

Careers Information & Opportunities



Dear Parents, Carers & Students
Here is this week's round-up of Careers News.
If you have any career tips, comments, suggestions
– or come across useful resources - please email
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Special Information

Understand The Election

Understand the UK Election on BBC Sounds is a simple 10-episode guide to everything that is going on in the election. Hosted by Adam Fleming, it explains everything including jargon and acronyms from candidate selection and leader debates, to results day and the difference a manifesto can make, speaking to journalists, election forecasters and people who have worked at the heart of politics. [Click here](#)

Years 12-13 General Election – Thursday 4th July

Who can register

If you live in England and Northern Ireland, you must be aged 16 or over.

You can register to vote if you're a British citizen or an Irish citizen.

You can vote when you're 18 or over.

What you need to know

You'll be asked for your **National Insurance number** (but you can still register if you do not have one).

After you've registered, your name and address will appear on the electoral register. [More info here](#)

Key deadlines:

18 June 2024 - **Register to vote**

19 June 2024 - **Register for postal voting**

26 June 2024 - **Apply for a proxy vote**

26 June 2024 - **Apply for a Voter Authority Certificate**

Five Ways To Look after Your Mental Health During Exams

13th May – 19th May 2024 was **Mental Health Awareness Week**. The initiative aimed to address the stigma and encourage conversation around our mental wellbeing. This year's theme was 'Movement', which is all about getting involved in activities to boost our energy and decrease feelings of stress and anxiety. With exams underway - here are some tips as to how students could mix up their revision routine. [Click here](#)

Last Minute Revision Tips

Here are the top three revision tips & techniques from *Success at Schools*. [Click here](#)

Apprenticeships

Students with a Unifrog log-in can see all apprenticeship listings, on-demand webinars and more. Students should research the many apprenticeship websites (Amazing Apprentices, Springpod, Uptree, Success at Schools etc) and if they haven't already, register with the government website, [click here](#)

Apprenticeships Now Open For Applications

If you are looking for an audit apprenticeship, then **KPMG** are now open for applications, [click here](#).

If you looking for something much more creative then **Warner Bros** are also looking for apprentices.

From Barbie to Game of Thrones, Harry Potter to Wonka, WBD is a premier global media and entertainment company there are both Level 3 and 4 Apprenticeships.

Applications close June 23rd 2024. Roles available are:

Film Marketing Apprentice

Client Services Apprentice

Diversity, Equity and Inclusion Apprentice

Apprenticeships In Royal Signals - British Army - 18th June 3.30pm

Join this webinar 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. [Book your place](#)

Success At Schools

Lots of application information on their website now available for *CBRE, the Army, Dentons, Marsh McLennan* etc.

All About Assessment Centres

Webinar for students who wish to explore what assessment days are about. Although this is presented by *BP*, it might be useful for generic applications for apprenticeships. [Click here](#)

Latest Higher & Degree Listings

Amazing Apprenticeships have an [up to date list here](#)

Apprenticeship Success

Access real-life stories from apprentices to finding out what it's really like to do an apprenticeship.

[Success Stories](#) | [RateMyApprenticeship Hub](#) Also from *Rate My Apprenticeship* is the **Parent/Carers Hub**. [Click here](#)

Things I Wish I'd Known Before Starting My Apprenticeship

If applying for apprenticeships, you will probably find this post from *NotGoingToUni* very useful. [Click here](#)

Opportunities Available via Career Map & Rate My Apprenticeship Top companies are hiring now; *EY, Arcadis, Marsh McLennan, CGI, GE Aerospace, Unilever, Mace, Softcat, AWE* and *BP*. [Click here](#)

All You Need To Know About Apprenticeships

Amazing Apprenticeship have a terrific website packed full of facts, information and guidance. Here's the link to explore everything you might need to know, [click here](#). Apprenticeship levels explained in *Rapid Resources*, [click here](#)

College/University Information

Capel Manor College – Open Event

Capel Manor is hosting an open event on 22nd June where you can meet with tutors and discuss courses. Timings are 10am-3pm. What's more, Capel Manor is pleased to offer all students aged 16 to 18, a free breakfast before they

start their day – this new initiative ensures all students have access to a nutritious breakfast every day to help them start the day the right way! [Click here](#)

Free UCAT Webinars

If you are applying to medical or dental school next year, you will be required to take the **UCAT** (University Clinical Aptitude Test). Notoriously difficult to navigate, the UCAT has 5 sections, all testing different skills. Medic Mind offering students three **FREE UCAT webinars**, with live advice and tips and a chance to **ask questions to the experts**. Taking place throughout June, [register here](#)

Year 10 Students – Open Event at Long Road College

Students and families are invited to Long Road College **Open Evenings on Tuesday 2nd & Wednesday 3rd July 2024**. The event is also open to Year 11s who would like another chance to visit the college before making their final post-16 decision in August. Attendees need to book a ticket:

<https://www.longroad.ac.uk/page/?title=Open+Evenings&pid=165>.

Year 12 - Cambridge Open Days

Open Days are taking place this year on **Thursday 4 and Friday 5 July**. This is an opportunity for year 12 students to visit college (all colleges are open) and attend talks and taster lectures. Please book to attend these days:

<https://app.geckoform.com/public/#/modern/21FO00rhsaytow007qmpm9v839>

There are also a range of pre-events online which students can attend in advance.

Gonville and Caius

Please do pop and see the TBSHS link College, *Gonville and Caius College* during your visit. They will be running tours and talks including personal statements, HE Finance and a Q and A with the Admissions Tutor. You can view the programme on line by following the link below. <https://www.cai.cam.ac.uk/apply-caius/open-days>

Tool Showing Grades For Uni Courses

Students hoping to start undergraduate courses in 2025 will be able to see the grades that recent successful applicants have achieved at A-Level/BETEC. Click link for BBC News article. [Click here](#)

The Uni Guide Podcast

Episode 28 explores Law at university, featuring insights from Rosie, a current student at Durham University, and Paige, a Trainee Solicitor and star of BBC's How to Crack the Class Ceiling. Listen to this and all episodes [HERE](#)

The Uni Guide - Subject Guide Webinars

Inspired by the latest series of the Traitors, where two contestants were Vet Nurses. Hear from Lyn at the Royal Veterinary College and discover what to expect as a Vet Nursing student.

UniTasterDays Parents' Guide to University FREE To Download

The Parents' Guide to University has been produced by *UniTasterDays.com* in collaboration with *HELOA* - to help parents or guardians support their young person with their higher education decisions. Editorial has been provided by over 40 colleagues at universities and schools and colleges throughout the UK on topics including student finance, university applications, university events, student wellbeing and more. [Click here](#)

UniTasterDays - University Event Directory

UniTasterDays are hosting online university events for students and here's a handy one-stop directory where you can search online. There are listings for taster days, masterclasses, workshops and open days in every imaginable subject – some 127 pages – with filters! Additional sessions such as, *Understanding The UCAS Process*, *UCAS And Personal Statements* and *Student Life*. It's available [here](#). **Special Note:** Workshops can prove useful background research for subjects, EPQs etc. Here's a link to the home page of this terrific directory:

<https://www.unitasterdays.com/> The latest bogs features an introduction to university widening participation and fair access.

Free Download Guide For Parents

From *Success at Schools*, this free digital guide will help parents and carers support their children to make informed decisions about their next steps after school and is designed to provide them with all the information they need to make a successful application to uni. Articles include: Is university right for my child? How to choose a university,

applying through UCAS, writing a personal statement, student finance, Summer Schools (Sutton Trust), accommodation - and lots more [Click here](#)

Choosing The Right Degree

Lancaster University have gathered together their top resources to help students struggling with that decision, along with some guidance on how to pick a degree course. [SACU](#) - great for Year 12s struggling to decide on the right degree or apprenticeship for them. Take a short picture-based quiz and SACU will come up with a cloud of subject areas that would suit a student. [Prospects](#) - another great website for browsing through degree subjects and the careers they can lead to. *Prospects* is also useful for working backwards - starting with a desired career in mind and seeing which degrees or other pathways would be best for achieving a role within that industry. [Hear from Student Ambassadors](#) – a blog on how to choose between universities.

Graduate Case Studies – Sheffield University

The University's [Graduate Case Studies database](#) is an excellent resource for anyone undecided about their future career path. Often they know which subject they would like to study but not where it can lead to afterwards. The database gives examples of previous graduates from the university, and students can filter by different sectors.

UCAS Subject Guides

[Click here](#) for information on subject study at university. Read the threads too on *The Student Room*.

Everything You Need To Know About Russell Group Universities

Whether asking what is a *Russell Group* university - or weighing up whether they are worth it - here are some answers. [Read More](#)

A-Z List of University Courses

From *British Uni*, here's a list of university courses, [click here](#)

University Subject Tasters

Also at the *University of Sheffield*, are a huge number of subject taster lectures taking place online which can be accessed and used as subject study research – even if you don't fancy studying at Sheffield. Register your interest and keep an eye on the [webpage](#) for updates. Regardless of whether you want to attend Sheffield University, [Sheffield Live](#) is a great resource for information on university.

UCAS for Parents

The UCAS website provides a wealth of information geared towards parents including a guide that you can download and information on financial support and budgeting, [click here](#)

Choosing The Right University/Course

Click the link for tips/advice [here](#)

Years 11-12 – Have you Considered All The Options?

University is a great choice for many students but if you're not sure, there are other options. [Click here](#) for an overview from *Success At Schools*. For the pros and cons of university, [click here](#). Which university and what degree to choose? There's some help [here](#) and [here](#). Finally, here's some general information on open days and how to make the most of them, click [here](#)

Work Experience

It's vital students sign up to Uptree & Speakers for Schools who have lots of face to face and virtual opportunities – check with your Head of Year before attending any sessions that fall on a school day

Years 12-13 Fantastic Media/Creative Internship Opportunity

VML say they 'we are a beacon of innovation and growth in an ever-evolving world. Their heritage is built upon over 300 years combined experience and expertise, where creativity meets technology, and diverse perspectives

ignite inspiration. With the merger of VMLY&R and Wunderman Thompson, we have forged a new path as a growth partner that is equal parts creative agency, consultancy, and technology powerhouse'.

They are offering a summer internship called *The Incubator Programme* where successful students will work as a mini agency on a real client brief, learn about the pitch process, pitch, and learn from the best talent in our business. You will get the chance to gain real-world, hands-on experience learning how we create award-winning work that delivers real growth and drives change. You'll develop your ideas and form them into a pitch which you'll then present to your expert panel. **Closing date 27th June.** [Click here](#)

NHS – Various Roles

Various roles (clinical, laboratory, medical, mental health volunteering etc) available in Mid/South Essex Trusts. [Click here](#)

Year 9-13 Online Work Experience – Logistics & Planning

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. Available until 5th August. [Click here](#)

Year 9-13 News From Careers Days

There are new dates for career and work experience days taking place online over the next couple of months and students can register to join the online days through the website. You will learn all about your chosen career in the morning from applications to job prospects and then gain some online work experience to use in their applications in the afternoon. The schedule is as follows:

Midwifery Career Day - Saturday 21st September 2024

Dentistry Career Day - Sunday 6th October 2024

Students can visit www.careerdays.co.uk to join a session and will receive a certificate at the end of the day confirming their work experience. **Please note – there is a £69 cost involved.**

Uptree

Various masterclasses, info events, Insight Days and work experience days now available to book. [Latest info here](#)

Years 10-13 Speakers For Schools

Sign up for Work Experience – various opportunities at various times. [Click here](#) Students in Years 12-13 have recently been sent the latest work exp & Insight opportunities. **Students must seek permission from Head of Year before attending on a school day.**

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Prospective Entrepreneurs!

If you have an entrepreneurial streak, then Radio 4's *The Bottom Line – The Decisions That Made Me A Leader* might well inspire you further. Evan Davis talks to Duncan Bannatyne (Dragon's Den) who first started out with a paper round! Other guests include Martha Lane Fox and the boss of Depop, Simon Beckerman. **Catch them on BBC Sounds & BBC iPlayer.**

Technical Education/Apprenticeship Pathways: Health & Science Careers - 18th June 11am – 11:45am

This session offers students a unique opportunity to explore diverse career paths in health and science through alternative routes such as **BTECs, T-Levels and apprenticeships.**

Suzanne Ramage, a Laboratory Analyst at Dale Farm and a WorldSkills UK Champion, will be present and speak of her journey from a business background to science, culminating in winning a bronze medal in the 2019 Laboratory Technician WorldSkills UK competition. Now an ambassador for technical education and STEM careers, she passionately encourages students to consider these pathways, highlighting the rich opportunities available in science-related fields.

What will be covered:

Technical Education and Apprenticeships Routes to Health and Science Careers

Health and Science Career Map and Earning Potentials

Job Spotlight: Suzanne Ramage, Dale Farm, Q&A and Reflection

You can register on the following link: [Technical Education and Apprenticeship Pathways to Health & Science Careers](#)

Careers In Investment Banking - Tuesday 18th June 9.30am-10.30am

In partnership *with Bank of America*, here's a virtual careers chat focused on exploring different careers in Investment Banking. It will cover three main areas: banking and finance, business support, and technology & operations. Within these, you'll find a variety of exciting job roles that require skills and interests beyond just math and science. In this session, students will get an overview of Investment Banking and the many career opportunities it offers. We'll also have professionals from the bank joining us, sharing their experiences.

Through these discussions, students will gain deep insights into the world of investment banking, learn about different pathways like apprenticeships and internships, and get practical advice for getting started in their careers. Speakers include:

Assistant General Counsel (Lawyer), Corporate and Investment Banking
Apprentice, Global Payment Solutions
Technology Analyst, Global Markets Technology

[Zoom Registration Link here](#)

Make The Future Yours

Latest edition of the careers magazine here. Articles on how to become a plumber, an architect and how to choose A Levels: www.makethefutureyours.uk/latest-issue

SurgeryLive - Virtual Surgical Theatre Operating Experience - Saturday 6th July

The *SurgeryLive* course is an **innovative and interactive virtual course** that gives students a real glimpse of what it's like to be a **surgeon** in an operating theatre, delivered by practising surgeons. The day course includes:

1. A glimpse into the day-to-day life of a surgeon
2. Solving real-life surgical cases, including history taking and anonymized scans
3. Live virtual operations - showing step by step how common surgeries are carried out
4. Learning how to suture with a live follow-along demo (students will be sent their own suturing kit, the same ones used by medical students and doctors)
5. A chance for students to interact with practising surgeons and doctors

For more information and to enrol, please visit the link below:

<https://doctorslive.co.uk/surgerylive/> **Please note, there is a charge**

All Years - New Careers Quiz Here is *The InvestIN Career Quiz!* By answering a series of expertly crafted questions, students unlock a personalised report that unveils an industry aligned with their skills and interests. [Click here](#)

BBC Bitesize

BBC Bitesize have some great advice from leading careers experts and over 350 job case studies from people who've found the right path for them. [Click here](#) for the home page. Check out *Where could your favourite subject take you?* *Explore careers by job sectors* and *Careers A-Z – Find your Perfect Job*.

Careers Website

Explore and find out about careers using this website – lots of useful tools. [Click here](#)

Careers Talks – Speakers For Schools

See below for the latest listing:

More Upcoming Broadcasts

Join us for an online event celebrating creativity in the screen industries with **BAFTA**. Hear from industry experts, explore diverse voices, and celebrate Pride. Stay tuned for speaker reveals!

Thursday 13th June | 10:00am - 11:00am | KS3-5 / S1-6

Sign-up

Discover insights from **Nadine Pfeifer**, NHS Senior Manager and HopStair App Founder, in our industry spotlight session.

Tuesday 18th June | 02:00pm - 03:00pm | KS3-5 / S1-6

Sign-up

Improve your students' career readiness by broadcasting a virtual talk with **Kio Briggs**. Explore how creativity fuels success beyond traditional industries.

Thursday 20th June | 10:00am - 11:00am | KS3-5 / S1-6

Sign-up

Discover how Industrial Light & Magic's animators brought the toys of Netflix's 'Lost Ollie' to life. Join Senior Animator **Alex Teoh** as he shares the creative process and techniques behind the magic.

Friday 21st June | 10:00am - 11:00am | KS3-5 / S1-6

Sign-up

Join us for an inspiring talk with **Sowmya Pulle**, Senior Marketing Manager at SSCL, as she shares her unconventional career journey from drama to marketing, defying family expectations.

Monday 24th June | 10:00am - 11:00am | KS3-5 / S1-6

Sign-up

Meet **Carl Austin-Behan**, LGBTQ+ Ambassador in Manchester and RAF Veteran. Despite discrimination, he advocates for equality. Learn from his journey, inspire change for inclusivity.

Wednesday 26th June | 10:00am - 10:45am | KS3-5 / S1-6

Sign-up

Discover makeup industry secrets with expert **Katie Stedman**. Unravel myths and truths in beauty for TV and film. Gain unique insights from her experience.

Thursday 27th June | 11:00am - 11:45am | KS3-5 / S1-6

Sign-up

Explore behind the scenes at **Boots** in this discovery morning session! Learn how they support the community and environment. Two insightful sessions and activities make it a full day of learning.

Monday 1st July | 11:00am - 11:45am | KS4-5 / S4-6

Sign-up

Discover **Boots**' sustainability strategy in this second session. Ideal for budding environmentalists exploring green skills and roles. Book now for exciting student discovery workshops.

Monday 1st July | 1:30pm - 02:30am | KS4-5 / S4-6

Sign-up

Introducing **Rachel Grant**, a versatile actor, entrepreneur, and former Bond girl. She's on a mission to empower students by sharing invaluable career insights. Join the talk and get inspired.

Monday 1st July | 02:00pm - 02:45pm | KS3-5 / S1-6

Sign-up

Curious about journalism routes and the industry's landscape? Join **Alan Jones** in this Industry Spotlight, sharing his journey and insights into the journalism world.

Tuesday 2nd July | 02:00pm - 03:00pm | KS3-5 / S1-6

Sign-up

Professor **David Holt** shares his journey in lab medicine, exploring STEM careers, bioanalytics, and the impact of developing life-saving medicines. An inspiring educational opportunity.

Wednesday 3rd July | 02:00pm - 02:45pm | KS3-5 / S1-6

Sign-up

Industry Spotlight with **Sophie Bullivant**, Engagement Advisor and **Jeff Law**, Pharmacy Training Lead. Explore roles in the trading industry and a day in the life of a pharmacist.

Thursday 4th July | 10:00am - 11:00am | KS3-5 / S1-6

Sign-up

Join us for a session with **Scott Stevens**, Commercial Director at St. James's Place. Discover financial services, wealth management, and career opportunities to broaden your students' horizons.

Friday 5th July | 10:00am - 11:00am | KS3-5 / S1-6

[Sign-up](#)

Uncover the realm of Law in this Industry Spotlight Talk featuring **Helen Chapman**, Barrister and part-time Judge. Explore her journey into Criminal Law and navigating the industry as a woman and parent.

Monday 8th July | 02:00pm - 03:00pm | KS3-5 / S1-6

[Sign-up](#)

Don't miss **Marco Ndrecaj**'s remarkable story! As SSCL's Director of Contact Centre Services, he shares his journey from a young immigrant to a successful leader.

Wednesday 10th July | 02:00pm - 03:00pm | KS3-5 / S1-6

[Sign-up](#)

Join us for an inspiring session with **Matt Cordas**, from pot washer to team leader. Learn CV crafting, personal branding, and interview mastery.

Friday 12th July | 10:00am - 11:00am | KS3-5 / S1-6

[Sign-up](#)

Join explorer **Levison Wood** as he shares incredible stories from his global expeditions. Discover the transformative power of challenge and adventure.

Monday 15th July | 10:00am - 10:45am | KS3-5 / S1-6

[Sign-up](#)

Join **Chris Tams**, Director at BPI, representing UK's music industry, for insights into music business, industry representation, and music's societal impact. Ideal for music-passionate students.

Tuesday 16th July | 10:00am - 10:45am | KS3-5 / S1-6

[Sign-up](#)

Don't miss **David Lowe**'s journey in music, from TV to radio, creating iconic pieces like the BBC news intro. Learn about building a successful music composition career.

Thursday 18th July | 09:45am - 10:45am | KS3-5 / S1-6 [Sign-up](#)

[A Guide to Career to Options 2024](#)

This guide is full to the brim with career and application advice for students. You can download the online version of the free guide [here](#).

[Careers Unwrapped](#)

[Careers Unwrapped](#) is a podcast series where accomplished industry leaders share their career stories, advice and reflections to inform and inspire young people.

[All Years - Careers Fairs](#)

From *UK Careers Fairs*, here's a list of Careers Fairs taking place in many major cities in England. [Click here](#) Also from *UK Careers Fairs* are these useful box links. [Click here](#)

[Year 8-13 Find Your Potential – Career Sense](#)

The Find Your Potential resources from Nat West's Career Sense, support 13-18 year-olds to discover their strengths and skills for the future world of work. Students will receive personalised information on future careers they may want to pursue, based on their strengths and what they enjoy. The resources help students develop self-awareness and confidently start to think about career next steps. **Register now to download the resources.** [Click here](#)

[Careers Websites](#)

When free, do take a look over the *All About Careers* website as there's lots of information to digest regarding careers, [click here](#)

[Find Out More About Individual Jobs](#)

For snapshots into the world of work, visit the *icould* website to explore hundreds of videos about different jobs - search by filters such as job type and school subject. [Click here](#)

Begin! - Careers Guide

University of Nottingham has just launched a new careers guide called *Begin!* Whilst this is targeted at university students, it may also be relevant for sixth form students. Wherever students are with their career journey, this is the place where they can begin. [Click here](#)

Resources

Preparing For Success This Summer - Wednesday 19th June 7pm-8pm

Free Event for Parents & Students As the summer approaches, it's a good time for students to start thinking about how to use that time wisely. To get a head start on their futures, students can use this time to upskill and gain valuable experiences that will boost future applications. Parents can also play a vital role in sharing ideas to inspire and motivate students. Join *InvestIN* on Wednesday the 19th June as they discuss how students can make the most of their summer break and maximise their career potential. **The session will cover:**

The impact of the changing job market on the future of careers

A deep dive into desirable skills students can build over the summer and key practical takeaways to implement this
How InvestIN can support students on their career journey [Join up here via Zoom](#)

Exam Resources

Covering 7 topics, help support students' science revision and retention ahead of exams. Download resources with essential knowledge and need-to-know facts on topics in the science curriculum plus help with exam revision.

[Click here](#)

Turinglab/Python Coding

Here's information on engaging tools to learn Python coding. Explore *Turinglab's* fun, engaging Python fundamentals course; programming a farmbot, setting up smart cities, creating a chatbot. Scroll down to 'Learn on your Own' & 'Learner Sign Up' <https://www.amazonfutureengineer.co.uk/turinglab>

BBC iPlayer/Sounds

Don't forget the vast archive available within the BBC and is absolutely free – it's a fantastic resource and useful for b/g research and reading around one's subject eg *The Law Show* on BBC Sounds [click here](#). Psychologists might find *All In The Mind* an interesting listen and on BBC iPlayer, there's *The Ascent of Man* for philosophers. For the arts and popular culture, there's everything from *Abba* to *Andy Warhol* – plus Orwell to Shakespeare. There's a history channel too as well as sport featuring profiles eg Pep Guardiola. [Click here](#) and see the Categories tab.

STEM in Action is an online resource with five themed modules that include videos and activities that can be done at home or in school. Explore all the modules and learn about how scientists and engineers at Imperial College London are working to better our world. For more information, please see **Outreach Programme FAQs**.

Years 9-10 Virtual Routes Into STEM

The [Virtual Routes into STEM](#) course, aimed at students in Years 9 & 10. This course is available to students to complete until **2nd August 2024**. Students are able to join and complete this course flexibly within this timeframe but can also work as in-school sessions to compliment your curriculum. The course is suitable for all academic abilities and will take approximately 20 hours to fully complete. Upon completion students will be accredited with a [Bronze Industrial Cadets Award](#). Click the link to find out more.

Years 7-13 Outreach from UCL

Years 7-11 [Bring Your Family to University Days](#) - For students in **Year 5 - 11** and their families - guided tours, information and advice, and fun activities on the UCL Campus - **6 July**.

Ask the Expert Ask the Expert is your chance to pose any question you want to our team of 67 experts. We will answer your questions within 2 weeks!

Years 12-13 Data Detectives: Online Data Challenge - Tackle real-life mysteries like the differences in happiness between countries or the value of a new film release using statistics! [Click here](#)

Years 12-13 Space Science Week - take part in online classes and visit a cutting edge lab in July. [Click here](#)

Years 9-11 Architecture - Bartlett Summer School - A 2-day interactive Summer School where students will take part in a series of workshops, hands-on design and creation activities

Revision Tips

From *Success at Schools* come some handy pointers for keeping on track with revision. [Click here](#)

New Uptree Careers Guide

Uptree has a brand new [Careers Guide](#); students will be able to explore the world of work, diving into six key industries. Each industry has been carefully selected to provide students with useful insights that will help you make informed career decisions.

Free Resources From STEM Learning

To support parents and carers, our subject experts have put together a selection of activities and materials, which are free for everyone to access. [Click here](#)

Uptree

Do make sure you are signed up to *Uptree* – fantastic resources, work experience & insight days

General/Competitions

Celebrate Science & The Arts at the Great Exhibition Road Festival

For Young People and Families of All Ages

Join the fun in South Kensington on 15 to 16 June 2024 for this year's **Great Exhibition Road Festival** celebrating how science and the arts help people, communities, and nature flourish.

This free weekend has something for everyone, with events from Imperial College London, the Natural History Museum, Science Museum, Royal College of Music, V&A, Royal Albert Hall and more.

Discover the Festival Zones, including dedicated a space for Families (**Family Fun Zone**) and Young People (**NextGen Zone**) Browse a selection of exciting activities taking place **on our website** – from workshops like **designing your own energy-efficient car** and talks including **how technologies may help us thrive beyond our home planet** with Britain's first astronaut Dr Helen Sharman.

Register today for regular Festival updates and to find out when free tickets for popular events are available.

All Category Age Groups – Maths Careers Board Game Competition

From the *IMA*, design and create your own unique Board Game. Win Amazing Prizes. Specific category for students in Year 12/13. Deadline 26th June. [Enter Here](#)

Imperial Science in Medicine School Teams Prize 2024 For students in Years 12 and 13 and their teachers

Entries Now Open

The National Heart and Lung Institute, the *British Heart Foundation's Centre of Research Excellence* at Imperial College London and the *Imperial NIHR Biomedical Research Centre* return with the *Science in Medicine School Teams Prize*, aimed at engaging 16-18 year olds with science in medicine.

This year there are five separate team contests. Schools can enter one team, or be part of one collaborating team. Each team should have no more six members and should be made up of students with varied interests to demonstrate a multidisciplinary approach. All members of teams that enter will receive a certificate of participation. For each prize, the top ten scoring teams will be short-listed and invited to present their posters at an online finals event, to be held in late September – early October. The posters will be scored and judged by Imperial academics and the 1st prize for each contest is £3000. Prizes are intended to support science-related activities and shortlisted teams will also be offered the opportunity for an online academic mentoring session.

The deadline for submitting an entry is Monday 01 July 2024 at 17:00pm and submissions must be made by your teacher.

Amazon Cyber Robotics Challenge

Discover how *Amazon* uses computer science and robotics daily to deliver goods.

The Challenge: Can you code an Amazon Hercules Robot to deliver your friend's birthday present? Join this free 3-hour virtual challenge to learn programme basics. [Info here](#) and [Parents Sign-Up](#)

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