

School of Dentistry Open Day Information

Dear Career Teachers,

Further to our last correspondence regarding Open Days at the School of Dentistry, QUB, we would like to provide an update. QUB Open Day will run on Saturday 1st October 2022, this is the postponed date following the death of Queen Elizabeth II. School of Dentistry Open Days will not run during this Autumn semester. Although life is returning to normal and Covid-19 restrictions are easing for the public, hospital restrictions are still in place. These restrictions, along with current construction work being carried out in the School of Dentistry have all been taken into consideration on this decision.

We appreciate for many school students considering Dentistry as a career there may be further questions. With this in mind, we would like to work with schools and provide a representative from the School of Dentistry, where possible, for school careers events or 6th Form Careers events. Please email Julie at dentistry@qub.ac.uk regarding school careers events.

Information regarding the Bachelor of Dental Surgery programme is available at the link below:

<https://www.qub.ac.uk/courses/undergraduate/dentistry-bds-a200/>

It is important that prospective students are aware of the requirement to take the UCAT (<https://www.ucat.ac.uk>). This link will direct you to the official guide to UCAT 2022, please forward to any student who may be interested in studying Dentistry in 2023.

Moving forward, we hope we can resume our face-to-face Open Days when possible and when current restrictions allow us to do so safely. Over the previous few years the feedback for these face-to-face events has been very positive and we very much hope we can return to this format.

More details will follow, but current Year 13 students wishing to register should do so via their school careers teachers by emailing dentistry@qub.ac.uk, please put “**Open Day**” in the subject line. Please note this event will be held in June 2023. Preference will be given to students in Year 13.

Best wishes,
Lorna Dysart

Lorna Dysart BMSc BDS MFDS RCSEdin DipClinEd
Clinical Teaching Fellow
Centre for Dentistry
School of Medicine, Dentistry & Biomedical Sciences
Queen's University Belfast