

Back from the Dead: penicillin and the crisis of AMR Study day for KS5

Friday 25th November 2016 and similar on Thursday 16th March 2017

An enrichment study day for sixth form students linked with the new special exhibition **Back from the Dead** about the extraordinary story of the development of penicillin in wartime Oxford, the rise of antimicrobial resistance in modern medicine, and the challenge to scientific research. Students will have the opportunity to have a guided tour of the exhibition and meet university researchers.

Programme

9.30-9.45	Welcome and introduction
9.45-10.20	Penicillins remain the most important antibiotics
	Professor Chris Schofield, Head of Organic Chemistry, University of Oxford
10.20-10.55	Why is antibiotic resistance such a big challenge?
	Professor Angela Brueggemann, Nuffield Department of Medicine
10.55-11.15	Break – refreshments provided
11.15-11.50	From Lab to Marketplace: An Industry Perspective
	Dr Czaplewski, Chemical Biology Ventures Ltd
11.50-12.30	Q&A session
	Students will be invited to put their own questions to members of the panel
12.25-1.30	Lunch (please bring a pack lunch) and exhibition tours
1.30-2.30	Practical activities
	Students will rotate between activities facilitated by university researchers

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