

Education at Cambridge

Free Taster Day for Year 12 students

What is Education at Cambridge about?

Education at Cambridge is not a course aimed solely at those who may wish to teach. It is a broad social science course encompassing Philosophy, Psychology, Sociology and History, and is ideal for students interested in working in international organisations, government, social policy and creative practice as well as those planning to work in the education sector. Education is one of the most important and powerful cultural currents of change and growth in the modern world, and Education students engage with topics in education, justice and human rights within a global context.

What will the event involve?

The Education at Cambridge Taster Day is a free event in Cambridge for academically able Year 12 students from state schools and colleges. The day aims to provide prospective students with a taste of what life as an Education student at the University of Cambridge would be like. Students will experience the teaching methods used by university academics and gain an insight into the facilities available at the Faculty of Education, whilst meeting students from across the UK.

The day will include:

- sample lectures on topics from the Education course
- a tour of a Cambridge College
- a discussion/debate session
- a Q and A session with current undergraduates
- a presentations explaining the Cambridge system, the application procedure and interviews

When is the event?

Friday 7th February 2014, 10am – 3.30pm

Where is the event?

Faculty of Education, University of Cambridge
184 Hills Road, Cambridge, CB2 8PQ

Please note that there is no parking available at the Faculty; visitors in vehicles are strongly advised to use the Park and Ride services. We are a 15-20 minute walk from the railway station and are well served by buses.

How can I find out more and make an application?

For more details and application forms for the event, please email Jacqui Howard on jh675@cam.ac.uk

Closing date for applications: Monday 27th January 2014

Places will be allocated on a first-come, first-served basis. A waiting list will be in operation once all places are filled. Applications will be accepted from both individual students and school groups. Students must currently be in Year 12 at a UK state (maintained sector) school or college.

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