

# UK **UNIVERSITY &** APPRENTICESHIP SEARCH FAIR

### **MANCHESTER AUTUMN**

Friday 5th October 2018 Manchester, Old Trafford Stadium, M16 0RA

# **Special Focus** - UCAS Applications - Higher & Degree Apprenticeships milkround ch and apply for apprenticeships and School/

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Our fairs allow students to meet a host of universities, HE institutions and apprenticeship providers from all over the UK. We provide the perfect platform for students to gain vital advice and guidance so they can make the right decisions about their future.

> Due to the expansion of our event, we are delighted to be bringing our UK University & Apprenticeship Search fair to the newly refurbished exhibition space at Old Trafford this Autumn. Taking place on Friday 5th October, our Manchester fair is the perfect way for students to choose which university or apprenticeship is right for them. The fair is completely free for all students and teachers to attend.

> > This exciting and informative event will provide attendees with the opportunity to speak to a multitude of universities including; Russell Group, Red Brick and Modern **universities**. Students will also be able to talk to a very wide variety of the UK's best apprenticeship providers, HE colleges, specialist institutions, and student related organisations. Exhibitors will be featured in two large halls one of which overlooks the famous pitch. The fair is for students of all ability ranges and aims to widen participation as well as cater for higher academic achievers.



Event Opens – 10am Event Closes – 2.30pm

### Seminar Schedule

Presented by university and apprenticeship representatives

- 10.30 10.55 Student Finance Includes loans, scholarship and bursary information
- 11.00 11.25 Higher and Degree Apprenticeships
- 11.30 11.55 Oxford & Cambridge Explained
- 12.00 12.25 UCAS Personal Statement and Application Advice
- 12.30 12.55 Why an Apprenticeship?
- 13.00 13.25 Russell Group University Seminar
- 13.30 14.00 Life at University Inspirational talk about benefits of a university education

#### What makes our events special?

**Emphasis on Exploration –** We have a vast range of university, apprenticeship and career representatives at our events. We celebrate the different future pathways young people can take and are proud to present a real combination of options. Every student is unique, and we allow for each one to begin carving their own individual plan for the future.

**Student Support** – With seminars, brochures and the invaluable opportunity to engage with our exhibitors, pupils receive a very high level of help and attention to guide them through their options.

**Venue** – By holding our events at sporting venues we provide a more exciting and inspirational backdrop.

**Options Guide** – Receiving a guide, written largely by current university students and recent graduates, attendees have a very useful resource to take away with them and aid their decision making.

**Timing** – This event means that Year 13s can receive vital application support directly before they are required to submit their applications and make important choices. The event is also ideal to inspire Year 12s and 11s who are starting to make decisions about their post 18 education and career choices.

**Teachers and Coordinators** – We listen. Your comments and suggestions will be taken on board and implemented. You are supported by your assigned liaison manager – you'll receive regular updates and have the opportunity to get in touch whenever you need to. We also ensure that teachers are looked after on the day by providing them with their own area with complimentary tea/ coffee, as well as a lunch voucher.



Large exhibition hall, full of universities, apprenticeship providers and higher education institutions. Includes **Russell Group, Modern Universities** and **specialist providers**.

Application Focus Personal statements Seminars.

> Special Features

1-1 Apprenticeship Advice from Milkround School Leavers.

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Teachers' Lounge Teachers will have their own relaxation area with free tea/ coffee and WiFi, as well as a £5 snack voucher.

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#### Free Student Attendee Baa

This will include a university open days calendar, university and apprenticeship guide/UCAS application brochure and promotional gifts. Apprenticeship Seminars Advice and guidance from industry experts.



**Demonstrations** 

A number of exhibitors will be providing interactive stand features for students to get involved with.





"We found the event and seminars really helpful. Students who attended all went away enthused and inspired. They managed to speak to a range of exhibitors and took away some invaluable information relating to personal statements and student finance, which they received first hand (instead of just another school presentation). Thank you."

Philip Jones - Careers - Wilmslow High School

"This is a fantastic event that just gets better and better each year - we especially appreciate that all the alternatives for students after they leave are represented, and not just the unis. Keep up the good work!"

David Giles – Post 16-Coordinator – Sir Herbert Leon Academy "Thank you for all of your help organising the event. There are a number of our students who are now considering going to uni who hadn't even thought it would be possible so thank you."

Danielle Mcleavy – Head of Year 12 Energy Coast UTC



### For further information or to book a group of students to come along to the event:

#### Email – jude@ukuniversitysearch.com Phone – 020 7609 4254

You can provisionally book a group of students to ensure your places by simply emailing or calling. This provisional booking can be amended and confirmed at a later date.

We recommend students spend approximately  $2^{1/2}$  hours at the event. We allocate arrival slots, so let us know what time you would like to arrive. We will do what we can to accommodate this. To increase this likelihood please get in touch as soon as you are able.

A health and safety assessment is available on request.

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