



Student Newsletter

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Welcome to Student Newsletter | Issue 51

This edition celebrates one of the highlights of our academic year, Graduation 2026, where we proudly recognised the achievements of our graduating students during a memorable day of ceremonies at the InterContinental London - The O2.

Congratulations once again to the Class of 2026 on this significant milestone.

In this issue, you'll also find important campus updates, including the Careers Service resources site, guidance on using our smart vending machines, reminders about classroom etiquette, and details of bicycle parking facilities near campus. We've also included information on food bank support services available to students who may need additional assistance.

Happy reading, and we wish you a productive, and enjoyable summer.

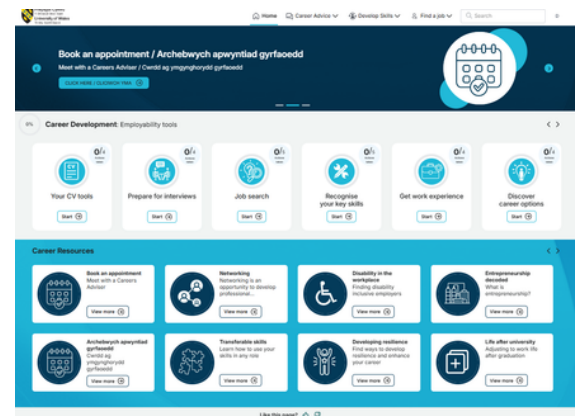


MyCareer platform has a new look!

The Careers Service resources site MyCareer has been reranded! It has a more streamlined and intentional dashboard with clear links to tools to help you with drafting a CV, preparing for interviews, developing your skills, and searching for work. There's a mix of articles, videos, and interactive tools you can access from a PC/laptop or from your phone at any time.

If you need to make changes to the dashboard to make accessing it easier due to a disability, please click on your initial in the top right hand corner.

Please use the HWB to access all the resources and to book an online appointment with one of our team!



Graduation 2026: A Day to Remember 🎓

On 21st July 2026, we were delighted to celebrate the achievements of our graduating students at the InterContinental London - The O2.

The day featured three graduation ceremonies, bringing together graduates, families, friends, staff, and supporters to mark this important milestone. It was a fantastic occasion filled with pride, celebration, and memorable moments as our students crossed the stage and began the next chapter of their journeys.

Thank you to everyone who joined us to make the day such a success, and congratulations once again to the Class of 2026!

📸 See more photos and watch our graduation reels on our social media channels:

- Instagram: [@uwtsdlondon](#)
- Facebook: [@uwtsdlondon](#)
- LinkedIn: [UWTSD London](#)
- X (formerly Twitter): [@uwtsdlondon](#)



Need Help with Food Essentials?

If you're struggling to afford food or essentials, you're not alone, and support is available.

The charity platform Give Food connects people with food banks across the UK. You can search by location to find your nearest food bank.

Whether you need help now or want to learn more about what's available, this is a safe and confidential way to access support.

👉 Visit: <https://www.givefood.org.uk>



Cycling to Campus? Here's Where to Park Your Bike

While our London campus doesn't currently have dedicated bicycle parking on-site - due to our location in Canary Wharf - there are secure bike parking facilities just a short walk away.

Here is the most convenient parking option near **1 Westferry Circus** suitable for students cycling in the area:

- 🚲 **Bike Parking at Westferry Circus**
- Location: [Google Maps – Bike Parking](#)
- Distance: Just a 1–2 minute walk from 1 Westferry Circus
- Type: Public cycle stands (open-air)
- Cost: Free
- Security: Bring your own lock; no CCTV or shelter visible

Let's keep moving sustainably!



Smart Vending: What That £5 Notification Really Means

Smart vending machines offer quick and easy access to snacks, but it's important to understand how the payment system works.

When you open the machine, your banking app may show a £5 pre-authorisation, this is not a charge per item.

You'll only be charged the actual price of the items you take after closing the door and tapping "Pay" on the screen. To track your purchases, download the Lova App

- [Lova on Google Play](#)
- [Lova on App Store](#)

Scan the QR code for an electronic receipt. If needed, a screenshot of your bank charge with a timestamp can help verify your transaction.

Enjoy the convenience, just grab, tap, and go with confidence.



No Eating in Classrooms: Please Use Designated Areas

To maintain a clean and respectful learning environment, students are reminded that eating is not allowed in classrooms.

We've provided comfortable, designated spaces for meals and snacks, including the Student Common Room and the Break Area on the first floor. These spaces are designed for relaxation and socialising, while keeping learning areas tidy and distraction-free.

Let's work together to keep our classrooms clean and focused for everyone.





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CAMPUS & LOCAL LIFE



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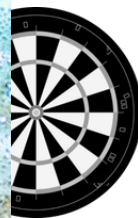
4TH JULY

FREE

**PRIDE
IN LONDON**



STARTS AT HYDE PARK



8TH JULY

**HYDE PARK
DARTS**



HYDE PARK



FROM 9TH JULY - 27TH SEPTEMBER

**BUCKINGHAM
PALACE SUMMER
OPENING**



VISITVARIOUS ROOMS
WITHIN THE ROYAL HOUSEHOLD



BUCKINGHAM PALACE
BUCKINGHAM GATE, SW1A 1AA

FREE



FILM CLUB

OUTDOOR CINEMA
BRING A PICNIC BLANKET
& SNACKS



CANADA SQUARE PARK



FROM 21ST JULY - 16TH AUGUST

**THE HUNDRED
2026**
CRICKET COMPETITION



VARIOUS LOCATIONS - KIA OVAL
& LORD'S CRICKET GROUND



23RD - 26TH JULY

**SUMMER DAZE
FESTIVAL**

A MIX OF ENTERTAINMENT FROM
STAND-UP COMEDY, MUSICAL
BINGO TO OUTDOOR THEATRE



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Stay connected with us!

We've always been active on social media, sharing the latest events, news, student stories, academic support, job opportunities, and much more!

It's the perfect place to get the most up-to-date information and stay connected with our community. Don't miss out on any updates!

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