



CAREERS PROGRAMME CALENDAR 2026-27

AUG SEP OCT NOV DEC JAN FEB MAR APR MAY JUN JUL

GATSBY	HIGHER EDUCATION	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL
8 & 3	University Advice and Support Drop-ins/Appointments	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
8 & 3	UCAS Extra Advice and Support Drop-ins/Appointments							●	●	●	●	●	
8 & 3	UCAS Clearing Advice and Support Drop-ins/Appointments	●	●									●	●
7 & 4	Higher Education and the UCAS Application Tutorials L3		●	●									
2 & 1	Options after Level 3 - HE and Apprenticeships								●	●	●		
1, 8 & 3	UCAS Personal Statement and Application Checking	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
1	UCAS Application Process and Student Finance Parent Webinar										●		
1 & 4	Student Finance Personal Development Talks L3			●	●								
8 & 3	Student Finance Support Appointments Available	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
GATSBY	FURTHER EDUCATION AND PROGRESSION												
4, 2, 8 & 3	Making Informed Course Choices	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
2 & 4	Options After College - Tutorials							●	●				
2, 8 & 3	Apprenticeship Support and Advice Service	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
4, 8 & 3	Internal Progression Process								●	●	●		
GATSBY	EVENTS												
3 & 8	Results Day(s)/Enrolment - Careers Advice Available	●	●										
5 & 2	Guest Speakers - Employers		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	
7	HE Fair			●									
5 & 2	National Apprenticeship							●					
5, 2 & 7	National Careers Week								●				
7	University Discovery Days - Stamford, Peterborough & UCP											●	
4, 5 & 6	Faculty Based Careers Activities			●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	
GATSBY	EMPLOYABILITY												
4 & 1	Employability Tutorials - Skills Analysis				●	●	●	●	●	●	●		
4, 1 & 2	Employability Tutorials - Job Search and LMI				●	●	●	●	●	●	●		
4 & 1	How to Apply for an Apprenticeship	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
4 & 1	Employability Tutorials - CV Writing				●	●	●	●	●	●	●		
4 & 1	Employability Tutorials - Interview Preparation				●	●	●	●	●	●	●		
6, 1 & 5	Work Experience and Industry Placements		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	
6 & 1	Volunteering Opportunities		●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	
4 & 8	CV Job Searches/Applications - Drop-ins/Appointments	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
GATSBY	CAREERS GUIDANCE												
3 & 8	Careers Guidance Interviews - Drop-ins/Appointments	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●

GATSBY BENCHMARK KEY

- 1 - Stable Careers Programme
- 2 - Labour Market Information
- 3 - Addressing Needs of Individuals
- 4 - Linking Learning to Careers
- 5 - Encounters with Employers
- 6 - Experience of Workplaces
- 7 - Encounters with Higher Education
- 8 - Receiving Personal Guidance

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IMPORTANT DATES

Personal Statement Deadline
1 November 2026

College UCAS Deadline
1 December 2026

UCAS Deadline
13 January 2027

National Apprenticeship Week
8-12 February 2027

National Careers Week
1 - 5 March 2027



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