



15th September 2026

Dear Parent/Carer,

University Open Days 2026

Attending open days is an ideal opportunity for your child to speak with lecturers and student ambassadors to get a better idea about potential degrees and what each individual university has to offer. You can also ask questions about accommodation and facilities. Some universities have not released their 2026/2027 Open Days. You will need to check for updates on their websites throughout the year.

All open days are free to attend. Any mid-week visits would be recorded as an authorised absence, as this is seen as a recognised educational day. Some require you to register beforehand on their website. Each university will have bespoke modules for courses, so we highly recommend going to visit each university your child is thinking of applying to.

Please find attached a list of upcoming open days for Russell Group Universities in the UK

Russell Group Universities

University of Birmingham- Saturday 10th October 2026, Saturday 14th November 2026.

University of Bristol- Saturday 31st October 2026

University of Cambridge- Thursday 8th July 2027- Colleges Open Day, Friday 9th July 2027- Full University Open Days, Friday 10th September 2027- Colleges Open Day

Cardiff University- Saturday 17th October 2026

Durham University- Friday 18th September 2026, Saturday 19th September 2026

University of Edinburgh- Saturday 26th September 2026, Saturday 24th October 2026

University of Exeter- Saturday 3rd October 2026 Exeter Campuses Devon- Streatham & St Luke's Campus, Saturday 10th October 2026- Penryn Campus Cornwall, Saturday 24th October 2026 Exeter Campuses Devon- Streatham & St Luke's Campus, Wednesday 2nd June 2027- Penryn Campus Cornwall, Friday 4th June 2027 Streatham & St Luke's Campus Devon, Saturday 5th June 2027 Exeter Campuses Devon- Streatham & St Luke's Campus

University of Glasgow- Saturday 3rd October 2026 Dumfries Campus, Saturday 24th October 2026 Gilmorehill Campus 2026

Imperial College London- June 2027 and September 2027- To be confirmed

King's College London (KCL)- June 2027, July 2027, September 2027- To be confirmed

University of Leeds- Saturday 3rd October 2026, Saturday 17th October 2026

University of Liverpool- Saturday 26th September 2026, Saturday 10th October 2026, Online Open Events- 2nd-6th November 2026

London School of Economics (LSE)- April 2027 and July 2027- To be confirmed

University of Manchester- Saturday 3rd October 2026, Saturday 17th October 2026

Newcastle University- Saturday 3rd October 2026, Saturday 21st November 2026

University of Nottingham- Saturday 10th October 2026, Sunday 18th October 2026 and Saturday 14th November 2026- Virtual Open Days

University of Oxford- Friday 18th September 2026

Queen Mary University of London- Saturday 10th October 2026



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Queen's University Belfast- Saturday 3rd October 2026
University of Sheffield- Saturday 10th October 2026, Saturday 24th October 2026
University of Southampton- Saturday 3rd October 2026, Sunday 4th October 2026
University College London (UCL)- June 2027- To be confirmed
University of Warwick- Saturday 10th October 2026, Saturday 24th October 2026
University of York- Saturday 10th October 2026, Saturday 24th October 2026

All other university open day events are listed on the following websites:

<https://www.whatuni.com/open-days/search/>

<https://www.opendays.com/calendar/>

Yours faithfully



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