

College & Sixth Form Open Events

2023-2024



<u>Please always check college websites before open events for any booking</u> <u>details or event changes.</u> Family & Friends are welcome to attend with you!

SALFORD CITY COLLEGE (5 CENTRES ACROSS SALFORD)

Pendleton Sixth Form College

Sat 23rd September 2023, 10.00am - 12.00pm Thu 9th November 2023, 5.00pm - 7.00pm Tue 5th December 2023, 5.00pm - 7.00pm

City Skills Centre

Mon 2nd October 2023, 5.00pm-7.00pm Mon 30th October 2023, 5.00-7.00pm Sat 2nd March 2024, 10.00am-12.00pm

Eccles Sixth Form College

Tue 26th September 2023, 5.00pm-7.00pm Tue 7th November 2023, 5.00pm-7.00pm Sat 9th December 2023, 10.00am-2.00pm Tue 5th March 2024, 5.00pm-7.00pm

Loreto College

Sat 7th October 2023 - 10am-12pm or 1-3pm Sun 15th October 2023 - 10am-12pm or 1-3pm *Please book via website*

Xaverian College

Sat 7th October 2023 - 10:30am-2:00pm Sun 15th October 2023 - 10:30am-2:00pm Please book via website

The Sixth Form Bolton

Sat 7th October 2023 - 10.30am - 1.30pm Wed 22nd November 2023 - 5.30pm - 7.30pm Tue 23rd January 2024 - 5.30pm - 7.30pm *Please book via website*

Winstanley College

Thu 5th October 2023 - 5.00pm-7.00pm Wed 18th October 2023 - 5.00pm-7.00pm Wed 1st November 2023 - 5.00pm-7.00pm

Urmston Grammar Sixth Form

Thu 16th November 2023 - 6.00pm - 8.00pm Please book via website

Worsley College

Mon 25th September 2023,5.00pm-7.00pm Mon 6th November 2023, 5.00pm-7.00pm Mon 4th March 2024, 5.00pm-7.00pm

Future Skills @ MediaCityUK

Wed 27th September 2023, 5.00pm-7.00pm Sat 4th November 2023, 10.00am-12.00pm Wed 6th March 2024, 5.00pm-7.00pm

UTC - Media City UK

Wed 18th October 2023 - 5:30pm- 7:30pm *Please book via college website*.

Trafford College

Thu 21st September 2023 - 4.30pm-7.00pm Sat 4th November 2023 - 10.30am-1.00pm Thu 14th March 2024- 4.30pm-7.00pm

Access Creative College (Manchester)

Sat 4th Nov 2023 - 11.00am-2.00pm Sat 2nd Dec 2023 - 11.00am-2.00pm Tues 27th Feb 2024 - 6.00pm-7:30pm Sat 20th Apr 2024 - 11.00am-2.00pm Tues 25th Jun 2024 - 6.00pm-7:30pm

Bolton College

Tue 17th October 2023 - 5:00pm-8:00pm Wed 15th November 2023 - 5:00pm-8:00pm Thu 14th December 2023 - 5:00pm-8:00pm Tue 6th February 2024 -5:00pm-8:00pm

The Manchester College

Thu 12th October 2023 - 5.00-7.00pm Thu 23rd November 2023 - 5.00-7.00pm Thu 7th March 2024 - 5.00-7.00pm

Y11s: Information for College & Sixth Form open events

Open Events are really important to attend if you are thinking of doing further studies after your GCSEs. It is your chance to RESEARCH different places and courses, and find out what options are best for YOU.

Even if you are not thinking of this pathway (for example if you want to do an apprenticeship instead) it is still important to consider researching colleges or sixth form as a backup plan; so still try and visit a few places!

- Before you attend an open event, it is a good idea to do some research first check on the college or sixth form website to see if they offer the courses you are interested in - this can also help explore different options if you are not sure what courses you want to do yet
- You can attend as many open events as you like in fact, it is a good idea to attend at least 2 or 3 different places so you can make a fair comparison
- You are welcome to bring along family members and friends (just double check college websites in case you need to register!)
- Make sure you ask lots of questions for example you might have questions about different courses, about the <u>entry requirements</u> (what GCSE grades you might need) or questions on careers or university. Don't be afraid to ask the colleges if you have any questions or worries they will be happy to help! ^(C)
- There is no commitment to apply to a college or sixth form at an open event (application deadlines are typically around Christmas time and you can request support for this in school)

Careers Advice & Guidance

<u>All</u> Y11 pupils will be offered a **Careers Guidance Interview** with Mr Farmer, the school careers adviser, from September 2023 onwards to discuss future plans after Y11.

Mr Farmer is available in Moorside High Monday, Tuesdays and Wednesdays and is based in the Careers Office (2nd floor, Next to B202 Music room - near Humanities!)



To request a meeting with Mr Farmer, pupils can see him in school or ask your form teacher to request this for you. You can also request a meeting through Miss Aitken, Head of Year 11.