

# FROM RAINHILL TO LIVERPOOL

**RAINHILL STUDENT ROBERT MCMAHON IS NOW STUDYING BIOMEDICAL SCIENCE AT LIVERPOOL JOHN MOORES UNIVERSITY.**



*We spoke to Robert before he left for University about his time at Rainhill and his plans for the future...*

**How did you feel on your first day as a Year 7 pupil?**  
*I was excited, but nervous.*

**What clubs were you involved in at Rainhill?**  
*I have always loved science so I joined science club lower down the school and STEM club. When I joined the Sixth Form I took part in all of the activities that Science Academy offered me.*

**Why did you choose to study at Rainhill Sixth Form?**  
*It was close to home and I already knew the students and the teachers here. Also, it offered small class sizes meaning you got more 1:1 guidance. I already knew the science team were good too and the Science Academy appealed to me.*

**What was the highlight of your time at Sixth Form?**  
*The highlight for me was the Maths trip to Paris. It was good to go away with all of my friends.*

**Who were your favourite members of staff and why?**  
*Dr Fairhurst was really supportive and a great teacher. He provided resources for us to take away and he was very funny. Dr Pugh was funny and knew the subject. Mr Rimmer was supportive and motivating and Mr Hunt was funny, quirky and helpful in lessons.*

**What advice would you give to Rainhill students?**  
*I would say to keep organised and start revising early! You need to pay attention in all lessons too as the pace is much quicker and if you miss something there is no time to go back really.*

**Why did you choose your course and higher education establishment?**  
*I need a degree to become a biomedical scientist and I am interested in the subject. The University had connections to my work and was close to home so I could still work and study.*

**How did you feel when you knew you had got confirmation of your above choice?**  
*Happy that I got my choice of University and course.*

**How did your friends and family react when they found out you got in?**  
*Pleased for me.*

**What are you most looking forward to at University or within your related progression route?**  
*Leaving home and living independently.*

**What are your long term career plans?**  
*Study biomedical science and become a biomedical scientist.*