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Face Masks in The Canteen – the Rules

You **MUST** wear your mask:

- When in the queue for food
- When working in the canteen during a study period – don't forget to wipe down your table after use

You **CAN** remove your mask:

- When ordering and paying at the screens
- When sitting down eating in the canteen

UCAS Virtual Exhibitions

Right now 73% of students applying to university and college are yet to decide their final choices. With many open days cancelled, students need more help than ever to get the facts they need to make informed decisions.

To help, we're hosting live, virtual exhibitions, dedicated to your interests. With advice on how to research options during the pandemic, writing personal statements, and student finance, it's your chance to get your questions answered by subject and admissions specialists.

The first exhibition is next week – book now at

<https://click.email.ucas.com/?qs=1913b98be04b887a7ba7f1b6c55891876b38e4950eb577d79cf787cef0bfe0037b2ec46cd6af208d51b0fdf608aae7e9370978838585c2fc>

You need to book your place yourself to receive reminders and joining instructions by email.

On the day, you can:

Explore and meet – speak to subject experts and admissions staff.

Listen and attend – join information packed helpful webcasts covering essential topics.

Connect and chat – talk with other students, universities, colleges, apprenticeship providers, careers organisations, and UCAS experts.

Find out more about what you can expect at a virtual exhibition, and how you can prepare.

If you have any questions, please get in touch at events@ucas.ac.uk.

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Face Masks for Sixth Form

It is an expectation that year 12 and 13 students wear masks when working with others in communal areas such as the sixth form social area, empty classrooms during study periods and the canteen during period 1,2 or 5. We have received a number of concerns from staff where students have not been adhering to these guidelines, failure to comply may result in a detention.

New System for Study Signing-In

As the current Study Area signing in system is not the best, we are trialling a new way of signing in to the Study Area from Monday – everything is still a learning curve, trying to find the best way to do things differently in these strange times!

So you will receive a Google form to complete for when you have a study/10th period. Keep it 'open' so that every time you have a study period or a 10th period, you can submit the form again.