

NORFOLK : Summer School

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Dear Year 12 Students,

I am writing to you as you are starting to think about what you might do next as you enter Year 13 and hope that you are considering targeting top universities around the UK including Oxbridge.

I would like to bring the Norfolk Summer School to your attention. It is something that Norwich School has offered to students from across the County to help them prepare for applying to the most challenging universities and is designed to support the help and advice you are already getting within your schools. It is a programme we have offered for over 20 years, even through the pandemic and coming up to 2000 people have participated in it since its inception. This year it will be running from **on 3 full days**. The dates are Monday-Wednesday 7-9 July 2025. The website can be found [here](#) and you can sign up using the website or by clicking [here](#).

If you decide to sign up, you will experience an intellectually challenging and stimulating few days which will not only stretch you academically but will also offer you the vital practical advice and support to help you target your application to some of the UK's most competitive universities. It will also give you the chance to meet like-minded people from a range of schools from across Norfolk.

Over the three days, you will attend university style subject tutorials where you will get the opportunity to develop your subject knowledge by discussing ideas with an expert and your fellow students in your chosen subject. You will also get the chance to hear from university admissions tutors and from others about how to navigate the application process, cope with student finance and about how to write the all-important UCAS personal statement. We will also give you the opportunity to experience two university style interviews and can offer some support as you move into the Autumn Term of Year 13 if required. I will also invite you via email to our Oxbridge and Medical evenings in June.

There is a small charge of £45 to help cover the costs of the week which we will ask you to pay by the beginning of the course (though we do have some bursary money if needed both for the course and for transport) and we will be limited to 100 places.

I am sure you will find it a rewarding week and we look forward to receiving your application for the Norfolk Summer School in 2025.

With best wishes,



Will Croston