We want to inspire the next generation of researchers to get involved and contribute to brain studies. How do we think, listen, what makes us move, feel, what is happening in our brain? The University of Leicester, together with DANA Foundation, is promoting another Brain Awareness Week.

We invite A-level students to join us at the University for the afternoon on Wednesday 18th March 2015, in the Peter Williams Lecture Theatre, Fielding Johnson Building. Along with presentations there will be live demonstrations and the opportunity to meet PhD students. The afternoon will be of interest to anyone with an interest in studying brain research and neuroscience, including biology, cell physiology & pharmacology, genetics, health sciences, medicine and psychology.

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Spaces are limited, so register fast!
Talks will discuss:-

• How does anaesthesia affect the brain?
• How is the teenage brain effected by drugs, hormones and experience?

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You may also be interested in attending the Brain Awareness Evening on 18th March.

Programme

1300-1330  Professor Dave Lambert
Are the lights out? Switching off the brain during anaesthesia

1330-1400  Dr Claire Gibson
The teenage brain – effects of drugs, hormones and experience

1400-1500 Refreshments, posters & demonstrations
• What snails can teach us about neuroscience?
• What can magic tell us about the brain?
• How do we model human brain diseases by using neuronal recording?
• How might perception of one of our senses affect perceptual awareness of another sense?
• How can we use light to explore the structure of the eye?
• How can we use a small tropical fish to study psychiatric disorders?

The programme of events will be taking in the Peter Williams Lecture Theatre, Fielding Johnson Building, South Wing.

Please note: there will be photography at the event

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