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Dear Parents and Carers,

This is the time of year to be encouraging your sons and daughters to make plans for the summer. With so many opportunities, especially for year 12s, there should be something for everyone!

This letter focuses on events run by Cambridge University but there will be lots run by London Universities amongst others.

Lots of these events will fill up quickly so I strongly recommend booking as soon as possible.

There are also academic competitions run by lots of the Oxford and Cambridge Colleges and having entered these is an excellent way for your sons and daughters to evidence having studied their subjects beyond the A level curriculum.

Below is a selection of what is available, but I encourage you to search the internet with your sons and daughters to find something that appeals. All the events detailed below are free.

**Aiming High: She Talks Science- Homerton College Cambridge day course on 21<sup>st</sup> April for year 12 girls who want to learn more about where a science degree could take them.** <https://www.murrayedwards.cam.ac.uk/study-with-us-undergraduates/open-days-events-and-visits/aiming-high-she-talks-science>



[Aiming High: She Talks Science | Murray Edwards College ...](https://www.murrayedwards.cam.ac.uk/study-with-us-undergraduates/open-days-events-and-visits/aiming-high-she-talks-science)

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Aiming High: She Talks Science. A one day conference based on our successful science blog: Talk to inspiring women about their careers in science

**Gonville and Caius College, Cambridge- Competitions in Linguistics, History, English and Engineering for year 12 students with prizes of up to £600 to be won. Closing date 29<sup>th</sup> May.** [https://www.cai.cam.ac.uk/working-schools/caius-schools-prizes?mc\\_cid=9f504ca513&mc\\_eid=9fa4195e0c](https://www.cai.cam.ac.uk/working-schools/caius-schools-prizes?mc_cid=9f504ca513&mc_eid=9fa4195e0c)

**6<sup>th</sup> form Work Experience in July for A level Biology students at the Gurdon Institute, Cambridge.** [https://www.gurdon.cam.ac.uk/public-engagement/workexperience?mc\\_cid=9f504ca513&mc\\_eid=9fa4195e0c](https://www.gurdon.cam.ac.uk/public-engagement/workexperience?mc_cid=9f504ca513&mc_eid=9fa4195e0c)

**London Anthropology Day- in July, but already taking bookings.** <https://londonanthropologyday.co.uk>

**Selwyn College Cambridge Year 12 Summer School- deadline for applications April 13<sup>th</sup>.** [http://www.sel.cam.ac.uk/prospective-students/undergraduate/access-outreach/selwyn-college-summer-school/?mc\\_cid=9f504ca513&mc\\_eid=9fa4195e0c](http://www.sel.cam.ac.uk/prospective-students/undergraduate/access-outreach/selwyn-college-summer-school/?mc_cid=9f504ca513&mc_eid=9fa4195e0c)

With best wishes for a very happy Easter,

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