 5.30 pm**

Have you missed the UCAS January deadline? Still unsure whether university is for you? This session will show you how you can still apply to university after the January deadline, explaining the difference between UCAS Extra and Clearing. It will also help you explore the idea of taking a gap year instead of going to university this year.

<https://survey.clicktools.com/app/survey/response.jsp>

Lloyds Banking Group – Virtual work experience

Date(s): Monday 12 July-Tuesday 13 July, Time: 9.00 am - 4.30 pm each day

Deadline to apply: Monday 7th June

Lloyds Banking Group are offering an exciting opportunity for students to join a 2 day virtual work experience programme via Microsoft teams. The programme will offer:

Insight into various areas of Lloyds Banking Group

Experience of what it is really like to work in a bank and how a bank operates

Career path insights into banking

Practice interviews and guidance of what employers look for in interviews

Discussion with our Emerging Talent team on future entry routes into the Group

Advice and guidance on what employers really look for in your CV

A chance to hear from senior leaders at Lloyds Banking Group

To apply, send a copy of your CV, as well as the below table populated, to victoria.spinks1@lloydsbanking.com and sandeep.ubi@lloydsbanking.com.

Morgan Stanley Step In, Step Up - Insight into Technology: Apply Now

Programme dates: 30th July 2021 (Programme to be hosted virtually)

Deadline for applications: 6 June 2021

Morgan Stanley is made up of many talents and perspectives and our diversity is what makes us unique. What you are interested in and how you approach the world will determine your individual path at Morgan Stanley.

The Step In, Step Up: An Insight to Technology programme is an introductory one-day programme designed for Year 12/13 female students. The day will give an oversight into the different Technology programmes Morgan Stanley offers, as well as giving participants the opportunity to partake in interactive challenges, panel sessions and career workshops. Come and learn more about our Technology opportunities and how you can develop your skills in this area.

<https://morganstanley.tal.net/vx/lang-en-GB/mobile-0/brand-2/candidate/so/pm/1/pl/2/opp/10825-2021-Step-In-Step-Up-An-Insight-Into-Technology-July-London/en-GB>

Legal Work Experience for Year 12

Looking to Excel? Applications are now open for the 2021 Excellerators Programme! This opportunity is designed to offer a unique development opportunity to aspiring young talent across the UK. Excellerators is a one week work experience scheme that offers an insight into a corporate environment. It is designed to help Year 12 students gain essential employability skills through interactive workshops, hands-on tasks and networking with legal sector professionals. The 2021 programme will be virtual so that students across the UK can benefit from unique insight and personal development workshops.

https://content.govdelivery.com/attachments/UKLEEDS/2021/04/30/file_attachments/1794482/Slaughter%20May%20Excellerators%20Work%20Insight%20Scheme.pdf

Assael Architecture Insight Session – Year 12 and 13 – 40 Places available

Date: **Thursday 3 June**

Time: **16:00 pm - 17:30 pm**

Deadline to sign up: **Monday 24th May**

Assael Architecture is an award-winning practice providing a cohesive suite of architecture, interior design and landscape architecture services to a range of developers, investors and local authorities. They are hosting an online insight session with IntoUniversity to give students an idea of what it's like to work for Assael, how to enter their industry and to answer any questions you may have. This is a great opportunity to interact with professionals within the sector and consider different routes into architecture. <https://survey.clicktools.com/app/survey/response.jsp>

IP Group Insight Session - Year 12 & 13 students; 24 places

Date: **Thursday 3rd June**

Time: **10:00 am - 13:00 pm**

Deadline to sign up: **Thursday 27th May**

IP Group works in partnership with students from the universities of Oxford, Cambridge and UCL, evolving great ideas into world changing businesses. They do this by systematically helping to create, build and support outstanding intellectual property-based companies. During this STEM based insight event hear from, and complete activities alongside representatives from this organisation to get first hand experience into their professional practices and learn from their approaches to working. <https://survey.clicktools.com/app/survey/response.jsp>

Mock Assessment Centre - Year 13 students only; 30 places

Date: **Tuesday 1st June**

Time: **10.00 am - 15:30 pm**

Deadline to apply: **Friday 21st May**

IntoUniversity will be running a unique Mock Assessment Day. During this event you will gain an insight into what companies look for at assessment days and top tips on how you can stand out.

You will also have the opportunity to participate in mock panel interviews; group activities; elevator pitches and a CV support session run by [BlackRock](#), [Aon](#), and [Aldrich & Co.](#)

After each activity you will receive live feedback from the participating firms.

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdMQSxjw6XGpe9liivad1iLWqA6QITc8WJsvBIfecsejLcGg/viewform>

Why We Get The Wrong Politicians Webinar - Year 12 & 13 students

Date: **Monday 24th May**

Time: **16.30 pm - 17:30 pm**

Are you interested in learning more about the pathways into Politics? This webinar will explore the strange world of Westminster, leaving us to ask why we so often end up with MPs with whom we are so unhappy?

Chantal Lee (Nottingham East Local Councillor) and Citizens UK will be joining us to talk about their roles and what they believe could be done to make Politics more diverse, more representative and more accessible to everyone.

<https://survey.clicktools.com/app/survey/response.jsp>

University Centre Leeds

UCL have a series of webinars coming up covering various aspects of post 18 study:

Preparing for Degree Study: Access Student Information Session - 19/05/21 - 18:00

Student Finance Masterclass - 02/06/21 - 14:00

Clearing Information Session - 15/06/21 - 16:30

Parent and Carer Clearing Information Session - 15/06/21 - 18:00

Progression and HE for students with English as a second language - 17/06/21 - 13:00

Care Leaver Information Webinar - 17/06/21 - 18:00

University of Sunderland Medicine Summer School – Year 12

We wanted to let you know that this year, our Medicine Summer School will take place online on Tuesday 6th to Friday 9 July 2021. Our Summer School is designed to offer year 12 students the opportunity to experience university life as a medical student and to gain the skills and confidence they need to apply for our [Medicine MBChB \(Hons\)](#) course. To be considered for the Summer School, students must meet our academic requirements and information on our eligibility criteria can be found on our [Medicine Summer School](#) page - <https://www.sunderland.ac.uk/open-days/medicine-summer-school/>

Applications are now open and students can apply here - <https://www.sunderland.ac.uk/open-days/medicine-summer-school/#register>. Our deadline for bookings is **Friday 14 May** and students who have been given a place will be advised on or around 21 May. To find out more, visit us at <https://www.sunderland.ac.uk/open-days/medicine-summer-school/> or watch our Medicine Summer School video [here](#) - [Medicine Summer School - University of Sunderland](#). If you would like more information about our Medicine offer, or information on any other subject areas please contact us at ukwidestudentrecruitment@sunderland.ac.uk

Virtual NHS work experience for allied health careers – 6 June

Nursing, Midwifery, Paramedicine, Physiotherapy, Occupational Therapy, Dietetics, Radiography, Prosthetics and orthotics, Speech and language therapy, Osteopathy, Pharmacy and now includes Podiatry too!

This programme is available to support all of your aspiring healthcare students as an alternative to in-person NHS work experience during the pandemic. During the work experience day, students will follow 2 patients from their initial presentation to recovery. You will observe the healthcare professionals as they interact with the patients and also each other. You will have an opportunity to ask questions and gain knowledge through teaching. This will help students to make an informed career decision as well as learn about how healthcare professionals work together as part of a multidisciplinary team. Each work experience day is completely different and you will be able to build on their knowledge of NHS careers as they see different patient cases and their healthcare professionals work in a variety of settings, such as hospital and community. You can learn more and your students can register for the programme here: <https://alliedhealthmentor.org/nhs-healthcare-careers-virtual-work-experience/> Students will receive certificates as evidence of having participated in the work experience programme. Places are just £10 a day to cover administrative costs and run the tech on the day.

Experience Pathology' Virtual Open Day Programme – Thursday 17 June 2021

We are excited to invite you to our first virtual open day on Thursday 17 June!

Please find attached a copy of the programme for the day. Sessions start at 11am but there is no obligation to attend all of them. Feel free to only attend the parts of the day that are of most interest to you.

Here is the Microsoft Teams link for the event

https://teams.microsoft.com/dl/launcher/launcher.html?url=%2F_%23%2F%2Fmeetup-join%2F19%3Ameeting_NWJmM2YxMmYtYTI2NS00NDU4LTImZjUtYTJiNTZhMjYyODcx%40thread.v2%2F0%3Fcontext%3D%257b%2522Tid%2522%253a%252237c354b2-85b0-47f5-b222-07b48d774ee3%2522%252c%2522Oid%2522%253a%25225b21bd6c-18cb-4e34-97ea-60d903b83979%2522%257d%26anon%3Dtrue&type=meetup-join&deeplinkId=8b550443-3c21-412c-af04-1ccc7106c3a1&directDI=true&msLaunch=true&enableMobilePage=true&suppressPrompt=true

Consultancy – McKinsey Leadership Academy – Year 13

Date: **Thursday 19th - Friday 20th August**. Deadline to apply: **Sunday 30 May**

The McKinsey Leadership Academy is a learning programme that consists of online and in-person workshops. The programme will provide a great opportunity to have fun, connect with other students, learn about leadership and develop practical work skills. You'll also learn about management consulting as a possible career option.

<https://www.mckinsey.com/uk/careers/leadership-academy>

The Accountancy Academy

The Accountancy Academy 2021 will be taking place at the end of April and again in July 2021.

The Accountancy Academy offers the opportunity for in-depth and detailed sessions to help 16 – 18-year-old students understand if a career in accountancy is suited to them, as well as how to get started.

Five 90-minute sessions will be held between 4.30 pm and 6.00 pm on the following dates: May, 13th, 15th, 20th July

The Academy will also cover the following topics:

- Introduction to accountancy and routes to get started
- Accountancy skills – with some practical exercises
- Workplace skills for accountancy roles
- CV and Interview preparation

Further information can be found here - <https://www.firstintuition.co.uk/fihub/accountancy-academy-online-for-2021/>

Students can book their place at the virtual Accountancy Academy here -

<https://zq345.infusionsoft.app/app/page/6f9de338a145b9ed31a2c4343ab14032>

Unitaster Days - Webinars

Webinars to support students who are considering university to make informed future decisions. They feature guest speakers from a range of different universities, who are always experts in the subject they are speaking about.

They are always independent, impartial, and under one hour to suit timetabling requirements. They include the general content students will find useful – like how to write personal statements, student finance, UCAS applications and more. These subject videos introduce studying a range of different subjects at university. They cover reasons to consider the subject, what to expect on the course, and usually a careers guide and application tips as well. From Chemical Engineering to Computer Games. [On Demand Webinars | University Taster Days \(unitasterdays.com\)](https://unitasterdays.com)

UCAS - Take part in virtual open days

Many universities, colleges, and conservatoires are running their open days online. Students can see the campuses, find out about courses, and ask questions.

Find virtual open days - <https://www.ucas.com/ucas/events/find/type/open-day>

Apprenticeship Opportunities website

https://careermap.co.uk/careers/apprentice?utm_source=Careermap&utm_medium=Careermap&utm_campaign=ApprenticeButton

Apprentice Opportunities at Wates

We have a few apprenticeship positions available that we are hiring for at the moment. You can find more information about our company and the roles through the links I have provided below.

- [Site Management Trainee](#)
- [Quantity Surveying Trainee](#)

The positions are based in Leeds and we would love some of your students to apply if they are interested. Please note the **closing date for these positions is 16 of May.**

Site Management Trainee - <https://wates.gtisolutions.co.uk/site-management-apprenticeship-trainee---construction-leeds/294/viewdetails>

Quantity Surveying Trainee - <https://wates.gtisolutions.co.uk/quantity-surveying-apprenticeship-management-trainee---construction-leeds/296/viewdetails>

Development Apprentices – Year 13

https://clarionhg.wd3.myworkdayjobs.com/en-US/Clarion_External_Careers/job/Croydon---Station-Road/Development-Apprentices_R0005020-I?fbclid=IwAR3KsVZobcOub8UEQjWxZdwEXdLcVljtqh3Bi5fbO0cKXP0tRln8jdBIIVM

Aspire Nursing Degree Apprenticeship

[Spire Nursing Apprenticeship Programme - Find an apprenticeship \(findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk\)](#)

NG Bailey's Project Engineer Apprentice

[Project Engineer Apprentice - Leeds - Find an apprenticeship \(findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk\)](#)

IT Degree Apprenticeship

[IT Support Analyst - Degree Apprenticeship - Find an apprenticeship \(findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk\)](#)

Calendar Events:

- **Friday 21 May** - Denim for Dementia – Raising money for the Alzheimer's society - £1

REMINDERS

- **Hot drinks** are not permitted beyond the third floor.
- There should be no **eating** and **drinking** on the corridors.
- **Bins are provided for your rubbish in the Common Room – USE THEM**
- **Mobile Phones** and **headphones** should only be used on the third floor.
- **Lanyards must be worn at all times by all students.** If you have been using a temporary lanyard this must be returned at the end of the day to student reception. If you have lost your original lanyard please bring £2 to the sixth form office to order a replacement.
- **Face masks must be worn on the corridors, classrooms, KS5 area (apart from when you are eating) and on the school mini bus.**
- Punctual attendance to ALL lessons is essential.
- Appropriate dress is expected from sixth formers at all times i.e. no shorts, hats (in lessons), onesies, revealing clothing. Please remember you are setting an example to our younger students.