

**Sheffield
Hallam
University**

School and college engagement programme

Subject-specific activity

Years 9-13



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My Sheffield Hallam contact is:

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Welcome

Universities have never been more important to more people than they are today. Around the world, more and more young people are going to university as a way of shaping their lives and opportunities. And it makes sense that this is happening. The world faces enormous challenges. The demands on the next generation will demand that they have sophisticated skills, deep knowledge and the ability to solve complex problems.

At Sheffield Hallam University, we understand this. We understand the need to bring powerful knowledge to bear on the toughest challenges. We transform lives. We do this by shaping our students' futures and preparing them for whatever they choose to do, and by creating knowledge through research and industry partnerships that will provide innovative and practical solutions to real world challenges.

We also know that our relationship with students starts even before they enrol at the University. We aim to provide the very best information about programmes of study so that applicants have the practical skills and knowledge they need to be successful. We aim to work with schools and colleges to build strong bridges between them and the University. Our School and College Engagement Team lead a range of innovative and imaginative activities that inform, inspire and engage students from an early age and up to enrolment, introducing them to the benefits of higher education.

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Vice-Chancellor

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Welcome to our school & college engagement programme - subject-specific activity

This booklet tells you how we can work with you to support your students in their journey to higher education.

How we can work with you

- Provide you with a dedicated contact at Sheffield Hallam to work with you throughout the year to build a tailored programme of engagement for your students.
- Access to a range of subject and course themed engagement activity.
- Provide a programme of advice and transition activity to support your students from awareness raising to applying and then enrolling at University.
- Provide a range of teacher and adviser networking and learning events both to support an understanding of the application process and in linking academic disciplines.
- Provide access to our facilities and links to our partners.
- Facilitate access to a variety of student support schemes.



Subject-specific activity

We offer a vast programme of subject specific activities including masterclasses and taster days. In each of our four faculties we have a senior schools and colleges engagement officer who can work with you and your academic colleagues on providing subject specific support and activities (please refer to the back of this programme for contact details).

Some sessions have specific dates, while others are available throughout the year on request. Find out more by speaking to the relevant faculty contact and through our regular newsletter updates or email sclo@shu.ac.uk

Masterclasses

These one- to two-hour academic led sessions are designed to give students a flavour of a specific subject area through practical, interactive sessions. We have a set programme of masterclasses throughout the year, and bespoke sessions may also be available to suit a particular subject area or curriculum need.

Taster days

Our taster days provide students with an opportunity to discover the breadth of a particular subject area and career pathways. Through interactive sessions students will explore the subject areas and have a chance to find out more about university life.

Course talks

Delivered either at the university or in your school or college, these talks provide an insight into specific courses at Sheffield Hallam including entry requirements, course content and employability.

Lectures, tours and competitions

These may include

- tours of our industry standard facilities and modern learning spaces
- competitions
- inspirational lectures delivered by our academic experts
- portfolio guidance workshops for our art and design and media arts courses

Teacher and adviser events

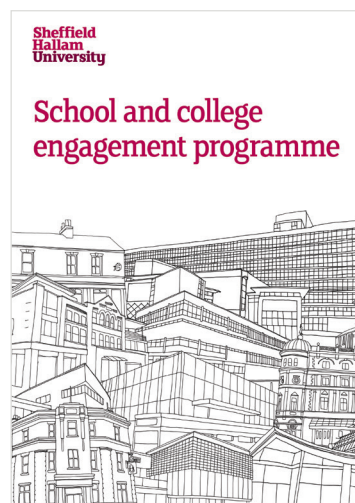
Delivered at key points throughout the year these events are designed to provide you with information and updates regarding your subject area. Opportunities include guest lectures, workshops, conferences and networking opportunities.

Advice and transition team

Subject-specific activity can also be included in your personalised UNI4U visit programme. Our advice and transition team can work with you to provide sessions delivered under the following core themes:

- Applying to university
- Student life
- Choosing and preparing for university
- Parent/carer support
- Transition
- Employability
- Student finance
- Careers Strands

Our school and college engagement programme sister publication can provide further information on how we can work with you to support your students in their journey in higher education. Use our contact details at the back of this publication to request copies.





A FLAVOUR OF

STEM Events

A series of STEM related activity including STEMfest, STEM Roadshow and Science Week at SHU.



Health and social care preparation sessions

Recruitment leads within health and social care provide attendees with further information about the application cycle and selection process.



Business taster day

A fun and interactive day involving subject talks and activities that give an insight into the different specialisms within our business courses.



Hospitality spring forward

An industry related learning experience for students interested in pursuing a career in hospitality as a potential route.



Games Britannia

The Games Britannia festival brings creativity and technology together, providing schools and colleges the opportunity to engage in Computer Science with workshops and activities led by games industry experts and academics.



Mock trial

An inter-school competition comprising of teams competing against each other in debate heats for the chance to take part in the mock trial final.



OUR EVENTS

School prom competition

An opportunity for students to win their Ultimate School Prom and learn more about the events industry.



English day school

A combination of four short sessions offering a flavour of the cutting edge English language research being undertaken at Sheffield Hallam.



Sport tasters

A day of Sport related activity which includes; course talks and opportunities within the social side of sport, student talks, campus and sport facilities tours, practical masterclass sessions and inspirational talks



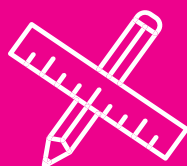
SHUBIZ CHALLENGE

BUILD YOUR BRAND!

Students work together in smaller groups to complete a series of tasks and win credits. This fun and interactive day is the perfect opportunity for students to develop their teamwork skills whilst learning about different courses at university.

Art and Design Week

A programme of academic led masterclasses in : architecture, fashion, fine art, graphic design, illustration, interior design, jewellery and metalwork, interior design, product design.



Industry partnership events

Opportunities for students to engage and participate in activity ran in conjunction with organisations such as Institute of Education and Technology, Association for Language Learners, RAF, Urban Lawyers, NHS and Engineering Development Trust.



Our subjects A-Z

We can offer activity in the following subject areas:

- Accounting, banking and finance
- Architecture
- Art and design
- Bioscience
- Building and surveying
- Business
- Chemistry
- Computing
- Creative media
- Criminology
- Economics
- Engineering
- English
- Events management
- Film and performance
- Food and nutrition
- Geography and the environment
- Health and social care
- History
- Hospitality
- Journalism
- Languages
- Law
- Marketing
- Mathematics
- Media and PR
- Physics
- Psychology
- Sociology and politics
- Sport and active lifestyles
- Teaching and education
- Tourism

Contact us

We have four academic faculties - please use the guide below to find out who to contact to arrange subject-specific activity for your students.

Development and Society

Architecture
Building and surveying
Criminology
English
Film and performance
Geography and the environment
History
Law
Psychology
Sociology and politics
Teaching and education

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Arts, Computing, Engineering and Science

Art and Design
Computing
Creative media
Engineering
Mathematics
Media and PR
Journalism
Physics

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Sheffield Business School

Accounting, banking and finance
Business management
Economics
Events management
Food and nutrition
Hospitality
Languages
Marketing
Tourism

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Health and Wellbeing

Biosciences and chemistry
Health and social care
Sport and active lifestyles

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