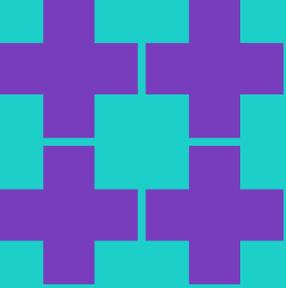




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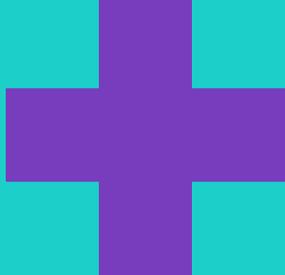
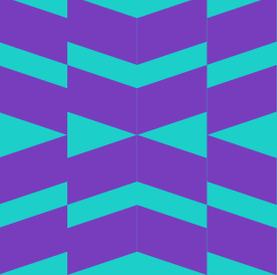
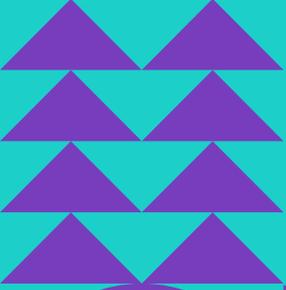
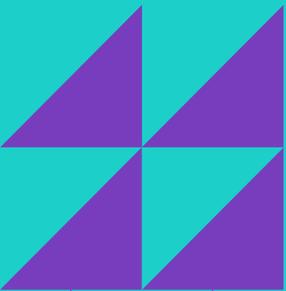


WELCOME

Our School and College team and academic departments offer a number of presentations, workshops and events.

These are designed to provide your students with the advice and guidance they need to make key decisions regarding their future.

Take a look at our booklet to see what we can offer you and get in touch if you require further information.



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UCAS FAIR

Fusehill Street Campus, Carlisle
Thursday 2nd May, 2019

The University of Cumbria will be hosting the annual Cumbria UCAS Fair for the second time in 2019.

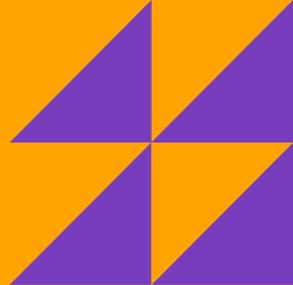
In 2018 we were full to capacity and spaces filled fast, so be sure to book early! Universities from across the country will be represented and seminars will be available to students on the following topics:

- Exploring post-18 options
- Applying to university through UCAS
- All you need to know about apprenticeships
- Personal statements
- Student finance
- Applying to Oxford and Cambridge
- Applying for medicine, dentistry and veterinary sciences
- Sport
- Science
- Nursing
- Creative industries
- Routes into teaching
- Law

Group bookings will be available via UCAS.



PRE-16 ACTIVITIES



STUDENT MENTORING

Age: Year 9

Student mentors work with a group of pupils over a six-week period, delivering aspiration raising sessions. The programme ends with an opportunity to visit our campus.

YOUNG MEN INTO HE

Age: Year 9 and 10

Our Young Men into HE campus visits will take place in March (Year 10) and June (Year 9).

These visits are designed to introduce boys to higher education, particularly university life and study.

Activities will focus on increasing knowledge and awareness of university, enabling students to make informed decisions regarding their future educational and career pathways.

For more information and to book, please email outreach@cumbria.ac.uk

CAREERS FAIRS

Age: Years 9 and 10

We're more than happy to attend your parents' evenings, careers fairs and options evenings.

CAMPUS VISITS

Age: Years 9 and 10

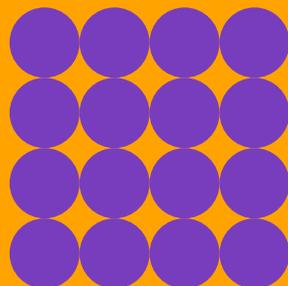
An ideal opportunity for your students to experience university life, on campus.

Campus visits are available at our Ambleside, Carlisle, Lancaster and London campuses and our programme can be customised to meet your student's academic interests:

Welcome to the University of Cumbria	10:00 – 10:30
Weird and Wonderful Courses	10:30 – 11:30
Campus Tour or NEW - Student Life Game	11:30 – 12:15
Lunch	12:15 – 13:00
Subject Workshop (split into two groups)	13:00 – 14:00
Evaluation	14:00 – 14:30

Complete your programme by choosing from the following subject workshops:

- Teaching
- Criminology
- Film and TV
- Health
- Conservation
- Sport



POST-16 ACTIVITIES



PRESENTATIONS AND WORKSHOPS

Age: Year 12, 13 and Access students

- Choosing a Course and University
- Applying and Personal Statements
- Student Finance
- **NEW** - Interview Techniques Video which can be shared with your students
- **NEW** - Life Skills Workshops including sessions on finance and money, independent living, health and well-being, and managing further study.

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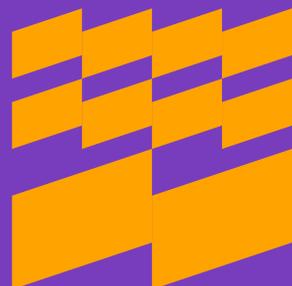
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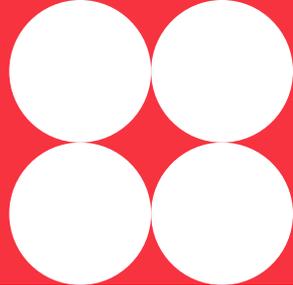
There is no better way for your students to get a feel for university life and support their transition to higher education than to visit one of our campuses. Campus visits are available at our Ambleside, Carlisle, Lancaster and London campuses.

Welcome to the University of Cumbria	10:00 – 10:30
Workshop 1	10:30 – 11:30
Workshop 2	11:30 – 12:30
Lunch	12:30 – 13:15
Workshop 3	13:15 – 14:15
Evaluation	14:15 – 14:45

Customise our programme with a campus tour, presentations and workshops from the list above or academic sessions at your request.



WIDENING PARTICIPATION



The University of Cumbria is committed and passionate about widening participation and access to higher education.



We offer a comprehensive package of support for the following under-represented groups and can subsidise travel for schools and colleges who meet our criteria below.

The Outreach team offer an enriched package of support for under-represented groups including:

- Children looked after and young care leavers
- Young carers
- Disadvantaged white males
- Disabled students
- BME students
- Mature students

This bespoke package of support may include:

- Specific events and open days
- Designated pre and post entry contact
- Mentoring
- Campus visits
- Contribution towards travel costs to events

Up to 50% of travel costs can be reimbursed for schools and colleges who meet the following criteria:

- The number of students who receive free school meals is above 15%
- The Indices of Multiple Deprivation (IMD) score for the school postcode is between 1 and 3
- The number of students achieving Grade 5 or above in both English and Maths GCSEs is below 40%

Please get in touch if you are visiting from outside our local area and need support with transport costs.



CPD FOR TEACHERS

We value our relationships with schools and colleges. Working together allows us to learn from one another and to support your students in the most effective way.

We're more than happy to provide the following sessions in school at INSET or training days. But if we can support you in any other way, perhaps giving your students access to our outstanding facilities or linking you up with academics in your field to discuss opportunities to work together, please get in touch.

REFERENCE WRITING FOR TEACHERS

This session is aimed at teachers, course tutors and careers advisors who are responsible for writing students' references.

What are Admissions Tutors looking for?

And how can you make a difference to a student's application?

UCAS AND PERSONAL STATEMENT WRITING

If you're new to UCAS, this session is perfect for you. A back to basics presentation on how students should apply for university and the importance of the personal statement.



MASTERCLASSES

Masterclasses give students the opportunity to explore academic subjects of interest beyond what's covered in the school curriculum.

Each masterclass is delivered by a leading member of academic staff and is specifically designed for year 12 and 13 students. They offer an insight into undergraduate study and encourage topical debate.



NEW!

We're really pleased to be able to award students who complete a masterclass up to 24 UCAS points, redeemable on University of Cumbria courses only.

The student will receive a reduced offer on application. This is only available on selected courses and criteria applies.

A full programme of on-campus masterclasses is available on our website and booking is essential. Titles include:

- RSPB Hen Harrier Life
- Festival of Mental Health
- Eyewitness Testimony
- The Crown Court Experience
- Royal Society of Biology – Careers in Conservation
- Offender Profiling
- Careers in Science Conference
- National Law Conference
- Psychology in the Real World
- The Psychology of Gender and Sexuality
- Group Leading with Children, Young People and Families
- Your Degree, Your Future: Celebrating with Cumbria Law School
- Royal Society of Chemistry – Spectroscopy Labs
- VO2 Max and Energy Systems
- Sex Workers and Policing
- Contemporary Policing Challenges
- The Role of the Investigator
- Combating Terrorism

Our academics are also happy to deliver masterclasses in school or college at your request.

www.cumbria.ac.uk/masterclasses

FUTURE PROGRAMMES

An online programme for students considering one of the following programmes of study.

Students will find out more about the course, receive application support and interview hints and tips.

By successfully attending 2 webinars, year 12 students will receive a **guaranteed interview and lower offer** to study at the University of Cumbria.

This is only available on selected courses and criteria applies.

- Teaching
- Nursing (Adult, Mental Health and Learning Disability)
- Occupational Therapy
- Diagnostic Radiography
- Performing Arts courses
- Creative Arts courses
- Policing, Security Intelligence and Investigative Practice
- Science courses

To find out more visit:

www.cumbria.ac.uk/futureyou



SUMMER UNIVERSITY 2019

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University of Cumbria Summer Schools are the perfect opportunity for students from across the UK to experience higher education first-hand and receive UCAS application support.

They will take part in a selection of academic and key skills sessions, helping them to make vital decisions about their next steps.

The summer school is FREE, including the cost of travel to/from campus.



NEW - We're really pleased to be able to award students who complete a year 12/13 summer school 16 UCAS points, redeemable on University of Cumbria courses only*.

SUMMER UNIVERSITY DATES 2019

YEAR 10 & 11

Tuesday 9th -
Thursday 11th July
Carlisle campuses

YEAR 12 & 13

Tuesday 9th -
Friday 12th July
Lancaster campus

YEAR 12 & 13

Monday 15th -
Wednesday 17th July
Ambleside campus



NEW - For the first time in 2019 we'll be hosting a summer school at our campus in Ambleside, in the middle of the Lake District National Park.

**Please note this is only available on selected courses and criteria applies.*

OPEN DAYS 2018/19

AMBLESIDE

Saturday 13th October
Saturday 10th November
Wednesday 13th February, 2019
Saturday 29th June
Saturday 17th August

CARLISLE, BRAMPTON ROAD

Saturday 6th October
Saturday 3rd November
Saturday 8th June, 2019
Saturday 17th August

CARLISLE, FUSEHILL STREET

Saturday 13th October
Saturday 17th November
Saturday 22nd June, 2019
Saturday 17th August

LANCASTER

Saturday 6th October
Saturday 3rd November
Saturday 29th June, 2019
Saturday 17th August

LONDON

Wednesday 17th October
Saturday 10th November
Wednesday 5th June, 2019
Saturday 17th August

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