

SIXTH FORM CORE 2025 - 2026

Autumn Term

All Core sessions are in the Main School Hall, unless otherwise identified below.

	DATE	WEEK	YEAR	EVENT	VENUE	STAFF	COMPULSORY OPTIONAL	
TERM 1	Friday 5 September	1	12	The Year Ahead / Introduction to VESPA & Unifrog	Main Hall	Mr Smith	Compulsory	
	Friday 12 September	2	13	Vision: Choosing the Right Course (and University) Newcastle University	Main Hall	Mrs Green	Compulsory	
	Friday 19 September	1	12	Systems: Plagiarism & Referencing	Main Hall	Mr Smith	Compulsory	
	Friday 26 September	2	13	Vision: Interview Success University of Lincoln	Main Hall	Mrs Green	Compulsory	
	Friday 3 October	1	12	Systems: Study Skills, Note Taking & Essay Writing University of Lincoln	Main Hall	Mr Smith	Compulsory	
	Friday 10 October	2	13	Study Habits: Kickstarting Your Final Year	Main Hall	Mrs Green	Compulsory	
	Friday 17 October	1	12	Vision: Why go to University? Nottingham Trent	Main Hall	Mr Smith	Compulsory	
	Friday 24 October	2	(13)	No Core Session. Staff Training Day.				
TERM 2	Friday 7 November	1	12	Study Skills: Establishing Effective Study Habits	Main Hall	Mr Smith	Compulsory	
	Friday 14 November	2	13	Overview of Assessment Centres	Main Hall	Mrs Green	Compulsory	
	Friday 21 November	1	12	Vision: Why Consider Alternative Routes (Apprenticeships, Forces & Employment)?	Main Hall	Mr Smith	Compulsory	
	Friday 28 November	2	13	No Core Session. Staff Training Day.				
	Friday 5 December	1	12	Vision: Work Experience Launch	Sports Hall	Mr Smith	Compulsory	
	Friday 12 December	2	13	Future Self-Marketing & the Importance of Building Connections	Main Hall	Mrs Green	Compulsory	
	Friday 19 December	1	12	Safe Driving	Main Hall	Mr Smith	Compulsory	

Notes: Main School Hall used for Year 11 exams during w/c 24 November & w/c 1 December.

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Spring Term

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	DATE	WEEK	YEAR	EVENT	VENUE	STAFF	COMPULSORY OPTIONAL
TERM 3	Friday 9 January	2	13	Register & Be a Lifesaver Anthony Nolan Trust	Sports Hall	Mrs Green	Compulsory
	Friday 16 January	1	12	Vision: Apprenticeship Awareness & Traineeships National Apprenticeship Service	Main Hall	Mr Smith	Compulsory
	Friday 23 January	2	13	British Political System/Voting	Main Hall	Mr Quinton Mrs Green	Compulsory
	Friday 30 January	1	12	Vision: Degree-Apprenticeship Workshop Sheffield Hallam University	Sports Hall	Mr Smith	Compulsory
				Vision: Applying for Medicine and Dentistry Newcastle University	Room 43	Mrs Phoenix	Optional
	Friday 6 February	2	13	No Core Session (Year 13 Exams)	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Friday 13 February	1	12	Breast Cancer: Symptoms, Checking & Diagnosis CoppaFee!	Main Hall	Mr Smith	Compulsory
TERM 4	Friday 27 February	2	13	Managing Exam Stress	Main Hall	Mrs Green	Compulsory
	Friday 6 March	1	12	Systems: Writing your Personal Statement University of East Anglia	Main Hall	Mr Smith	Compulsory
	Friday 13 March	2	13	Systems: Student Finance Bishop Grosseteste University	Sports Hall	Mrs Green	Compulsory
	Friday 20 March	1	12	Vision: Making the Most of an Open Day University of Lincoln	Sports Hall	Mr Smith	Compulsory
	Friday 27 March	2	13	Vision: Student Life University of East Anglia (UEA)	Main Hall	Mrs Green	Compulsory

Notes: Main School Hall used for Year 13 exams during w/c 5 January & w/c 12 January.
Main School Hall used for Year 10 exams during w/c 9 March & w/c 16 March (although Core subjects will be in the Sports Hall).

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Summer Term

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	DATE	WEEK	YEAR	EVENT	VENUE	STAFF	COMPULSORY OPTIONAL
TERM 5	Friday 24 April	2	13	Vision: Transition to University University of East Anglia	Sports Hall	Mrs Green	Compulsory
	Friday 1 May	1	12 (13)	How to Apply to University and for an Apprenticeship	Main Hall	Mr Smith	Compulsory
	Friday 8 May	2	13	Preparing to Live Independently	Sports Hall	Mrs Green	Compulsory
	Friday 15 May	1	12 (13)	No Core Session Year 13 Leavers' Assembly & Core	Sports Hall	Mrs Phoenix/ Mrs Green	Compulsory
	Friday 22 May	2	13	School Sports Day (Leadership & Volunteering Opportunities)	Boston Sports Arena	N/A	Optional
TERM 6	Friday 5 June	1	12	Apprenticeship Ambassadors	Sports Hall	Mr Smith	Compulsory
	Friday 12 June	2	13	No Core Session			
			12	Early Applicant Interview Preparation	Room 43	Mr Smith/ Mrs Green	Optional
	Friday 19 June	1	12	Testicular Cancer Awareness Oddballs Foundation	Sports Hall	Mr Smith	Compulsory
	Friday 26 June	2	13 12	No Core Session Vision: SJSF Post-18 Visit Day University of Sheffield, De Montfort (Leicestershire), Lincolnshire Showground	Various	Sixth Form Team	Compulsory
	Friday 3 July	1	12	Positives and Negatives of Gaming & Gambling	Main Hall	Mr Smith	Compulsory
	Friday 10 July	2	13	No Core Session	N/A	N/A	N/A
	Friday 17 July	1	12	Gap Years Year Out Group	Main Hall	Mr Smith	Compulsory
Monday 20- Wednesday 22 July	2		Year 12 Work Experience Week	Various	N/A	N/A	

*Notes: Main School Hall will be used for public examinations during Thursday 7 May and Friday 20 June. The Sports Hall will occasionally be used during this period.
Main School Hall used for Year 12 exams during Thursday 23 April & Friday 24 April.*