

THE SIXTH

24–28 April 2023

THIS WEEK...

GETTING READY!

Year 13 are you Exam ready? Exam season begins this week for our Spanish and Fashion students. We wish them the very best of luck! Exams this week are on p.7.

Year 12 are you ready for your Work experience? The deadline is **Tuesday 25th April**.

GAP YEAR INFORMATION

Last week we had GVI deliver a Gap Year presentation to Year 13 students. To view the slides, [click here](#).

To find out more about their opportunities, [click here](#).

STEPHEN LAWRENCE

Saturday 22nd April is the 30th anniversary of Stephen Lawrence's murder.

On **Thursday 27th April**, students will focus on Stephen's story and discuss how to ensure we continue to promote equality and justice in the UK.

UCAS YEAR 12

Our series of talks about applying to university continues on **Monday 24th April** with an assembly from Stirling University about applying to Scottish universities.

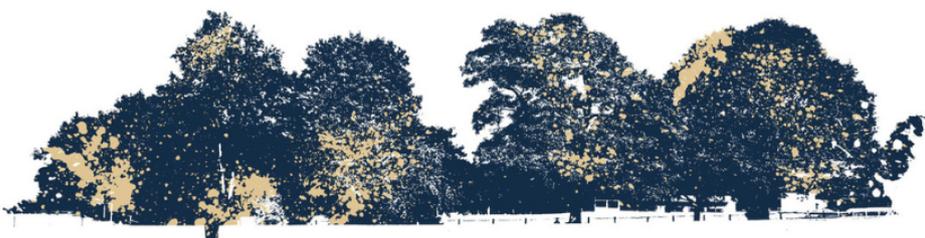
EPQ MEETING

There will be an EPQ meeting during form time in N105 on **Thursday 27th April** for any student who wishes to complete an EPQ.

TELL US!



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WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK



CALENDAR

24–28 April 2023

DAY	YEAR 12	YEAR 13	OTHER EVENTS
MONDAY	Assembly – Stirling University Applying to Scottish Universities	Mentoring	
TUESDAY	Mentoring	Assembly – Exam preparation	Careers Advisor Lower Hex 8.45–10.45am (see p.11)
WEDNESDAY	Eid and Fasting	Eid and Fasting	School Nurse, 1.15–2.10pm
THURSDAY	Stephen Lawrence Day	Stephen Lawrence Day	Geography fieldwork trip Music trip EPQ mtg (see p.1)
FRIDAY	Futures Friday – UCAS hub account	Futures Friday – Responding to UCAS offers	Hospitality – Leeds Market trip

NEWS



Year 12 Duke of Edinburgh

Well done to all 19 of our Year 12 students who completed their Gold Duke of Edinburgh practice expedition in the Peak District this week.



NEWS



Year 12 Apprenticeship talk

We were fortunate to have ex-students Aaron Askew and Sam Preston deliver an assembly to our Year 12 students on apprenticeships. Aaron and Sam work for WSP, one of the world's leading engineering and professional services firms.

To find out more about WSP, and the opportunities available, [click here](#).



NEWS



National Youth Dance workshop

On **Thursday 20th April**, the National Youth Dance Company ran a free workshop for Lymm High students as part of their 100th birthday celebrations. This was a really exciting opportunity for our Year 12 students.



Youth in Mind

at Warrington Youth Zone

Youth In Mind is a free and discrete drop-in service for young people aged 7-19 (up to 25 with additional needs) who are experiencing problems relating to their emotional wellbeing.

No appointment or referral is necessary.

Opening Hours

Mon-Fri, 3pm – 7pm
Sat & Sun, 11am – 3pm

Open 7 Days
a Week



<https://warringtonyouthzone.org>

Charity Number: 1101086

EXAMS



Exams, 24–28th April 2023

The exams this week are as follows:

Day / Date	Time	Subject	Room
Tuesday 25th April	8.45am	Fashion – Visual recording and communication	N205
Thursday 27th April	Throughout the day	Spanish – Speaking assessments	Alsager

A link to the overall external exam timetable can be [found here](#). Students must remain available for exams until **Wednesday 28th June** (contingency dates) should an event arise. Further information has been sent to students and parents regarding this.

A note has been sent home about Year 13 revision for exams. [Click here](#) to read the full letter.



UCAS



Next steps

Here is a quick reminder of how Year 13 need to confirm their offers.

If the university offers you a place, you'll need to reply to them once you have decisions from all the universities you've applied to. Your reply by date will be listed in Track (go into your UCAS profile). There are three types of replies you can make:

- **Firm** – this would be your first choice.
- **Insurance** – this is your back-up choice if you don't meet the conditions of your firm. You can only accept an insurance choice if your firm choice is a conditional offer.
- **Decline** – you'd need to decline any other offers.

This means that of the five offers you may have, you will select one as your 'Firm' choice, one as your 'Insurance' choice and decline the other three.

For more help and support, please come to chat with a member of the Sixth Form team.

[Click here](#) for more information.

[Click here](#) for a letter sent to parents in December about confirming offers.



KEY DATES



October 2023 admissions test sessions



Key dates for BMAT, ENGAA, NSAA, TMUA and TSA Oxford tests.

- **1st September 2023** – Registration opens.
- **15th September 2023** – Deadline to apply for modified papers (e.g. enlarged print).
- **29th September 2023, 6pm** – Registration closes for all tests. There is no late registration period after 29th September.
- **18th October 2023** – Test date.

All tests will be paper-based this year.

For more information on individual tests, please visit the [webpage for that test](#).



**Cambridge Assessment
Admissions Testing**



REVISION SUPPORT



Year 13 Intervention Timetable

Subject staff are running the following intervention sessions to help support students with the preparation for their external exams.

Subject	Day	Time	Room	Staff Member	Who For?
Business	Thursday	3.15–3.45	S107	J Hayes	
Business drop-in support	Monday	1.15–2.10	S106	K Hill	
Chemistry	Thursday	1.40–2.05	E302	G Moge	
Economics drop-in support	Monday	1.15–2.10	S106	K Hill	
Economics revision	Tuesday	1.15–2.10	S106	K Hill	
English	Wednesday Week 1	1.30–2pm	A117	L Nevell	
English	Tuesday Week 2	1.30–2pm	A117	L Nevell	
English Literature	Friday	1.30–2pm	A211	L Penketh	
French essay feedback (5-minute slots)	Friday Week 1	1.15–1.50	L104	H Hurn	Invite only
French essay feedback (5-minute slots)	Wednesday Week 2	1.15–1.50	L104	H Hurn	Invite only
Geography	Thursday	1.20–1.50	A217	T Rigby	
History	Thursday	1.30–2.10	A201	B Wilde	
History (Paper 2 - India)	Friday	1.30–2pm	A204	N Douglas	Only up until Easter
Maths	Thursday	Lunchtime	N203	N Parsons	
Maths exam practice questions	Monday	Lunchtime	E103	A Quilter	
Media	Tuesday	3.20–4.30	B206	M Lorenzelli	
Music Tech	Tuesday	Breaktime	Music rooms	J Gornall	
PE	Monday	1.30–2pm	S208	T Scott	
PE	Tuesday	1.30–2pm	N or S Block	K Lowry-Johnson	
Psychology	Wednesday	Form		J Edge	Invite only
Psychology	Friday	Form		J Edge	Invite only
Religious Studies	Wed - Week 1	1.20–1.50	A208	B Barnes	Everyone
Religious Studies	Wed - Week 2	1.20–1.50	A206	F Bisset	Everyone
Religious Studies	Tue & Thurs Week 1	1.15–1.50	A208	F Bisset	Invite only
Religious Studies	Tue & Thurs Week 2	1.15–1.50	A206	B Barnes	Invite only
Religious Studies	30th January	3.10–4.10	A206	F Bisset	Everyone (compulsory for some)
Sociology	Tuesday	Lunchtime	S109	J Edge	
Sociology	Wednesday	Lunchtime	S109	J Edge	



REMINDERS

DONT FORGET TO:

YEAR 13 LEAVERS

Just **15 school days** until the external exams begin! Make sure you are using your time wisely and attending all lessons, SSPs



and any relevant intervention sessions.

YEAR 12 CAREERS ADVICE

On **Tuesday 25th April**, our Careers Advisor will be based in the Lower Hex from 8:45–10.45am. Any Year 12 on S.S.P, or not in a timetabled lesson, can use this opportunity to get some careers advice. See Mr Brown if you don't get a chance to see her.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Year 12's Work Experience week will take place from **Monday 26th June** until **Friday 30th June**. The deadline to complete the Unifrog placements tool is **Tuesday 25th April**.

Please [click here](#) to read the letter sent home.

KEY DATES

Please [click here](#) to view the Assessment calendar, which includes key dates for the year.

STUDENT FINANCE

Student finance applications are now open.

- [Click here](#) for a helpful video on understanding your student loan.
- [Click here](#) for two helpful guides.

Reminders!

for 17-29s

SATURDAY, 20 MAY, 9:30AM – 1PM

Safety Central, Cliff Lane, Lymm, Warrington WA13 0TE

YOUNG DRIVERS EVENT

Get additional on-road knowledge and skills, above and beyond what is taught when you learn to drive.



Attendees will be entered into a raffle to win an IAM membership!

PUT THE FUN INTO DRIVING.

BETTER DRIVERS SAVE MONEY AND ARE SAFER.

BOOST YOUR DRIVING SKILLS AND CONFIDENCE.



SCAN ME

THERE WILL BE FOUR SESSIONS THROUGHOUT THE DAY:

- **THINK - CHESHIRE FIRE & RESCUE**
- **DRIVE - CHESHIRE CONSTABULARY**
- **SURVIVE - NORTH WEST AMBULANCE SERVICE**
- **PRACTICAL - IAM ROADSMART**

You need a valid driving licence and your car needs to be roadworthy/legal



Axess Sexual Health

Axess Sexual Health, based within Liverpool University Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust, is launching its Axess 4 u service for young people (aged 19 and under) in Merseyside and East Cheshire. This specialist clinic offers safe and non-judgemental sexual healthcare for young people across axess regions – Liverpool, Knowsley, Halton, Warrington and Cheshire East.

Axess 4 u clinics provide:

- Contraception (including implants)
- Emergency contraception
- STI information, screening and treatment
- Free condoms
- Sexual health advice, guidance and information
- Pregnancy testing

To provide quick, easy access to sexual health services, Axess 4 u is a walk-in clinic, which means no appointment is necessary. More information on its services, clinic locations and opening hours can be [found here](#).



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Getting Started with the UCAT

Wednesday 26th April, 6pm

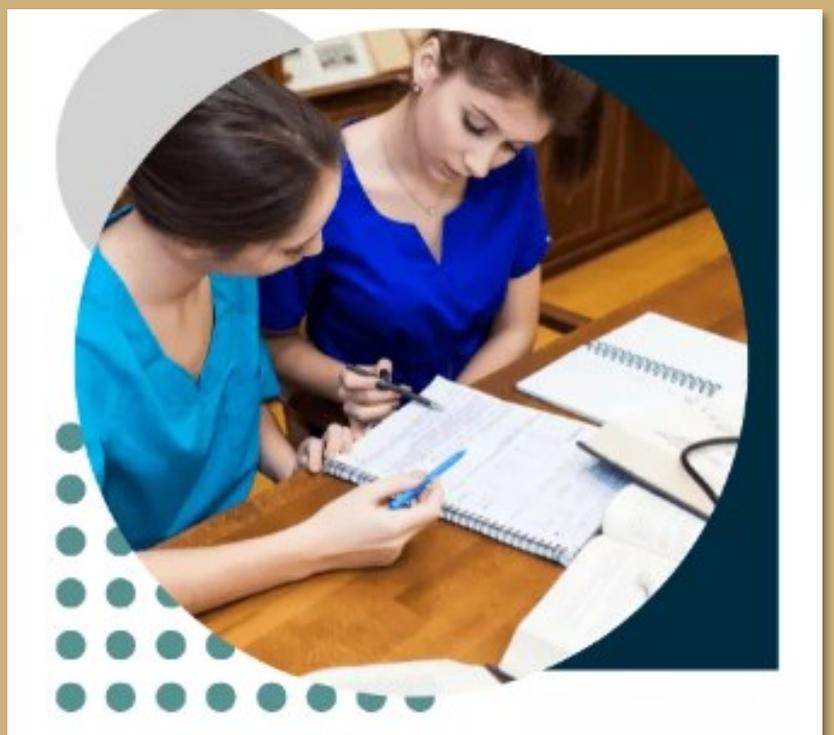
6med is a friendly company run entirely by medical students. So far, it has helped over 10,000 medical students over the past 6 years with applications, personal statements and tuition.

Schools and students who achieve top UCAT results will be starting their preparation around now. As such, 6med is running a free webinar for students who will be taking the UCAT this Summer.

This webinar will specifically focus on.

- What you need to do to be fully prepared
- How to achieve your best score

To sign up for the free webinar, [click here](#) to register.



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Meet the Russell Group

25–27th April, 12–1.30pm or 4.30–6pm

These webinars will cover topics such as Personal Statements and Applying to a Russell Group University, Researching University Options as well as Student life. This is an incredible opportunity for students considering applying for Cambridge, Oxford, LSE, Bristol or any of the 24 [Russell Group Universities](#).

Students and parents can sign up for each webinar via the registration link [here](#).



Meet the  **RUSSELL GROUP**






 25th - 27th April

 Afternoon Session: 12:00 - 13:30
Evening Session: 16:30 - 18:00

 www.ukuniversitysearch.com/fair-signup/meet-the-russell-group

There are also places still available for:

- **Liverpool UK University & Apprenticeship Search Event**
Aintree Racecourse
Friday 28th April
[Click here](#) for details.
- **Liverpool Autumn event**
Anfield Stadium
Tuesday 17th October
[Click here](#) for details.

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Gonville & Caius
UNIVERSITY OF CAMBRIDGE

Cambridge University: support for Year 12 students

Gonville & Caius College, Cambridge, runs events and creates resources aimed at raising aspirations and specifically supporting students in making an application to Cambridge.

Subject Taster Evenings

19th April to 10th May, 5–6.30pm

Deadline to sign up: 5pm on

Friday 31st March

These virtual taster evenings for state schools give students the chance to meet lecturers in charge of undergraduate teaching, hear from current students, and experience Cambridge-style teaching. The full list of subjects and further details are available [here](#). Students can sign up using [this link](#).



Caius Explore



This is a creative competition that aims to help prospective Cambridge students develop their subject-related interests. Each subject has a unique task; previous years have featured essays, presentations, podcasts, and even designing an alien! Authors of the favourite entries are invited to attend a celebration day in Caius. Full details are available [here](#).

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Swansea
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Engineering Summer School

16–19th July 2023

Application deadline: Monday 22nd May

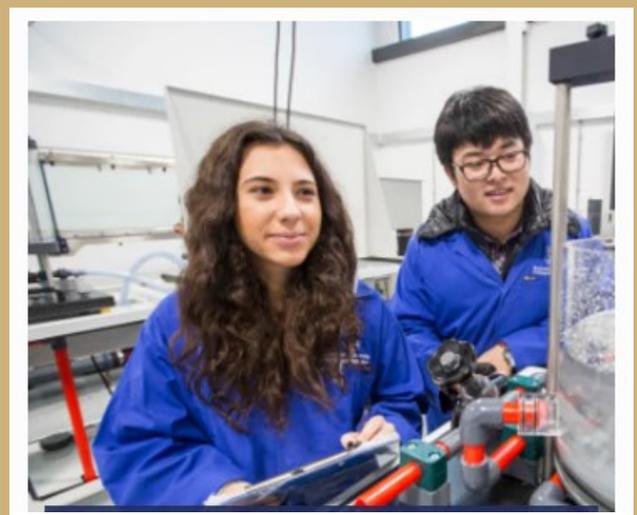


This popular summer school in July is designed for Year 12 students who are thinking about applying to university. This is a residential programme that gives an insight into all courses at Swansea University, a taste of life on a University campus, and helps students decide whether an engineering degree is likely to be for them.

The programme will give attendees the opportunity to discover Aerospace, Mechanical, Civil, Electronic and Electrical, Chemical, Materials and Biomedical Engineering through practical sessions held in the Faculty of Science and Engineering on Swansea University's Bay Campus.

To apply and get more information, [click here](#). Students will be notified of the outcome of their application by the beginning of June.

For any questions, please email EngineeringSummerSchool@swansea.ac.uk



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University of Sheffield Subject Tasters for Year 12 & 13



All of the activities below and overleaf are free of charge and will provide students with a good insight into their chosen subject or area of interest at university. To apply for any of the sessions, students need to fill out the booking forms using the links below. Some sessions are online, and some are in-person. Further information on the Taster Session programme can be [found here](#).

- **Monday 24th April, 3.50–5.15pm,**
online, [Philosophy](#)
- **Monday 24th April, 3.35–5pm,**
online, [History](#)
- **Tuesday 25th April, 4.30–5.35pm,**
online, [Education](#)
- **Tuesday 25th April, 4.30–5.30pm,**
online
[Politics, Philosophy and Economics](#)



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- **Wednesday 26th April**, 4.30–6pm, online, [Politics](#)
- **Thursday 27th April**, 3.50–5.15pm, online, [Music](#)
- **Tuesday 2nd May**, 4–5.30pm, online [Aerospace Engineering](#)
- **Tuesday 2nd May**, 4.30–6pm, online [Journalism](#)
- **Tuesday 2nd May**, 4.30–5.30pm, online, [Sociology](#)
- **Tuesday 2nd May**, 4.25–6pm, online [Speech and Language Therapy](#)
- **Wednesday 3rd May**, 3.50–5.15pm, online [School of East Asian Studies](#)
- **Thursday 4th May**, 4–5.30pm, online [Electronic and Electrical Engineering](#)
- **Thursday 4th May**, 4.30–5.30pm, online, [Applied Social Sciences](#)
- **Thursday 4th May**, 4.30–6pm, online, [Law](#)
- **Thursday 4th May**, 4.25–5.30pm, online, [Adult Nursing](#)



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- **Tuesday 9th May**, 4–5.45pm, online
[Computer Science](#)
- **Wednesday 10th May**, 4–5.30pm,
online
[Civil and Structural Engineering](#)
- **Wednesday 10th May**, 4–5.30pm, online, [Orthoptics](#)
- **Wednesday 10th May**, 4–5.05pm,
online, [Psychology](#)
- **Thursday 11th May**, 4–5.30pm, online
[General Engineering](#)
- **Monday 15th May**, 4.30–6pm, online
[Materials Science and Engineering](#)
- **Tuesday 16th May**, 3.50–5.15pm,
online, [French](#)
- **Wednesday 17th May**, 4–5.35pm,
online, [Maths](#)
- **Wednesday 17th May**, 3.50–5.15pm,
online, [Spanish](#)
- **Thursday 18th May**, 4–5.30pm, online
[Chemical and Biological Engineering](#)
- **Friday 19th May**, 10–12pm, on campus
[Adult Nursing](#)
- **Wednesday 31st May**, 9.30–4.15pm,
on campus, [Chemistry](#)



UK university &
apprenticeship
search fairs

Event Opens
9:30am

Event Closes
2:30pm

UK UNIVERSITY & APPRENTICESHIP SEARCH FAIR

LIVERPOOL SPRING

Friday 28th April

Aintree Racecourse, Ormskirk Rd, Aintree,
Liverpool, L9 5AS

Special Focus – UCAS Applications – Applying for Apprenticeships



Apprenticeship opportunities at Jacobs



Jacobs is an international technical professional services firm. With US\$14 billion in revenue and a talent force of more than 55,000, Jacobs provides a full spectrum of professional services including consulting, technical, scientific and project delivery for the government and private sector.

The company currently has local apprenticeship opportunities available at Birchwood, Knutsford and Manchester.

To search the vacancies, click on either link below:

- [Jacobs Early Careers Website](#)
- [Find an apprenticeship](#)



Want to know more about apprenticeships?

Wednesday 10th May, Birmingham, in-person and online

5pm (refreshments and networking with employers)

6pm start (Livestream starts)

Pathway CTM is hosting an exclusive apprenticeship event in Birmingham, which will also be livestreamed. The event will include PwC, Jaguar Land Rover and HSBC who will be talking more about:

- the apprenticeship industry
- opportunities available
- what the next steps might be.

This is a great opportunity to learn more about the apprenticeship route and the benefits as a potential career pathway.

Students are encouraged to attend with parents and friends. To sign up, [click here](#).

The venue is:

Millennium Point

Curzon St

Birmingham

B4 7XG



The banner features the Pathway CTM logo at the top left. The main text reads "WANT TO KNOW MORE ABOUT APPRENTICESHIPS?". Below this, logos for HSBC, Jaguar, Land Rover, and PwC are displayed. A red "SIGN UP" button is positioned below the logos. The background of the banner shows a woman in a blue shirt pointing at a whiteboard, with another woman in a black shirt standing nearby. A downward arrow icon is located at the bottom center, and the website URL "WWW.PATHWAYCTM.COM" is at the bottom right.



Apprentice Quantity Surveyor

Churchill Retirement Living's bold growth plans means it is recruiting for a Quantity Surveyor Apprentice to support the Commercial team in its Northern Region based in Warrington.

This is a great opportunity to learn and gain experience across the different areas of the department, getting hands-on experience in the roles of Buying, Estimating and Quantity Surveying as you support the team with various tasks.

To apply and find out more information, [click here](#).

For further information about Churchill Retirement Living, [click here](#).



AMS Academy apprenticeship scheme

Deadline to apply: Wednesday 31st May

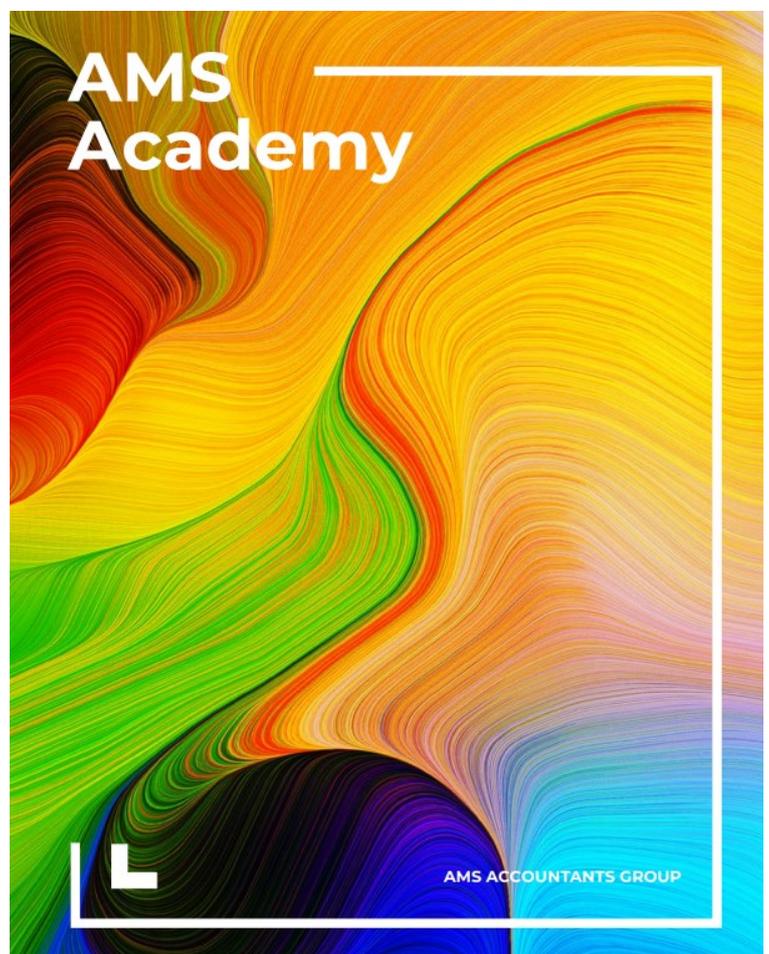
Assessment day: Wednesday 5th July

AMS Accountants Group is seeking to attract school leavers who want to pursue a career in accountancy or tax. The company is currently enjoying fast growth and is aiming to be a top 50 accountancy firm in the next 3 years. It is looking for ambitious, confident and dedicated individuals to join it who are keen to work hard and progress in a career in accounting, tax and business.

The AMS Academy

Through its purpose-built Academy, students and graduates will have the opportunity to join its multi-year programme, working and studying towards professional qualifications in accountancy or tax. Based in the Manchester Head Office, students will attend classes for 'off the job' training through an accredited external provider and 'on the job' training in the division you work in. In addition, you will work closely with your mentor who will support you in your development and help you settle into working life at AMS. You'll be given a formal training plan from your manager to keep you on track to reach your goals.

To view a brochure, which contains all the information prospective candidates need to know about the programme and how to apply, [click here](#).



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APPRENTICESHIPS



Apprenticeships



- Please [click here](#) to see this week's list of current apprenticeships in the Warrington area.
For further details and to apply for any of these vacancies go to the [National Apprenticeship Website](#).
- [Click here](#) for the 2022 Top 100 Apprenticeship Providers.
- Further opportunities in Cheshire and Warrington can be viewed [here](#) and [here](#).
- Don't forget to use [Unifrog](#) to search for Apprenticeship opportunities too!

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CAREERS

Trainee Accountant opportunity

This role is for a Year 13 student who is not wishing to go to university following A' levels, but is looking for a career in accountancy. It is a full-time position based at Walker Begley, Chartered Accountants, in Grappenhall. The ideal candidate will have an interest in business and finance and be comfortable with numbers. It is not necessary to have A' level Maths but a high grade at GCSE is required, as well as strong grades across their A' level subjects.

- The candidate will work towards the AAT (Association of Accounting Technicians) qualification, which is a Level 4 Diploma in Professional Accounting.
- They will be given on-the-job training, as well as attending the classroom at our external training providers offices, in either Liverpool or Manchester.
- The qualification takes 2–3 years to complete, after which the appropriate subsequent route will be discussed and determined. In many cases this will lead onto professional qualifications with the ICAEW to become a Chartered Accountant.

Walker Begley is a four-director practice with 20 staff. It is a member of the ICAEW (Institute of Chartered Accountants in England & Wales) and a registered training office. Its portfolio of clients is wide ranging, covering many industries, and includes local, as well as national and international, clients.

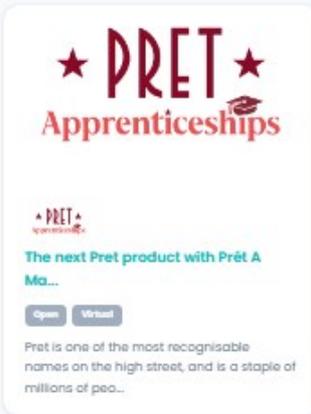
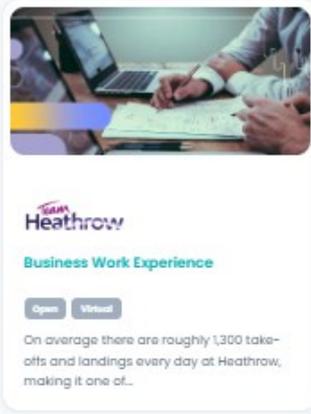
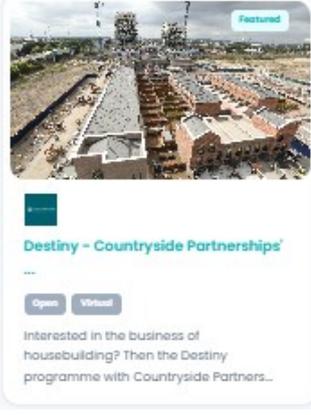
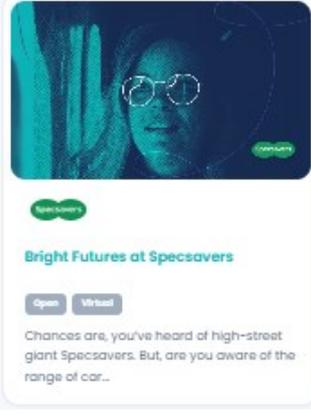
Any interested students are invited to contact Jayne Hudd on jayne.hudd@walkerbegley.co.uk



Virtual Work Experience programmes

Springpod has a wide range of programmes with some of the world's leading employers in many different sectors, such as STEM, Healthcare and even Real Estate! These courses can be completed flexibly around students' studies, making it nice and easy to balance the workload with schoolwork.

To view the available programmes, [click here](#).

 <p>SIEMENS Siemens Innovation</p> <p>Open Virtual</p> <p>The future is now! Industry-leading engineers at Siemens are changing the world with sustainabil...</p>	 <p>★ PRET ★ Apprenticeships</p> <p>PRET Apprenticeships</p> <p>The next Pret product with Prêt A Ma...</p> <p>Open Virtual</p> <p>Pret is one of the most recognisable names on the high street, and is a staple of millions of peo...</p>	 <p>Historic England</p> <p>Careers in Heritage with Historic En...</p> <p>Open Virtual</p> <p>Historic England helps us care for, enjoy and celebrate England's historic environment. If you li...</p>
 <p>Team Heathrow</p> <p>Business Work Experience</p> <p>Open Virtual</p> <p>On average there are roughly 1,300 take-offs and landings every day at Heathrow, making it one of...</p>	 <p>AIRBUS</p> <p>Aerospace Work Experience</p> <p>Open Virtual</p> <p>Always been fascinated by space? Simply don't understand how a 300-tonne plane can make it into t...</p>	 <p>Team Heathrow</p> <p>Heathrow Engineering Virtual Work Ex...</p> <p>Open Virtual</p> <p>On average there are roughly 1,300 take-offs and landings every day at Heathrow, making it one of...</p>
 <p>Destiny - Countryside Partnerships</p> <p>Open Virtual</p> <p>Interested in the business of housebuilding? Then the Destiny programme with Countryside Partners...</p>	 <p>Bright Futures at Specsavers</p> <p>Open Virtual</p> <p>Chances are, you've heard of high-street giant Specsavers. But, are you aware of the range of car...</p>	 <p>Team Heathrow</p> <p>Construction with Team Heathrow</p> <p>Open Virtual</p> <p>On average there are roughly 1,300 take-offs and landings every day at Heathrow, making it one of...</p>

Career and Work Experience Days



Dates for online career and work experience days over the next month are as follows:

- **Vet Career Day**
Saturday 29th April 2023
- **Law Career Day**
Saturday 6th May 2023
- **Computer Science Career Day**
Saturday 20th May 2023
- **Performing Arts Career Day**
Saturday 27th May 2023

Students can join a session in their field of interest and will receive a certificate at the end of the day confirming their work experience. Half of the day will be spent with experts in the field, gaining first-hand knowledge of what life is really like in that career through a live online session. Tutors will give an insight into life as a student, guide you through the application process and teach you how to secure a place to study at university.

After lunch, you will spend the second part of the day gaining some work experience which will see you in good stead should you choose to pursue this career in the future. You will also be given the opportunity to ask the tutors any questions at all you have from the day, or in general, by taking part in a live Q&A. We'll then provide a personalised certificate for you to use in your applications.

For further information, [click here](#).



To view the latest online University events, [click here](#).

These are listed in chronological order and include:

- Open Days (in-person and virtual)
- Online chats
- Webinars

Students can browse these events and engage with higher education from the comfort of their mobile, tablet or computer.



BIRTHDAYS

L. Culley

F. Miller

J. Hale

A. Williams

N. Johnson

L. Williams

D. McCue

J. McGrath