UK UNIVERSITY & APPRENTICESHIP SEARCH FAIR





In Affiliation with:

Lancaster University

Lancaster University, LA1 4YW

16th April

Lancaster

9.30am - 2.30pm

Special Focus: UCAS Applications | Applying for Apprenticeships

Includes: Campus Tours | Free Lunch for teachers/ staff | Interactive Exhibits | Live Music

Lancaster Event



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 information and guidance so they can make the right decisions about their future.

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We are delighted to announce that the UK University & Apprenticeship Search event will be taking place at Lancaster University on Friday 16th April.

We warmly invite you and your students to attend our inspirational fair at Lancaster. Our event is the perfect way for your students to choose which university or apprenticeship is right for them. The fair is completely **free** for all students, staff and guardians to attend.

Our exciting and informative event will provide attendees with the opportunity to speak to a multitude of universities including **Russell Group, red brick, specialist and modern**. Students will also be able to talk to a variety of the UK's best **apprenticeship providers**, HE colleges, specialist institutions, and student related organisations. The fair is for students of all abilities and aims to widen participation as well as cater for higher academic achievers.

There will also be live music taking place, street food available to purchase, and campus tours running all day around Lancaster University. These will feature special interactive exhibits and demos including student's latest race car built for the next Formula Student championships, labs, simulated ambulance and their award-winning students accommodation.

Seminar Schedule

Presented by university and apprenticeship representatives:

10:10 – 10:30 am
Student Finance

10:40 – 11:00 am
UCAS Personal Statement

11:10 – 11:30 am
Why take an Apprenticeship

11:40 – 12:00 pm
University Life & Courses

12:10 – 12:30 pm
Russell Group University Seminar

12:40 – 13:00 pm
TBC - Previous have included AI in HE, Computer Games Design

13:10 – 13:30 pm
Higher & Degree Apprenticeships

13:40 – 14:00 pm
UCAS Personal Statement

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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 pathways young people can take and are proud to present a diverse selection of options. Every student is unique, so our events are designed to help equip each student with the knowledge and guidance they need.

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 different higher education options.

Venue
By holding this event at a university, attendees will be able to gain a positive insight into what student life is like and experience a university campus.

Timing
The event is ideal to inspire and motivate Year 12s and 11s who are starting to make decisions about their post-18 education and career choices. The fair is also a great opportunity for any undecided Year 13s who need help and guidance. Please note our fairs are not designed for Year 9s or 10s.

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 via phone or email whenever you need to.

** Don't worry if you miss any talks - you can also watch video versions of each of the day's main seminars on our UKUniApp after the event!*

Special Features

Dedicated Rep

To ensure you are guided through the booking process as smoothly as possible, every school/college booking places at the event has a dedicated rep. This person is on hand via telephone and email to provide help and support with preparing and attending the fair. We will also provide you with a mobile phone contact number on the day and will be available whenever you have questions.

Event Brochure/Guide

Every student will be provided with an online event day brochure. This features the full seminar schedule and sections regarding applying for apprenticeships and advice on UCAS applications, along with articles written by university students and apprentices. Students will also receive a digital 'Student Pack' before the event, designed to guide them through the fair and help them make the most of exhibitor interactions.

NEW Event App

Get the most out of your visit to the UK University & Apprenticeship Search Fair. Use the UKUniApp to get your free ticket/QR code. This can be scanned by exhibitors you are interested in receiving further information from. We will also provide you with any important updates throughout the day.

The app features vital info for students, parents, teachers and staff. This includes access to the official interactive digital brochure. Just in case you need to miss any, you can also watch video versions of each of the day's main seminars/talks. UKUniApp enables you to see all the exhibitors attending, find your way around the event, check your UCAS score and browse our open days calendar.

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Apprenticeship Hub Stand

Our new Apprenticeship Hub stand also gives students the chance to speak to industry experts one-on-one, covering every aspect of apprenticeships.

Large exhibition hall full of universities, apprenticeship providers and higher education institutions. Includes **Russell Group, red brick, modern universities and specialist providers.**

Personal Statement & Application Seminar

Focusing on the UCAS application process and sharing tips to help students create a compelling personal statement that stands out amongst the crowd.

Apprenticeship Seminars

Valuable advice and guidance from industry experts.

Campus Tours

Take a tour around campus and get a feel for what it would be like to live and study at a Top 10 ranked, world-class research and teaching university like Lancaster. We'll have pop-up tours running all day showing:

- Lancaster's science labs and engineering facilities in action whether that's design projects coming to life from their 3D printers, taking part in interactive experiments and demos in their science labs or viewing student's latest race car built for the next Formula Student championships.
- If you're considering Law, visit Lancaster's mock court and see how on a Law degree you could study simulated trials, not just hypothetical appeal arguments in their state-of-the-art court room.
- Lancaster University has been rated "Best University Halls" eight times since 2010 at the annual National Student Housing Awards. View Lancaster's student accommodation and see what it's like to live on a campus university.

Exclusive Access to Online Versions

In case any students, teachers or staff are unable to take part in seminars on the day, all attendees will receive a link to online versions of each. These can be watched at home or used as resources at school/college.

Bookings & Further Info

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

Email – ellie@ukuniversitysearch.co.uk
Phone – 020 7609 4254

You can provisionally book a group of students by simply emailing or calling. This provisional booking can be amended (we accept that the amount of students may need to vary closer to the event date).

Schools and colleges will be allocated an arrival time and departure slot of 2 - 2.5 hours.

Once your booking is confirmed students and staff can register and receive their e-tickets/QR code using our App or website. We will also send you the venue/event risk assessment and all of the details you will need.

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The event was outstanding – the students found it all really informative and teachers enjoyed it too! Will certainly come to any future events.

Stefan O'Gorman
Head of Sixth Form
William Morris Sixth Form

This was a highly memorable event – the best I have taken my Sixth Form to yet. The venue was breath-taking, it was excellently organised, the teachers were well catered for and the seminars were highly informative. I really appreciate all the hard work you and the team put into this. We'll definitely be back for the next one!

David Hutt
Head of Sixth
Greenfield 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

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