

CAREERS TEAM NEWSLETTER - 2023/2024 TERM 5. ISSUE 16



# Hello Saint George's Community

Hello everyone and welcome to the term 5 2023/2024 edition of the Careers Newsletter.

Once again we hope this edition brings you up to date with what has and will be taking place in the world of careers, as well as our regular features such as, "University - what's on ?", "It's Your Future - Plan it !!!"

As usual we have provided lots of information and resources to help students / teaching staff and to help you support your child with their career exploration. In this edition we're excited to bring you a wealth of work experience opportunities that are available or coming up soon.

If you have any other questions regarding Careers, please feel free to email: hallama@saintgeorgescofe.kent.sch.uk

We hope you find the various links in this newsletter useful, whatever stage you are at regarding your career exploration.

Many thanks as always for your support. The Careers Team

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# **GATSBY CAREER BENCHMARKS**

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		programme of career education and guidance that is known
		and understood by students, parents, teachers, governors and
	<u> </u>	employers.
2	Learning from career and	Every student, and their parents, should have access to good
	labour market information	quality information about future study options and labour
		market opportunities. They will need the support of an
		informed adviser to make best use of available information.
3	Addressing the needs of each	Students have different career guidance needs at different
	student	stages. Opportunities for advice and support need to be
		tailored to the needs of each student. A school's careers
		programme should embed equality and diversity
		considerations throughout
4	Linking curriculum learning to	All teachers should link curriculum learning with careers. STEM
	careers	subject teachers should highlight the relevance of STEM
		subjects for a wide range of future career paths.
5	Encounters with employers and	Every student should have multiple opportunities to learn from
	employees	employers about work, employment and the skills that are
		valued in the workplace. This can be through a range of
		enrichment activities including visiting speakers, mentoring and
		enterprise schemes.
6	Experiences of workplaces	Every student should have first-hand experiences of the
		workplace through work visits, work shadowing and/or work
		experience to help their exploration of career opportunities
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The Gatsby Benchmarks are a framework of 8 guidelines that define the best careers provision in secondary schools.

Please use the key in the table above to see where we have mapped activities against the Gastby Benchmarks.

### Learn more about the Gatsby Benchmarks



## **HIGHLIGHTS: LOOKING BACK!**



### Personal Guidance Meetings

Year 10 students have now attended or been invited to their one-to-one careers guidance meetings with our Careers Advisor. These personalised sessions are designed to provide tailored advice and support, helping each student to explore potential career paths, understand the necessary qualifications, and develop a plan to achieve their professional goals. By engaging in these meetings, students gain valuable insights and resources that aid in their decision-making process for further education and career development. The individualised attention ensures that each student's unique interests and aspirations are considered, fostering a clearer, more informed approach to their future endeavors.



#### Year 10 and 12 Work Experience

The careers team has been diligently processing the work experience forms for Year 10 and Year 12 students, ensuring that outstanding placements have been secured. Well done to everyone involved in this effort! If you have returned your form but have not yet received a confirmation email, it is likely because we are awaiting additional information either from you or your prospective employer. Please do check with Mrs Hallam if you have any questions.



#### Year 11 Post-16 Applications

To further support our Year 11 students, we have been hosting a series of workshops aimed at ensuring all students have made their post-16 applications and have viable backup options in place. These workshops provide comprehensive guidance on navigating the application process, exploring various educational and vocational pathways, and understanding the importance of having alternative plans. Additionally, personalised support has been available for those who need extra assistance, ensuring that every student is well-prepared and confident about their future endeavours. The proactive approach taken in these workshops underscores our commitment to the success and well-being of our students as they transition to the next stage of their education.



#### **Financial Education**

Students in Year 7 and 12 attended their Financial Education lessons with <u>Adams & Bowles Wealth</u> <u>Management Ltd.</u>

Miss Owen from the Education team taught Year 7s about shopping for families and Year 12s about mortgages, pensions, setting financial goals and tax.

Students told us they found it useful to learn how little changes can make a big impact on saving money in the long term and how they enjoyed learning about taxes and their impact on wages.

Students from our primary phase were also invited to attend a workshop with Miss Owen. Feedback has been extremely positive, and one parent told us that her child came home absolutely buzzing about it, so much so that he asked her to find the shopping list that had been used during the lesson. It is never too young to learn about money and budgeting!



#### **Construction Youth Trust, Pythagorean Theorem**

Construction Youth Trust met with Year 9 students to explore the practical applications of mathematics in the construction industry, with a special focus on the Pythagorean theorem. This engaging session demonstrated how mathematical concepts are foundational to construction, from calculating distances and angles to ensuring structural integrity. By linking classroom learning with real-world scenarios, the event inspired students to appreciate the relevance of mathematics in everyday life and potential career paths. Students engaged in interactive activities and discussions, gaining a deeper understanding of how Pythagoras' theorem is used by professionals to solve complex problems in building and design.

# **UNIVERSITY / COLLEGE - WHAT'S ON**

### Canterbury Christ Church University Answers Day!

Don't miss our Answers Days - like an open day, but better! Do you have questions about choosing a course, the application process or what university life is like? Don't miss your chance to have your questions answered at our summer Answers Days on:

- Sunday 9 June in Canterbury
- <u>Saturday 22 June in Medway</u>

### Why visit an Answers Day?

At our Answers Day you can experience everything you would normally get from an open day with an added focus on providing you with answers to the questions most important to your personal journey.

You'll have the chance to:

- speak to our staff and students
- see where you could be living
- take a tour of the University
- attend talks about the subject you're interested in
- see the local area
- and get the answers to the questions that you have about going to university

Book Now - <u>https://www.canterbury.ac.uk/study-</u> <u>here/applying/visit-us</u>

# University of Leicester - Subject Insight Day Now Open for Individual Bookings!

- When: Friday 28th June 2024, arrival on campus from 09:15am. Departure from 2:45pm
- Where: University of Leicester Main Campus, LE1 7RH.
- Why attend: Students will have the opportunity to explore different subject areas, be taught by current University academics and hear from current University of Leicester students. They will also have the opportunity to go on a campus tour and attend some optional IAG sessions at the end of the event. More information about the academic sessions on offer can be found on <u>this website.</u>



### Join our upcoming Open Day and learn about what London Metropolitan University has to offer!

Our Aldgate Campus Open Day on Friday 28 June, 11am to 3pm. It is designed specifically for those interested in our School of Art, Architecture and Design, and showcases the variety amazing facilities our students have at their disposal, such as our unique range of specialist workshops and equipment. All of this in a campus in the heart of the East End, a stone's throw from a variety of galleries and landmarks! For a full list of courses at Aldgate, see the booking page <u>HERE</u>.

Our Holloway Campus Open Day on Friday 05 July, 11am to 3pm. It is specifically curated for those interested in all of our other schools. So whether you're eager to see our cutting-edge Superlab (one of the most advanced in Europe!), our state-ofthe-art newsrooms, or any of the other exciting facilities that our students love, this is the perfect opportunity! For a full list of courses at Holloway, see the booking page <u>HERE</u>.

Sign up for Open Days at Newcastle University HERE.

The 2025 Hull York Medical School prospectus has arrived! Download or order a copy <u>HERE</u>.

### British College of Osteopathic Medicine

Are you interested in studying medicine, physiotherapy, anatomy sciences, sport sciences or a healthcare degree? If so, you may find that an Osteopathy degree is of interest to you.

We have two open days coming up to find out more about studying Osteopathy on:

- Thursday 6th June, 5pm 7pm
- Friday 5th July, 10am 12pm

To attend please register HERE.

### UCAS Key Dates Poster

Are you ready for the 2025 UCAS application cycle? Print and display our updated UCAS key dates poster to make sure you never miss a deadline.

https://files.constantcontact.com/db24a7b0801/9d5e8d32-cff3-41c4-ae62-4067306b46d3.pdf?rdr=true

### Free Chapter - How to Complete Your UCAS Application 2025 Entry

Read the free chapter from the latest release HERE.

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#### Students' Guide 2024

Released last month, and a great resource. Including insights from over 40 university experts, and student finance tips from Martin Lewis. No registration is required, Download <u>HERE</u>.

#### **Events for Students**

Browse over 600 exciting events listed for students, with new opportunities added daily. We're approaching open day season, including events coming up at <u>Buckinghamshire New University</u>, <u>Sheffield Hallam University</u>, and <u>Swansea University</u>, among many others. Search all <u>HERE</u>.

**The Uni Guide Podcast** - Tune in to Episode 29, as we explore where university students live during their course. Featuring Foujia, a student hoping to start university this September, Anton, a final year, and Ishan, a recent graduate. Listen to this and all episodes <u>HERE</u>.

**Subject Guide Webinars** - New this week, is a guide to studying Artificial Intelligence at university. This will be popular! Listen to this, and all subjects <u>HERE</u>.

### **On Demand Webinar Library**



#### **Applied Artificial Intelligence**

A guide to studying Applied Artificial Intelligence at university - including what to expect, application tips and a careers overview. Featuring the University of Bradford

#### Watch now



#### **Computer Science**

A guide to studying Computer Science at university - including what to expect, application tips and a careers overview. Featuring the University of Law.



#### **Veterinary Nursing**

A guide to studying Veterinary Nursing at university - including what to expect, application tips, a careers overview and more. Featuring Royal Veterinary College.

#### Watch now



#### Media

A guide to studying Media at university - including what to expect, application tips and a careers overview. Featuring Leeds Trinity University.

Watch now



#### Religion

A guide to studying Religion at university - including what to expect, application tips and a careers overview. Featuring the University of Winchester.

#### Watch now



#### Theatre

A guide to studying Theatre at university - including what to expect, application tips, careers and more! Featuring Middlesex University London.

Watch now

# **APPPRENTICESHIPS**

#### **BT Group Apprenticeships**

BT Group is the global powerhouse behind EE, BT, Plusnet, and Openreach.

Millions of people rely on us every day to help them live their lives, power their businesses, and keep their public services running. We connect friends to family, clients to colleagues, people to possibilities. We keep the wheels of business spinning, and the emergency services responding. And we use the power of technology to help solve big challenges, like climate change and cyber security.

From day one, you'll have a voice at BT. You'll get stuck in to tough challenges, pitch in with ideas, make things happen. You won't be alone: we'll be there with help and support, learning and development. You'll make great friends, discover new talents, and feel part of something exhilarating.

View all vacancies HERE.

#### Southeastern Railway

Southeastern is a great place to further your career, you will find a rich diversity and a dynamic role in a fast-paced environment. By joining Southeastern, you'll be working for one of Britain's busiest train operators, serving London, Kent and parts of East Sussex.

We are constantly evolving to ensure an excellent passenger service and an inclusive workforce. We are an equal opportunities employer with priorities that include increasing safety, developing our employees and supporting local communities.

#### Read more <u>HERE</u>.

**Supercharge your career with Sizewell C** - the brand new power station bringing 1500 apprenticeship opportunities to young people in the East of England.

Whether you dream of being an architect, digital engineer or quantity surveyor, or you're still not sure what you want to be, this is your chance to have a big career without moving to the big city.

Interested? Sign up now to find out more about the Young SZC programme, and you could win a £50 Amazon voucher.

#### Click <u>HERE</u> if you are interested.

# Apprenticeships under the spotlight

Degree Apprentice in Technology and Digital (Sept 2024) with Global Media and Entertainment Group

We're looking for enthusiastic technologists to be part of our Technology & Digital Degree Apprenticeship Scheme from September 2024, in partnership with Exeter University. We are looking for individuals who are able to solve problems, deliver to deadlines, can communicate with others, and are keen to learn. Apply <u>HERE</u>.

#### Apprentice Maintenance Technician with David Lloyd

Would you like to join the largest Health and fitness operator in Europe working alongside a proud team with the passion to serve?

Our maintenance operative team members play a vital role in our club's wellbeing. We take great pride with the environment in which we operate, ensuring that all equipment is fully functioning, keeping the safety of members and colleagues at the forefront of everything that they do. Apply <u>HERE</u>.

## Support Officer Apprentice with Connected Places Catapult in the City of London (£25,000 per year)

Connected Places Catapult is the UK's innovation accelerator for cities, transport, and places. We provide impartial 'innovation as a service' for public bodies, businesses, and infrastructure providers to catalyse step-change improvements in the way people live, work and travel. Apply HERE.

#### **Building Surveying Apprentice in Orpington**

calfordseaden is a leading multi-disciplined construction and property consultancy. We provide a definitive range of services to the UK building and construction industry covering civil & structural engineering, building & quantity surveying, clerk of works, project management, employers agent, architecture, mechanical & electrical engineering, sustainability, building information modelling, development monitoring, expert witness, fire consultancy, party wall and health & safety. Apply <u>HERE</u>.

## Project Support Officer (Apprenticeship) with The House of Lords

We are looking for a Project Management Apprentice to join our Business Improvement and Change (BIC) Team at the House of Lords. Apply <u>HERE</u>.

## **TESCO STRONGER START APPRENTICESHIPS**





Tesco have recently announced the launch of their new Stronger Starts Retail Apprenticeship programme, as part of their commitment to help young people achieve a stronger start in life.

Watch this exclusive webinar with the Early Careers team from Tesco to learn more about their Stronger Starts Retail Apprenticeship programme, opening for applications in June 2024.

This webinar includes an overview of the retail apprenticeship programme, and also explores why Tesco are committed to helping young people to get a strong start in life.

Discover practical examples and first-hand advice on the application process, how to prepare and what support is provided.



#### What are the entry requirements?

These opportunities are part of Tesco's Stronger Starts campaign to support the communities in which it operates.

Thousands of school children across the UK are already benefitting from a £5m grants programme that helps schools that lack resources to pay for nutritious food for pupils and play equipment to keep children active.

Stronger Starts is one of the few apprenticeship programmes that doesn't require any qualifications or experience as entry requirements.

After completing the programme, apprentices gain a Level 2 National Standard in Retail, which is the equivalent of 5 GCSE passes.

The apprenticeship is delivered by Tesco's partner, Lifetime Training, and will take a minimum of 12 months to complete

#### What's involved in the programme?

The programme will include a blend of learning activities and hands-on experience on the shop floor.

Those joining without a GCSE pass or equivalent in maths and English will gain these during the programme.

The transition from education to the world of work can be daunting, so Tesco have a network of people to support apprentices every step of the way, including expert 1-1 pastoral support from the Prince's Trust, a dedicated Lifetime apprenticeship coach as well as the store teams.

- Salary: minimum starting salary £22,501.44 (36 hours per week)
- Holiday allowance: 20 days pro rata plus a personal day – rising to 22 days after 12 months (plus Bank holiday)
- What you need: No qualification required
- Start date: 23rd September 2024

## It's Your Fu<mark>ture - Plan it !!!</mark>

**Catch up on the webinar LinkedIn for Students** Here's the <u>link to the recording of the session</u>.

#### How to research and apply for HTQs

In this session, hear from Joanne Fradd, Policy Lead, Department for Education who shared key information about HTQs and why they may be a good option for your child, how to find and apply for HTQs and other important information. We also hear from Chloe and Troy, two current HTQ students Catch up on the recording <u>HERE</u>.

### Pathway Careers, Training and Mentorship Service

Did you know that students are 4x more likely to secure an apprenticeship offer through Pathway CTM's <u>FREE</u> <u>programme</u>? They go the extra mile for students offering free, one-to-one coaching and support as they start to take the first steps towards their careers! With their wide network of top employers they open the door to opportunity for your students, ensuring they are confident and prepared for their career journey to start

Students can join the Pathway CTM programme for free by clicking this link here."



#### Make the Future Yours! Issue 9 out now

To download the latest issue, click <u>HERE</u>. If you missed any of the previous issues, you can find them <u>HERE</u>.

#### The UK Careers Fair | Dates & Locations

We are excited to announce the August - November upcoming events for The UK Careers Fair 2024 taking place across the UK. This is your chance to connect with relevant and targeted job seekers/companies, showcase your self/company, and find the perfect role/candidates. Explore the full schedule <u>HERE</u>.

#### Apprenticeships in the Royal Signals

The Royal Signals are at the forefront of everything that the Army does, in conflict and in peace. Whether fighting to set up complex computer and radio networks under fire or enabling communications for humanitarian missions, soldiers are dynamic, flexible and able to use their initiative to meet any challenge. They ensure the Army's lines of communication are working effectively and free from security breaches.

Join our **webinar on 18th June at 3.30pm** to learn more about the range of apprenticeship opportunities available within the Royal Signals and to hear from inspiring Soldiers about their career journey, what their apprenticeships involve and why they chose an apprenticeship with the Army Register <u>HERE</u>.



# NHS England FREE Insight Event - Thursday 20th June 2024 / 18:00 to 19:00

Calling out to all students from YEAR 10s to YEAR 13s, parents and teachers in the South East! Highlights:

• Intro to Pathway CTM and how we can support students with applications

- Intro to NHS and Healthcare in South East England and opportunities available for you to kickstart your journey
- Hear from the NHS & Healthcare Panel: a chance to gain exclusive application tips and advice

Q&A: Chance to ask any burning questions and build connections.

Location: Virtual

SIGN UP NOW: https://pathwayctm.com/event/nhs-se-insight/

### Apprenticeships 101! - FREE Webinar 29th May 2024 18:00-19:00

Pathway CTM are hosting an exciting free webinar for teachers, parents and students in year 9 - 13 (or left school) to talk through all you need to know about apprenticeships! Register <u>HERE</u>.

### Unifrog Course - Mathematics: the size of infinity

Did you know... right now 1,626 students are taking our short course 'Mathematics: the size of infinity', written and presented by one of Unifrog's founders Coralie Colmez.

Coralie graduated with a first-class degree and the Ryan Prize in Higher Mathematics from the University of Cambridge. She also worked on Carol Vorderman's task force to investigate the state of mathematics education in the UK, before founding Unifrog with Alex in 2013.

This course is aimed at Y11–13 students to get a taste of what studying mathematics at university would be like, and develop their independent study skills. No prior advanced maths knowledge is needed to take this course... only the curiosity to learn something new!

Preview the course <u>HERE</u>. Review the subject guide: Mathematics <u>HERE</u>.



#### The Sutton Trust

The Sutton Trust offers a free-to-attend Pathways to Law summer schools to state school students in Year 12.

We support young people from less advantaged backgrounds to access leading universities and careers. In partnership with universities and employers, we run engaging programmes that give students practical advice and leave them feeling inspired and more confident about their future.

Our programmes are completely free to attend. All costs - including travel, accommodation, food and activities – are paid for by the Trust and our partners.

Find out more here: <u>https://www.suttontrust.com/our-</u> programmes/

The Ultimate Guide to Year 12 Law Work Experience: <u>https://www.thelawyerportal.com/free-guides/law-work-experience-year-12/</u>

### **Tasty Careers**

Tasty Careers is your one stop shop to finding a Tasty Career in the food & drink industry. If you want to find out more about a specific career, hear from people already in the industry or are finding job hunting a bit unsavoury, then look no further – we can help!

https://tastycareers.org.uk/students



#### into games

We inspire and nurture talent at every level to create a fair pathway for skill development in the UK games and immersive industries - it's time to press start on your career in games. <u>https://intogames.org/</u>

#### STEPUP EXPO

The Expo for Teens Education & Career Choices, plus Life Skills Friday 28 June 9:30am-3:30pm | Saturday 29 June 10am-3:30pm @ Olympia London

The FREE two-day Step Up Expo features three main content zones; Life Skills, Education Choices, Career Choices. Get tickets HERE.



#### Not Going to Uni

See who are currently advertising their early career opportunities on our website!

There are a range of employers on our website right now who are looking for school and college leavers to join their company. Make sure you check them out before their roles close! Visit the website <u>HERE</u>.

#### The Not Going To Uni Podcast is back with another season!

You can hear from more of our ambassadors as they share their career journeys so far and why the traditional university route wasn't for them.

<u>Listen now</u> on your chosen podcast streaming platform or watch on the Not Going To Uni YouTube channel.

Discover our downloadable resources, which have been created by us, our ambassadors and partners. You can discover a range of helpful resources related to all things early careers! <u>Download NOW.</u>

## She's A Leader Project

She's A Leader project - helping girls aged 12-17 develop leadership skills through sport and gain an accredited qualification.

It's a free project starting in June, must be a resident of Gravesend or attend school in Gravesend. If interested please contact Enquiries@sports4change.co.uk



### **Army Careers Centre Open Day**



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## **Get Into Medicine FREE E-Learning**

Being in the midst of exam season and with this academic year rapidly coming to an end, we recognise the challenge of attending any upcoming conferences. We want your students to focus on their studies and achieve the grades they deserve. Which is why we are thrilled to introduce our new Get Into Medicine E-Learning, available for FREE for aspiring medics who are applying this year and may have missed out before.

With the May bank holiday weekend coming up, this is a perfect opportunity for your students to sign up to this E-Learning and receive vital medical application support and structure they will need in the upcoming application cycle.

Students in years 12/S5/NI13 or year 13/S6/NI14 re-application students can register for the FREE Get Into Medicine E-Learning with the coupon code '**getinto24**' here: <u>https://wexlibrary.yourmedicfamily.org/courses/the-get-into-medicine-conference-e-learning/</u>

The FREE Get Into Medicine E-Learning provides a comprehensive overview of the application process, including the latest UCAT, Personal Statement, and reapplication updates for the 2025 entry. Dr. Kennedy and I will delve into each step of the medical application journey, covering areas like:

- Tactically choosing universities
- Personal statements
- UCAT Entrance Exam
- Medical school interview skills
- Medical Leadership Programmes
- Awards Programmes
- Extracurricular activities
- Work experience
- Building a CV
- Reapplication into Medicine
- Applying for scholarships



The Get Into Medicine E-Learning is only available until the **31st May**, so use the coupon code 'getinto24' and make sure to take advantage of this opportunity to get ahead of your medical school application journey!

## **Virtual Routes into STEM Course**

The Routes into STEM Virtual course allows students Yr9 & 10 and S3 & S4 to recognise the variety of opportunities available to them after taking their GCSEs or Nat 5 and Highers, it will provide them access to key information on different pathways; college, university and STEM career. Diverse live interactive sessions will take place throughout the duration of the course, these will be available during school holidays and after school. Students will be able to listen and ask questions to a variety of STEM professionals and student ambassadors. Students will also choose from a range of exciting projects, developed by our University and Industry partners, to work on during the course.

### Who is it for?

- Students in Year 9 or 10 or S3 or S4 who are interested in exploring a career in STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths).
- All you need is an interest in STEM and curiosity about the future and is open to all academic abilities.

### What is involved?

- Approximately 20 hours of study virtually
- Exploring different Routes into a STEM career including College Courses, University Courses, Apprenticeships and learning from industry what is involved in a STEM career as well as enhancing your skills.
- The course includes live interactive sessions throughout the duration, allowing you to listen and ask questions to STEM students and professionals
- Once you have been inspired by these different Routes you will get to work on a project set by a STEM company to look further at a career area that interests you.

### When is it?

• This course will run during the period 2 October 2023 – 2 August 2024 and students can join anytime and can complete flexibly within this time.

### To find out more and apply, click <u>HERE</u>.



## WORK EXPERIENCE



### The John Lewis Partnership Virtual Work Experience programme is now live!

Whether just starting your career or looking to change your career direction, everyone is welcome at JLP. Our virtual work experience gives you a taste of just a few of the careers available across the Partnership. Our organisation is a complex puzzle of amazing people, with incredible skills all pulling together to achieve the John Lewis Partnership vision. It's time to experience that for yourself!

<u>Register</u> now for free and complete the programme at your own pace



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## **WORK EXPERIENCE**

Interested in a career in logistics and transport but not sure where to start? This programme will take you on a journey through the world of logistics and deliver all the information you'll need about careers in the sector. You'll explore the different careers available and take a closer look at the vital work of the logistics sector in keeping things moving

In this virtual work experience programme, you'll explore the dynamic world of logistics and transport - the importance of technology and data to sustainability and customer care. You'll find out the various areas involved in logistics, and explore the different careers available and learn more about working in the industry through interactive activities, quizzes, and talks with leading professionals!

### INTERESTED IN A OGISTICS **JT NOT SURE ERE TO START?** Virtual Logistics Summer School AGED 13+ Virtual Work Experience COMPLETION TIME 🗸 Available to anyone age 13+ INTERACTIVE REAL TALKS WITH 🗹 Available until 5th August TRY ACTIVITES & QUIZZES GENERATION LOGISTICS GENERATION Springpod 🏷 ⁄ Springpod ⁄ 🖓 LOGISTICS

## To access CLICK HERE

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### The Civil Aviation Authority

The CAA are delighted to be continuing their fantastic Virtual Work Experience offering for 2024! With the changing ways of working it's important to take stock and keep moving forward. There's a great deal of excitement about innovation and the future of aviation, and it's important that progression is made so they become a reality.

Thousands of young people from across the UK will have the opportunity to gain an incredibly invaluable insight into the industry through a live virtual work experience programme. They'll get to grips with the variety of roles available in multiple areas of the regulator, as well as take part in engaging activities and live webinars with industry experts that'll get their careers off the ground and onto a flying start.

The present and the future is an exciting time for the industry – allowing future generations to see what's out there will allow the dreams of today to take positive steps to become the reality of the future. May I kindly ask you to share this with your colleagues, friends and relevant networks, registration is open now: <u>STEM | Work experience at CAA - STEM</u>

Programme dates – 22nd July – 9th August Eligibility Criteria – age range 15-18 years

Watch the CAA Virtual Work Experience Trailer HERE.

### University of Law Business Virtual Work Experience

- Wednesday 29th May, 10am 3:30pm, taking place on Zoom
- The university of Law's Business School will be running interactive workshops and mock lectures on all things business, marketing and ESG
- Open to all students in Y10,Y11,12 &13 looking to get into Business careers
- UBS and KPMG will also be joining this event to share insights to the corporate world as well as taking students through business simulations

Application Link and more information on this opportunity is <u>HERE</u>.





### **PwC Summer Work Experience**

- Taking place at the end of July the PwC Summer Work Experience has reopened for applications for Y11 and Y12 students
- Application deadline is Friday 24th May and will not re open after this date
- PwC are one of the big 4 specialising in Business, Accounting, Technology and Consulting

Application Link and more on this opportunity is <u>HERE</u>.



## **PARENTS / CARERS**

Dear Parents / Carers

We have included below some information received over the last term. We hope you find it useful.

### Parents' & Carers' Pack - Amazing Apprenticeships

The latest apprenticeship information & advice for parents, supported by the Education and Skills Funding Agency. Access the April 24 pack <u>HERE</u> Access the May 24 pack HERE.

#### The Parent Perspective Podcasts

You can access all of the Parent Perspective podcasts <u>HERE</u>

### Top 10 things to do on an Open Day - a checklist for parents

Click <u>HERE</u> to access the checklist.

#### Career Conversation Cards

Use these cards to spark career conversations with young people

#### Discover! Creative Careers Week is back in November 2024!

We are delighted to partner with the Discover! Creative Careers programme, led by ScreenSkills and supported by employers from across the creative sector. To find out more about the opportunities coming up in the Autumn term, book a place on our virtual open evening on Tuesday 25 June, 18:30-19:30. This informative webinar is open to both educators and parents/carers of students. To reserve a spot, click <u>HERE</u>.

#### Parent, Guardian and Carer Guide 2024

Everything you need to support your child with their higher education choices <u>https://www.ucas.com/file/715336/download?token=iNdDS9Yl</u>

#### Parent and Guardian Guide to Apprenticeships

Heard of an apprenticeship but not sure what it's all about? Here, we share what you need to know and practical tips for supporting someone who might be thinking about an apprenticeship. <u>https://www.ucas.com/apprenticeships/parent-and-guardian-guide-apprenticeships</u>

#### For parents and caregivers: how to help your child find the best apprenticeship for them

Compare apprenticeships easily and make a final decision

#### UCAS announces new initiatives to encourage students from low-income families to apply for University

A new package of support targeting students who might disregard university as an option for them, because of initial financial barriers or because they believe they will not achieve the entry requirements published by universities, has been announced today by UCAS. Read the article <u>HERE</u>.

## **ONE FINAL WORD FROM THE CAREERS TEAM**

