



# College & Sixth Form Open Events 2025-2026



**Please always check college websites before events for booking details or changes.**

**Family & Friends are welcome to attend!**

## SALFORD CITY COLLEGE (5 CENTRES ACROSS SALFORD)

*Please book via college website*

### Pendleton Sixth Form College

Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> September 2025, 10am – 12pm

Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> October 2025, 5pm – 7pm

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> November 2025, 5pm – 7pm

### City Skills Centre

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2025, 5pm – 7pm

Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> December 2025, 10am – 12pm

### Eccles Sixth Form College

Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> October 2025, 5pm – 7pm

Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> November 2025, 5pm – 7pm

### Worsley College

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> October 2025, 5pm – 7pm

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> December 2025, 5pm – 7pm

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2026, 5pm – 7pm

### Future Skills @ MediaCityUK

Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> October 2025, 5pm – 7pm

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> November 2025, 10am – 12pm

### Loreto College

Sat 11<sup>th</sup> October 2025 - 10am - 12pm or 1pm - 3pm

Sun 19<sup>th</sup> October 2025 - 10am - 12pm or 1pm - 3pm

*Please book via website*

### Xaverian College

Sat 11<sup>th</sup> October 2025 - 10:30am – 2:00pm

Sun 19<sup>th</sup> October 2025 - 10:30am – 2:00pm

*Please book via website*

### The Sixth Form Bolton

Wed 8<sup>th</sup> October 2025 – 5.00pm – 8.00pm

Sat 22<sup>th</sup> November 2025 – 10.00am – 1.30pm

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### Winstanley College

Sat 27 September 2025 – 9.30am - 12.30pm

Wed 22<sup>nd</sup> October 2025 – 5.00pm - 8.00pm

Thu 13<sup>th</sup> November 2025 – 5.00pm - 8.00pm

*Please book via website*

### Urmston Grammar Sixth Form

Wed 12<sup>th</sup> November 2025 – 6.00pm – 8.30pm

*Please book via website*

### Trafford College

Sat 18<sup>th</sup> October 2025 - 10.00am-2.00pm

*Please book via college website.*

### UTC – Media City UK

Thu 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2025 – 5.00pm – 8.00pm

*Please book via college website.*

### Access Creative College (Manchester)

Sat 18<sup>th</sup> October 2025 – 11am – 2.00pm

Sat 29<sup>th</sup> November 2025 – 11am – 2.00pm

*Please book via college website*

### Bolton College

Wed 15<sup>th</sup> October 2025 - 5pm - 8pm

Tue 18<sup>th</sup> November 2025 - 5pm - 8pm

Mon 15<sup>th</sup> December 2025 - 5pm - 8pm

Mon 9<sup>th</sup> February 2026 - 5pm - 8pm

Thu 12<sup>th</sup> March 2026 - 5pm - 8pm

Tue 12<sup>th</sup> May 2026 - 5pm - 8pm

*Please book via college website*

### The Manchester College

Tue 7<sup>th</sup> October 2025 – 5.00pm - 7.00pm

Sat 15<sup>th</sup> November 2025 – 10.00am - 1.00pm

Thu 5<sup>th</sup> March 2026 – 5.00 - 7.00pm

*Please book via college website*

### ADA Manchester (National College for Digital Skills)

Thu 2<sup>nd</sup> October 2025 – 5.00pm-7.00pm

Thu 6<sup>th</sup> November 2025 – 5.00-7.00pm

*Please book via college website*

### The Growth Company GM Skills Centre, Trafford

(Pre-Apprenticeships in Construction, Automotive & Engineering)

Thu 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2025 - 4pm - 6pm

Thu 27<sup>th</sup> November 2025 - 4pm - 6pm

Thu 29<sup>th</sup> January 2026 - 4pm - 6pm

Thu 26<sup>th</sup> February 2026 - 4pm - 6pm

Thu 26<sup>th</sup> March 2026 - 4pm - 6pm

Thu 30<sup>th</sup> April 2026 - 4pm - 6pm

**No booking required!**

## 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 for tickets!*)
- Make sure you ask lots of questions – for example you might have questions about different courses, about the **entry requirements** (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! ☺**
- There is no commitment to apply to a college or sixth form at an open event, though you may be able to do this on the day if you wish (college application deadlines are typically around Christmas time and you can request support with this in school)

## Careers Advice & Guidance

All Y11 pupils will be offered a **Careers Guidance Meeting** with Mr Farmer or Miss Farooq (the school careers advisers) from September 2025 onwards to discuss future plans after school.

Mr Farmer is available Ellesmere Park High School on **Thursdays & Fridays** and is based in the Careers Office  
(Middle of B Floor – in between Science and Art!)



To request a meeting, students can ask Mr Farmer or Miss Farooq in school or ask your form teacher to request this for you.

You can also request a meeting through Mrs Kavanagh, Head of Year 11.

Y11 Parents & Carers are also welcome to contact Mr Farmer for any help or support – Mr Farmer can be contacted at school via phone (0161 507 6420) or by email – [simon.farmer@consilium-at.com](mailto:simon.farmer@consilium-at.com).