

KENTHACKIT 2027

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WHAT IS

KENTHACKIT?

KentHackIt is the University of Kent's annual student hackathon organised by Kent Computing Society. It was first established in **2025** and launched on **May 9th and 10th 2026**, where participants around the UK have the opportunity to create and build projects such as apps, games, websites, and more within **24 hours**.

For **KentHackIt 2026**, we had over **270+** students express interest across the University of Kent campus, that led to **80+** registrations from over **15+** UK universities and then **35+** active participants taking part in the our first ever hackathon located in the **University of Kent's School of Computing (Kennedy Building)**.

For future hackathons we're aiming to double the attendance, introduce further workshops for emerging technologies, and enhance existing mentorship opportunities.

WHO ARE THE KENT COMPUTING SOCIETY?



The Kent Computing Society is the official student tech community at the University of Kent formed by the recent merger of the **Computer Science Society** and **compSockKent**.

We break the "solitary coder" stereotype by providing an inclusive collaborative space for students across tech disciplines including Computer Science, Software Engineering, Data Science, Robotics, and Artificial Intelligence.

Our mission is to bridge academia and industry, empowering members to network, socialise, and building career-steady skills.

WHY SPONSOR US?

Partnering up with KentHackIt means that you get to support over **100+ aspiring developers**, gain meaningful brand visibility, and connect with the next generation of tech talent. Sponsors can shape the event through **prize categories, judging opportunities, and a short talk** during the closing ceremony, while building a strong presence through **venue branding, social media, and key event materials**.

Connect directly with talented student developers, showcase your technologies, and help participants take their next step into the tech industry. Sponsors can provide **internships, graduate opportunities, career insights, mentorship, and other pathways** into their industry, while also hosting workshops or tech talks and building lasting relationships with the next generation of innovators.

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Perks	 Byte (£500)	 Kilobyte (£1000)	 Megabyte (£1500)
General branding presence	✓	✓	✓
Table at the atrium	✓	✓	✓
A large banner at the atrium	✓	✓	✓
Hold workshop	✓	✓	✓
Event tickets	2 tickets	3 tickets	5 tickets
Set prize category		✓	✓
Pre/post-event shout-out		✓	✓
Closing speech		✓	✓
Judging panel		1 person	2 people
CV access			✓