

HFL Education Sixth Form Conference

Leading for impact: building a culture of high-performance

Tuesday 9th June 2026, 9:00am to 3:30pm

Venue: The Fielder Centre, Hatfield, Herts, AL10 9TP

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Time	Details			Location
8:30 – 9:00am	Registration, exhibitors and networking			
9:00 – 9:03am	Conference welcome and introductions Becky Cox, Senior Secondary School Effectiveness Adviser, HFL Education			Main Conference Room
9:03 – 9:05am	Welcome from University of Hertfordshire Nick Howell, Senior Widening Access Manager, Widening Access and Student Success (WASS)			Main Conference Room
9:05 – 10:00am	Teaching for high grades Martin Griffin VESPA Academy			Main Conference Room
10:00 – 10:40am	Looking ahead at the UCAS 2026/27 cycle Ross Sanger, Schools and Colleges Success Partner, Digital Learning & Business Readiness Team, UCAS			Main Conference Room
10:40 – 10:50am	Exhibitors and Dragon’s Den Showcase			Main Conference Room
10:50 – 11:10am	Refreshments, exhibitors and networking			
11:10am – 12:00pm	Post-16 curriculum & policy update from ASCL Claire Green, ASCL Post-16 and Skills Specialist			Main Conference Room
12:00 – 12:45pm	Workshops			Workshop A – Room tbc Workshop B – Room tbc Workshop C – Room tbc
	Workshop A Coaching students for better performance VESPA Academy	Workshop B Preparing for Ofsted Liz Shapland & Becky Cox, HFL Education	Workshop C Enriching the Curriculum in a Changing World Cambridge OCR	

12:45 – 1:45pm	Lunch, exhibitors and networking			
1:45pm – 2:30pm	Workshops			
	Workshop D V levels David Rowley, Product Manager, NCFE	Workshop E Post-16 RSHE Tracey Harper, HFL Education	Workshop F From Potential to Destination: Driving High Post-18 Outcomes with Unifrog Charley Rigling, Area Manager, Unifrog	Workshop D - Room tbc Workshop E - Room tbc Workshop F - Room tbc
2:30 – 2:40pm	Comfort break			
2:40 – 3:25pm	AI Panel <i>Facilitated by Becky Cox</i> Fiona Tobin, HFL Education Tom Wade, Haileybury School			Main Conference Room
3:25 - 3:30pm	Conference evaluation and close Becky Cox, HFL Education			Main Conference Room
3:30pm	Departure			