



Longridge High School

Excellence and ambition from all, for all
Careers Information

Year 10 Taster Days

We have started the process of preparing our pupils for life post-16 and supporting them to make informed decisions about their futures. Our CEIAG programme for Years 10 and 11 aims to provide your child with all the information they will need to make choices about their future careers and the pathways needed to achieve their goals.

To help them with their decision making, we have arranged for all Year 10 pupils to visit at least three local colleges for 'Taster Sessions' in June and July 2025.

Pupils will be visiting the colleges below on the following days: -

Mon 23rd June	Runshaw College (selected pupils)
Tues 24 th June	Preston College
Tues 1 st July	Blackburn College
Thurs 3 rd July	Cardinal Newman College



RUNSHAW COLLEGE

Dear Parent/Carer,

We are delighted that your child will be attending their Year 10 Sampling Taster Day with us here at Runshaw. This special event is designed to provide Year 10 students with a glimpse of what life is like after high school and to help them explore the exciting opportunities that await them at college. You can see more using this link <https://vimeo.com/1077986814>

Event Details:

- **Date:** Monday 23 June
- **Time:** 9:00 AM to end of the school day
- **Location:** Runshaw College, Langdale Road, Leyland, PR25 3DQ

Timetable for the Day:

1. **Pick up from School (9:00 AM onwards)**
2. **Welcome Assembly and Registration (9:45 AM - 10:10 AM):** Our friendly Schools Liaison staff will greet students and guide them through the day's activities before they are taken to their first lesson. All students have selected the subjects they would like to take part in at a previous Sampling Assembly and a timetable created for them.
3. **Two Engaging Morning Lessons (10:20 AM - 12:10 PM):** Our teachers will lead all these fun, interactive sessions, allowing students to experience Runshaw's teaching firsthand.
 - o 10:20-11:10 Lesson 1
 - o 11:20-12:10 Lesson 2
4. **Lunch (12:10 PM – 1:00 PM):** Students will all receive a lunch voucher and enjoy a delicious lunch in one of our Campus restaurants, giving them a (literal!) taste of college dining.
5. **One Engaging Afternoon Lesson as per the morning (1:10 PM – 2:00 PM)**
6. **Farewell Assembly and catching the bus back to School (2.15 PM onwards)**

Purpose of the Taster Day: Our goal is to inspire and inform students about the exciting academic and extracurricular opportunities available at Runshaw College. By participating in the taster day, your child will gain insights into their potential career, meet fellow students from other High Schools as well as Runshaw, and get a feel for our vibrant campus community.

All our staff and student ambassadors are committed to ensuring a wonderful and memorable experience and cannot wait to welcome your child and their school. Please feel free to reach out directly to me using the contact information below if you have any questions or need any additional information.

With Warmest Regards,

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College Application -Year 11s – It's time to accept your offers!

We encourage all pupils to accept all their places at all the colleges they have applied to.



Step by step guide - <https://bit.ly/44hhDmW>

For any issues with logging into your account:

1. Make sure you are using the email address you applied to Preston College with.
2. Follow this link [Login](#)
3. Click reset your password, add your email address and submit and then check your emails. You will have a reset password link from Preston College.
4. Once reset you will be logged into your account.
5. Check to see if your offer is on the homepage. If it isn't then all personal details need fully completing and saving. This will then allow you to see your offer.

Applied to Blackburn College?

Secure your place and
accept your offer now.



Scan the QR code to
log into the portal



**CARDINAL
NEWMAN
COLLEGE**

Application Journey

Applicants who have applied early will receive an early conditional offer of a place at Newman.

You need to log into the 'Newman Portal' (details of how to do this will be in your offer email) and accept your place at Cardinal Newman!

N.B. You can accept your place at multiple Colleges.

Once you have accepted your place at Cardinal Newman, you will be invited to NewmanFest, which takes place on the 30th June 2025 after GCSE exams.

This is a great opportunity for you to come and spend the day at the College and try out your subjects before you enrol with us in August. You will be given the opportunity to try out three subjects which is especially helpful if there are any subjects that you are undecided about. You will also get the chance to meet the teachers, find out more details about the subjects and have the opportunity to ask any questions you may have.

You can also meet some of your soon-to-be classmates and begin making friends, as well as enjoy campus life, try some of our delicious food and explore the College grounds. If you have accepted your place at Cardinal Newman, you will receive an email during July to book an enrolment appointment, for an online enrolment appointment which takes place on GCSE results day and the following day.

<https://www.cardinalnewman.ac.uk/apply-now/application-journey>

School Leavers – Welcome to Your Subject Choice Day!

We cannot wait to welcome you to our campus where you will have the opportunity to meet your teachers and staff here at **Runshaw College.**

Registration is now open. We cannot wait to welcome our Chorley, South Ribble & Preston schools to our beautiful woodland campus and have the opportunity to meet your teachers and staff here at Runshaw College! The day will run from 10am – 4pm

- **Monday 7th July** <https://runshaw.ac.uk/subject-choice-days/monday/> (A Level)
- **Tuesday 8th July** [https://runshaw.ac.uk/subject-choice-days/tuesday/\(T Level & Vocational\)](https://runshaw.ac.uk/subject-choice-days/tuesday/(T Level & Vocational))
- **Wednesday 9th July** [https://runshaw.ac.uk/subject-choice-days/wednesday/\(A Level\)](https://runshaw.ac.uk/subject-choice-days/wednesday/(A Level))



<https://www.myerscough.ac.uk/my-application/further-education-applicants/>

Myerscough College will send you an offer via email to the email address provided when you registered & applied for the course, keep an eye on their inbox for this coming through.

Myerscough Applicant Centre (The MAC)

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- Careers tools
- Curriculum Area Engagement
- Work Placement Information - you can access the PCG Work Placement Guide here: A Work Placement Guide.

The MAC will be updated throughout the year and applicants will be asked to access it on a regular basis. We will send any essential information in relation to events or enrolment directly to the personal email address used on the application form.

The MAC can be accessed via this link (student login details from the offer email will be needed). We recommend that this page is bookmarked & login details kept safe, so applicants can log back in & check for updates on a regular basis.

To access the MAC, applicants will need to download the Microsoft Authenticator App onto a phone, tablet or laptop. It is easier to use a combination of a laptop/PC and mobile device the first time you log in. Further information can be found here including a link to a YouTube video which you may find useful: Two Factor Authentication.

If you are struggling with any aspect of logging in to The MAC, you can contact our IT Team for assistance by calling 01995 642303 or by emailing [servicedesk@myerscough.ac.uk](mailto: servicedesk@myerscough.ac.uk) ensuring you provide the your details & the issue you are experiencing.

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START YOUR JOURNEY >



FIND A RECRUITMENT CENTRE >



[Starting your Army Application](#)

JAGUAR LAND ROVER RETAIL APPRENTICESHIPS

Jaguar Land Rover is a company that brings together two much loved, highly prestigious British car brands. We are looking for people who share our passion to join our highly successful Retail Apprenticeship Programme.

Stretching the length and breadth of the UK, there are a variety of exciting and challenging apprenticeship opportunities across the network that support our people to reach their full potential.

Jaguar Land Rover have ambitious growth plans and recognise the importance in identifying talented people to become the next generation of professional retailer employees.

THREE APPRENTICESHIP SPECIALISMS

Our Apprenticeship Programmes are an excellent way of ensuring that we identify and nurture the best talent. Apprentices bring a great deal to our business and we are delighted to be able to offer Apprenticeships across three specialisms:

- Light Vehicle Maintenance and Repair (3-year technical programme)
- Customer Service (1-year commercial programme)
- Vehicle Parts (1-year commercial programme)

Apply NOW: - [Apply Now - Jaguar Land Rover Retailer Apprenticeships](#)



Fernhurst Building

Job Opportunity

We are seeking to hire and train a new apprentice joiner. Over the past nine years, we have successfully trained four joiners, three of whom are still with our expanding company. We are offering a school leaver the chance to pursue an apprenticeship in joinery and carpentry.

Applicants must have their own transportation to and from job sites.



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If you are interested, please send your CV to Fernhurstbuildingcompany@gmail.com.

The ASK programme is designed to give schools, colleges and other establishments across England free support to develop and transform how pupils, teachers and parent think about apprenticeships. Our intention is to continue establishing Work-Based Learning as a valid and recognised route of choice including Higher Education and continued career progression.

[Apprenticeships - Amazing Apprenticeships](#)

Welcome to the June edition of Choices Magazine.

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Choices magazine is the ultimate parent and carer guide to apprenticeships and technical education!

We've revamped our popular Parents' and Carers' Pack with a fresh new look, exciting features and loads of useful content.

[June 2025 - Choices](#)

[NEWSLETTER - Amazing Apprenticeships](#)



MONTHLY APPRENTICESHIP

VACANCIES MAILING

Amazing Apprenticeships' monthly vacancies newsletter showcases exciting and current vacancies that are available for individuals to apply for immediately. Every edition features a wide range of vacancies with employers across the country.

[Subscribe to Choices](#) to get future editions of Choices magazine sent directly to your inbox.



We have so many Apprenticeship opportunities for you right here! Are you interested in one or more of the apprenticeship vacancies visit: -

<https://www.training2000.co.uk/apprenticeships/vacancies>

Training 2000 is a training provider offering business solutions, commercial courses and Apprenticeship programmes. In 2017, Training 2000 became part of the University of Central Lancashire (UCLan) meaning that apprentices have a direct progression pathway to a Degree Apprenticeship. Our main campus is based in Blackburn, with others located in Preston.

We have a reputation for delivering Traineeships and Apprenticeships. Each year we train over 2000 learners across our programmes, helping them gain valuable qualifications, work experience and getting them on the right path to start their chosen career.

We have developed strong and long-term relationships with businesses across the globe. We work closely with them as their trusted training provider to deliver bespoke commercial training courses and Apprenticeships. We aim to understand our customers' needs and to develop training solutions that will meet their needs.

When developing training solutions we work with our customers and continuously measure success throughout. We've gained a prestigious reputation in training design and delivery with experience in multiple sectors.

Training 2000, where your future matters. www.training2000.co.uk/



The Insurance Institute of Liverpool

Chartered Insurance Institute

On behalf of the Insurance Institute of Liverpool, the Chartered Insurance Institute (CII) is pleased to invite your students to attend the upcoming Careers Day on Wednesday, 3rd July 2025, hosted at the RSA offices on Old Hall Street, Liverpool.

What to Expect:

- Insight into the diverse roles across Insurance and Financial Services
- Opportunities to network with professionals from across the sector
- A fun-filled and educational day aimed at helping students make informed career decisions
- Lunch and refreshments provided (please notify us of any dietary requirements)

Who Should Attend?

The event is suitable for students considering their next steps—whether they're exploring further education, training, or employment—who are curious about the dynamic opportunities in Financial Services.

Event Details:

- Date: Wednesday, 3rd July 2025
- Venue: RSA Offices, Old Hall Street, Liverpool
- Cost: Free of charge
- Capacity: Limited to 40 places to ensure a high-value experience for attendees

How to Book:

Each student must book their own place via our booking system here: [IIL Careers Day - 3rd July 2025](#).

There is no charge for attending the event.

There is a limit of 40 places for this event to ensure that those attending have a valuable and worthwhile experience.

Venue:

RSA, Crosby Room, Ground Floor, Capital Buildings
Old Hall Street
Liverpool L3 9PP



JOB OF THE WEEK

OUTDOOR PURSUITS MANAGER

Annual salaries £10,000 to £25,000 per year.
Experienced Managers can expect to earn in
excess of £35,000 per year

Outdoor activities/education managers run centres that offer facilities and classes in outdoor sports and activities. The centre will offer a range of land and water sports, such as climbing, cycling, horse riding, mountaineering, orienteering, kayaking, canoeing and paddle boarding.

As an outdoor activities/education manager, you will need to:

- Recruiting, training and supervising a team of staff, including instructors
- Planning and organising appropriate outdoor activity programmes
- Handling booking enquiries
- Ensuring compliance with safety regulations
- Instructing groups in specialist areas
- Managing budgets
- Developing new activities
- Liaising with group managers, social workers and teachers
- Dealing with queries, complaints, accidents and emergencies
- Producing educational materials
- Promoting and marketing the business
- Maintaining customer service standards
- Attending training courses to keep qualifications up to date
- Recording and reporting accidents
- Buying, maintaining and checking the safety of facilities and equipment
- Writing and submitting funding bids
- Undertaking financial administration.

Skills required to be an Outdoor Activities Managers

Physical Fitness - Good State of Health - Energy Excellent Leadership Skills -
Decision-Making Skills - Interpersonal Skills -Verbal Communication Skills.

Volunteering and work experience

Experience gained from seasonal activity holidays, expeditions, the Duke of Edinburgh's Award scheme or any other relevant activities is beneficial. Lifesaving and first aid qualifications may be required.

Career path and progression

Training and development will be a continuous part of your career, as you'll need to keep your skills and knowledge fresh at all times. If people's safety is in your hands, you'll need to make sure your first aid skills stay sharp. Future opportunities for career progression include promotion into managerial and senior administration roles with local authority departments that deal with education, community services, sports development, travel and tourism.

Your working hours will depend on the facility where you work and the programmes it offers. However, you will usually work between ten and 12 hours a day. From time to time, you may also be on-call for a period of 24.

Working Environment – yourself working between an office, a classroom and various outdoor settings

A university education is not mandatory, but it may improve your earning potential and opportunities for career progression.

Theoretically, you can enter this profession with a foundation degree, undergraduate degree, or HND (higher national diploma) in any subject. However, a relevant qualification in a subject such as physical education, sports science, environmental studies, outdoor education or tourism management may help your chances.

Generally, people who work in this area will have a coaching qualification in at least one, if not more, outdoor sports and activities. These should be certified by the relevant national governing body (NGB), such as Sport England or Sport Scotland.