

THE SIXTH

25–29 November 2024

“ THIS WEEK...

PROFESSIONALISM,
BOUNDARIES AND
RESPECT ”

This week we would like you to explore the importance of first impressions and how you make a positive first impression for any new relationship, both professional and personal.

FOOTLOOSE

Best wishes to everyone involved in the school performance of *Foot-loose* this week.

Tickets are still available from the Finance & MIS office (see p.3).

REWARDS TRIP

This is the final week before student data review and selection!

Be in school, and on time, to be in the draw for the trip to the Manchester Christmas Markets (see p.5).

GEOGRAPHY NEA

Year 13 Geography students' Non Examined Assessments (NEA) are due to be handed in week commencing **Monday 16th December** and no later than 11.30am on **Friday 20th December**. Remember, the NEA is worth 20% of the A' Level Geography awarded.

CHILDREN IN NEED

Well done to everyone who dressed up, donated and took part in our Children in Need fundraiser.

So far, we've raised almost £1000!



Lymm High School
Sixth Form



WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK



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

CALENDAR

25–29 November 2024

DAY	YEAR 12	YEAR 13	OTHER EVENTS
MONDAY	<i>The Sixth</i> and mentoring Weekly reset	<i>The Sixth</i> and mentoring Weekly reset Mock interview preparation	
TUESDAY	Life Programme Assembly – Sexual Harassment	Life Programme 13TH, WH, WL, DH, AL – Upper Hex 13AH, DL, MH, ML, TL – Form Room	Apprenticeship/ Employment cohort H Form students only, N106
WEDNESDAY	Study Skills	Study Skills	Economics lecture (see p.6) School Nurse
THURSDAY	Mental health awareness and support	Assembly – Professionalism and men's mental health	
FRIDAY	Futures Friday	Futures Friday – Interview reflections and preparations	



LYMM HIGH SCHOOL
PRESENTS

Footloose

SHOW DATES

(NOVEMBER 2024)

TUESDAY 26TH

WEDNESDAY 27TH

THURSDAY 28TH

FRIDAY 29TH

7.00PM | MAIN HALL

TICKETS AVAILABLE FROM THE
SCHOOL FINANCE AND MIS OFFICE
(THE OLD SCHOOL SHOP)

ADULTS **£10**

UNDER 18/CONCESSIONS **£6**



Footloose

NEWS



Articulation speaking competition

Lymm High is taking part in the National Articulation Prize for the first time and would love to open it to all Sixth Form students, not just those studying creative subjects. This national programme for young people is designed to use art as a springboard to develop vital oracy, independent research and presentation skills.

“This is a fantastic opportunity for students to speak passionately about a piece of art, architecture or artefact of their choice”, said Mrs Taylor. “We will be holding internal heats in January, ready to select our finalist who will go forward to the regional heat, taking place on **Wednesday 26th February** at the Whitworth Gallery in Manchester.”

“We would love to get as many students involved as possible as there are so many benefits to this process.”

For more information, [click here](#). In addition, you can [click here](#) to view the Articulation website.

BIRTHDAYS



M. Chopra

A. Ranson

E. Gardener

O. Soar

J. Geary

Y. Hughes

M. Longton

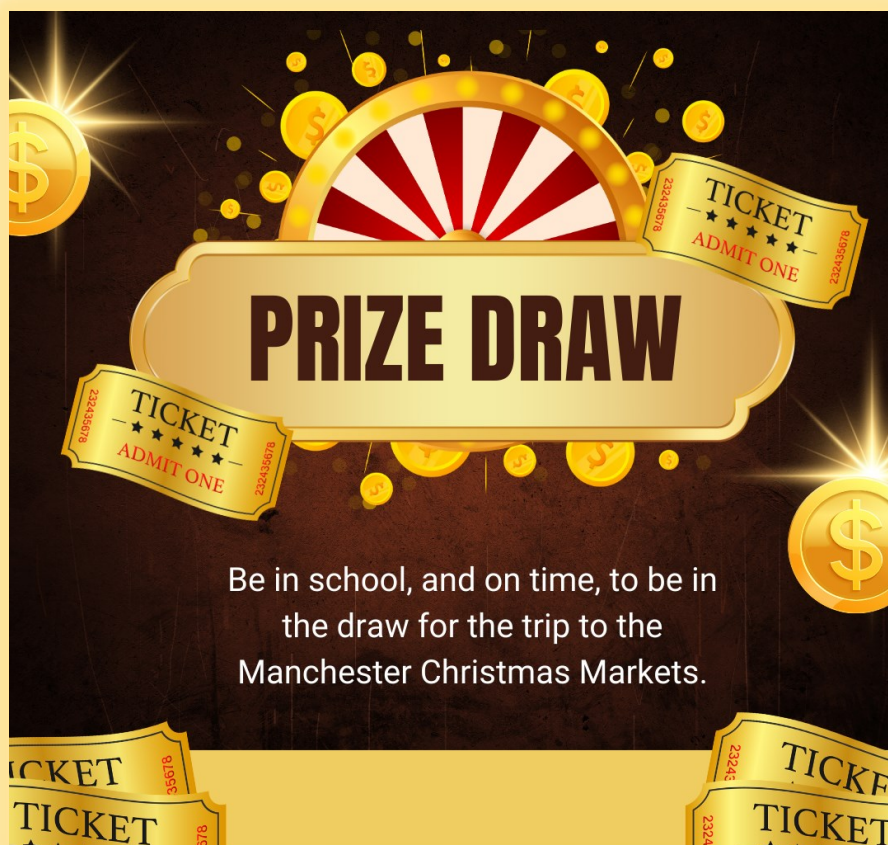
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NOTICES

DONT FORGET

Positive Points win prizes!

Each week we will be entering Sixth Form students who receive the highest number of positive reward points on Class Charts (approximately five students per year group each week) into an end-of-term prize draw. (Students who achieved this last half term will be entered automatically). You can be entered multiple times to increase your chances of winning various prizes, which will include beauty, petrol and food vouchers.

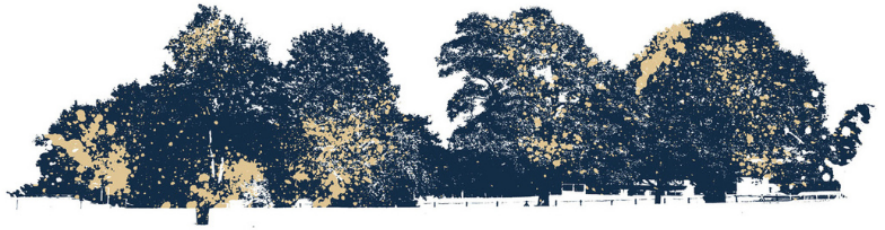


Be in school, and on time, to be in the draw for the trip to the Manchester Christmas Markets.

These students will also be able to collect a **'Skip the queue pass'** from Sixth Form reception to use at break or lunch that week.



WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK



Economics lecture

Professor Raghavendra Rau's lecture *Asymmetric Information – What Is it? And How Does It Affect My Everyday Choices?* has been rescheduled for **Wednesday 27th November** at 2pm.



All are welcome to attend in S106.

- Year 12 - This will be really useful for Economics students and UCAS applications.
- Year 13 - The information may give you an 'edge' in your essays.

Professor Rau is the Sir Evelyn de Rothschild Professor of Finance at Cambridge Judge Business School. He is a past president of the European Finance Association, and a past editor of Financial Management. He is a founder and director of the Cambridge Centre for Alternative Finance (CCAF) and a member of the Cambridge Corporate Governance Network (CCGN).

His research has frequently been covered by the popular press including the New York Times, the Financial Times, The Wall Street Journal and The Economist.

REVISION SUPPORT



Year 13 revision sessions

	Subject	Time	Room
Monday	Economics (A week)	1.15–2pm	S106
Thursday	Sociology	1.30–2pm	S109
	Economics (B week)	1.15–2pm	S106
	Geography NEA advice <i>(until Friday 13th December)</i>	3.20–4.15pm	N105



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OPPORTUNITIES



UCL Education and English Taster Sessions

Institute of Education (IOE) Virtual Taster Sessions

Students and parents are welcome to attend.

- *Monday 25th November*
Psychology with Education BSc, 1–1.45pm and 5–5.30pm
Youth, Society and Sustainable Futures BA, 5.30–6pm
- *Tuesday 26th November*
Early Childhood Education BA, 1.30–2.15pm
Social Sciences BSc, 5–5.30pm
- *Wednesday 27th November*
Education, Society and Culture BA, 12–12.30pm



English BA Virtual Information Sessions, *Wednesday 26th November 2024*

Join the UCL English Undergraduate Admissions Tutor to learn more about the structure and content of its English BA programme and making a competitive application. With modules spanning literature from the seventh century to present day, English BA students benefit from a flexible curriculum plus personalised support through one-to-one tutorial teaching.

Sessions will take place online: *11–12pm and 4–5pm.*

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Cutting-Edge Computing and Maths at Chester

Thursday 28th November, 3.30–5.30pm (online)

At this online session, students will be introduced to the University of Chester's dynamic undergraduate programmes in Computer Science, Software Engineering, Game Design and Development, Data Science, Cybersecurity and Mathematics. The programmes are designed to provide students with a strong foundation in theoretical concepts and equip them with practical skills that employers demand in fields such as cybersecurity, data science, artificial intelligence, and pure mathematics. During the webinar, students will have the chance to:

- Gain insights from experienced lecturers and researchers who are leaders in their fields and passionate about guiding the next generation of innovators.
- Explore how the programmes combine cutting-edge technology, real-world applications, and interdisciplinary approaches to ensure they're ready for the challenges of the modern workplace.
- Find out how students are helped to transition from classroom to career with internships, industry partnerships, and dedicated career development resources.



The event will also showcase Chester's vibrant and supportive learning environment, where small class sizes and personalised guidance help students thrive academically and personally. They'll hear about opportunities to engage in hands-on projects, collaborate with industry, and participate in exciting extra-curricular activities that build their skills and confidence.

To book a place, [click here](#).

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MANCHESTER
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The University of Manchester

University of Manchester Access Programme

Application deadline: Sunday 15th December

The Manchester Access Programme (MAP) is the University of Manchester's central widening participation scheme. The Programme helps Year 12 students in Greater Manchester, who meet specific criteria, gain a place at The University of Manchester, or another research-intensive university, through events, workshops and an academic assignment.

If you successfully complete MAP you can benefit from:

- A reduced offer of up to two A' Level grades below the standard entry requirements for undergraduate courses at the University of Manchester.
- A scholarship of £1300 per year if you study at The University of Manchester.
- Expert advice on your UCAS application and personal statement and an early decision if you apply to the University of Manchester.

For full details about the eligibility criteria, [click here](#).

To find out more, [click here](#) to watch a pre-recorded MAP webinar.

In addition, there is a live MAP webinar on **Wednesday 27th November**, 5.30–6.15pm by Zoom. [Register for the live webinar here](#).





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SOCIAL WORK OPEN EVENT

**THURS 5TH DEC 2024
11AM - 2PM
WARRINGTON CAMPUS**

We would love to invite Level 3 Health & Social Care students to come and have a look around our facilities and hear what studying Social Work at the University of Chester is like!

Key Apprenticeship Links

- [Current apprenticeships in the Warrington area](#)
- [Higher & Degree Apprenticeship Vacancies - October 2024](#)
- [Cheshire and West Apprenticeship Opportunities](#)
- [Search for an apprenticeship – GOV.UK](#)
- [A Guide to Traineeships and Apprenticeships - Lymm Sixth Form](#)
- [Not Going To Uni - Search for Opportunities](#)
- [Liverpool John Moores University - Apprenticeships Courses](#)
- [Manchester Metropolitan University - Become A Degree Apprentice](#)
- [Apprenticeships | University of Salford](#)
- [Programmes - Apprenticeships - The University of Manchester](#)
- [Search apprenticeships | UCAS](#)
- [NHS Apprenticeships](#)
- [Linkedin - Degree Apprenticeships](#)



Need More Help?

Our Careers Advisor, Ms Draper, is available for one-on-one support. Contact Mr Brown at Sixth Form Student Services to book an appointment (nbrown@lymmhigh.org.uk).

Register for New Degree Apprenticeship Alerts:

- [Indeed](#)
- [Total Jobs](#)
- [Rate My Apprenticeship](#)
- [Prospects](#)

Reminder: students who have been selected to attend Tuesday morning sessions with the Careers Advisor go to N201 (please note: if your Form is 13TH, WH, WL, DH, AL and completing mock interviews this week please attend the interview rather than attending the careers meeting this week only).



Apprenticeship Spotlight:

Digital UX Professional Integrated Degree Apprentice

- **Company:** AJ Bell www.ajbell.co.uk
- **Qualification:** Digital user experience (UX) professional (integrated degree) (level 6) (Equal to degree)
- **Location:** Manchester
- **University/Training provider:** Manchester Metropolitan University
- **Salary:** £22K per annum
- **Start date:** September 2025
- **Application Deadline:** Friday 13th December

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



CAREERS

Our [careers website](#) includes a [calendar of events](#), [labour market information](#) and a link to [Unifrog](#).



In Cheshire and Warrington, the industry sectors that are growing include life science, digital & technology, logistics & distribution, energy, zero carbon and clean growth. Find out more [here](#).

Key sectors with significant levels of employment are: chemicals, manufacturing & engineering, finance & business services, and health & social care.

Upcoming Events

- **Computer Science Careers Day**
Saturday 23rd November
- **Insight to BDO Manchester event**
*Thursday 28th November,
5–7.30pm, Britannia Hotel*
- **Engineering Careers Day**
Saturday 7th December
- **Insight to KPMG virtual event**
Monday 9th December, 5–6pm
- **Year 12 and 13 in-person Law event with TLT**
Monday 9th December, Manchester, 5–7.30pm
- **Waterside Apprenticeship Open Evening**
Wednesday 11th December, 5–7pm
- **Virtual work experience with the Highways Agency**
Wednesday 11th December, 5pm

For details of all these events and more, [click here](#).

Insight to KPMG virtual event

Monday 9th December, 5–6pm

KPMG in the UK is part of a global network of independent firms that offers Audit, Consulting, Deal Advisory, KPMG Business Services, Tax & Law and Technology services. Like the organisations they work with, KPMG is truly embracing change, and creating a tech-driven, sustainable business that empowers their people to connect, collaborate and deliver exceptional work with a lasting impact on the world.

This event with Young Professionals, delivered via Zoom, will allow you to learn about the professional experience and skills you would develop if you started a career with KPMG. You'll also get the chance to learn about the various apprenticeship and work experience programmes on offer.

This is an incredible opportunity to hear from some of KPMG's senior leaders and to get an inside glimpse into the world of professional services.

To secure your place, [click here](#).



Year 12 and 13 in-person Law event with TLT

Monday 9th December, Manchester, 5–7.30pm

This in-person Law Insight Day hosted by TLT at their Manchester office is a fantastic opportunity to learn directly from professionals, gain insights into the legal profession, and discover pathways to a successful legal career.

TLT is a leading UK law firm known for its innovative approach, diverse culture, and commitment to developing future talent. This event is perfect for anyone considering a career in law or exploring opportunities at one of the UK's top firms.

- Hear from lawyers and trainees about their experiences at the firm, including insights into TLT's values, culture and practice areas.
- Learn about the opportunities available at TLT, including solicitor apprenticeships, internships and training contracts.
- Participate in engaging sessions to develop skills essential for a career in law, such as problem-solving, communication and teamwork.
- Connect directly with TLT professionals, ask questions, and build valuable relationships to guide your future career journey.

Whether you're exploring solicitor apprenticeships or looking ahead to graduate training contracts, this event provides the insights and guidance you need to make informed decisions.

To register to attend, [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 and webinars. Students can browse these events and engage with higher education from the comfort of their mobile, tablet or computer.

UCAS

- **University of Manchester Access Programme webinar**
Wednesday 27th November
- **Liverpool Hope Open Days**
Wednesday 4th December
Wednesday 8th January 2025

- **Manchester Metropolitan University**
Saturday 23rd November
For further information, [click here](#).
- **University of Chester School of Education Experience Day**
Friday 13th December, 10–2pm
- **University of Chester Open Day**
Saturday 18th January 2025

For details of these events and more, [click here](#) to access our dedicated UCAS webpage, and click the button '**What's on this month**'.