## Careers Information & Opportunities



Dear Parents, Carers & Students Welcome to the weekly Careers News bulletin If you have any career tips, comments, suggestions – or come across useful resources - please get in touch. <u>claire.jonas@tbshs.org</u>

Students with a Unifrog log-in can see all apprenticeship listings, on-demand webinars & 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, <u>click here</u>

## **Special Announcements**

### Linklaters (Law) Business Foundation Course

Please see the information under 'Resources' for the above; a wonderful opportunity for those interested in Law. **Information was sent directly to Year 12-13's school email.** 

#### Advance Notice – Price Bailey Event Make Your Career Count – Life as a Trainee at Price Bailey

Who it's for: Year 12–13 students considering apprenticeships or school-leaver routes into professional services What to expect: A panel discussion with current Price Bailey trainees

Insights into training, qualifications, and career progression plus a walk-through of the application process Free food, refreshments, and time for networking

#### Date: Thursday 25 September 2025

#### Time: 6:00 PM – 7:30 PM (Doors open at 5:30 PM)

Location: Price Bailey, Causeway House, 1 Dane Street, Bishop's Stortford, Hertfordshire, United Kingdom, CM23 3BT Register here: <u>https://careers.pricebailey.co.uk/jobs/event/make-your-career-count-at-price-bailey/14/detail/0/</u> Students are welcome to bring a guest (parent, guardian, or friend). **Please register each attendee in advance.** 

#### Local Volunteering Opportunity

This would be very good for those looking to go into teaching – or perhaps a career in the community; Essex Libraries are looking for volunteers to help run their annual *Summer Reading Challenge*. This activity takes place throughout the summer break to encourage children to keep reading during the holidays. If you are looking for a volunteering opportunity that is fun and interesting, take a look at the website, <u>click here</u>

#### ECITB Scholarships (Engineering Construction) – Starting September 2025

*ECITB Scholarships* equip the next generation of engineers with the skills needed for engineering construction projects. Learner gain industrial skills and knowledge alongside an industry recognised qualification and CCNSG Safety passport. Various locations in the UK. <u>Click here to find out more</u>

# **Apprenticeships**

#### Cambridge University HR Apprenticeship

Christ's College are currently advertising for an HR Apprentice, closing 11<sup>th</sup> June. Click here

#### Hertford Regional College – Apprenticeship Event

Hertford Regional College are hosting an Apprenticeship Information Event on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> June 2025, 17:30 – 19:00. The event is open to all and ad the Broxbourne campus, there will be talks including:

- What is an apprenticeship?
- What apprenticeships are available at HRC?
- How to search and apply for apprenticeships
- Top tips for CVs, applications and interviews

Staff will be available to support you and will also be providing short tours of the college facilities. To book on to this event, please use the link below: https://hrc.ac.uk/events/apprenticeship-information-evening/

#### Latest Higher & Degree Listings

The eagerly anticipated Higher and Degree listing is now available. This edition features hundreds of vacancies from across the country and is a fantastic way to show students, colleagues and parents/carers the fantastic opportunities that apprenticeships can offer. Next release at the end of this month, in the meantime <u>Check out the October edition</u>

#### 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, <u>click here</u>. Meet Amazing Apprentices – and apprenticeship levels explained in Rapid Resources, <u>click here</u>

#### <u>Uptree</u>

Lots of webinar info here on apprenticeship masterclasses etc (including work experience), click here

## **College/University Information**

#### Year 11 College Open Events

If your son is intending to join one of the local Colleges of Further Education, it is vital that he signs up ASAP. Courses are often over-subscribed and in order to secure their first choice, signing up is essential.

#### Open Event Writtle College Wednesday 18th June 3pm-7pm Sign up here

#### Capel Manor College – Open Event 21<sup>st</sup> June 10am-3pm

Students interested in land-based or environmental careers may visit the open event taking place at *Capel Manor* on 21<sup>st</sup> June 10am-3pm, <u>please register here</u>

#### Year 10 Long Road Sixth Form College Open Evenings July 2025: BOOKING NOW LIVE

Year 10 students and their families are invited to the **Open Evenings on Wednesday 2<sup>nd</sup> & Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2025.** The event is also open to any Year 11s who would like another chance to visit the college with their families before making their final post-16 decision in August. To ensure that the event is safe and enjoyable for all visitors, attendees must book a ticket. Booking is now live - please visit the website: <u>https://www.longroad.ac.uk/open- evenings</u> Due to the popularity of our events, to ensure that as many students as possible can join us, tickets are limited to a maximum of 4 per booking.

#### **On-Line Subject Tasters**

From *UAE*, these subject tasters could be useful regardless of whether you wish to study at UAE or not. Upcoming lectures include Biology, Economics, English Lit, Film & Media, Geog & Env Studies, Health Sciences & Nursing, History, Law, Maths & Psychology. To view the full programme and sign up, please visit <u>www.uea.ac.uk/study/tasters</u>

**Sheffield University** also host subject tasters – great for experiencing a university lecture or seminar and get a feel for what studying at university if like. Interactive sessions available now. <u>Click here</u>

#### The Guardian University Guide 2025

The latest tables rank institutions by student satisfaction, staff numbers, spending, and career prospects. Useful as a guide to university options based on comprehensive data. <u>Click here</u>

#### **Global University Guide**

Take a look at the global QS rankings – this year's is the largest ever featuring over 1500 universities. Click here

#### <u>HTQs</u>

#### Higher Technical Qualification (HTQ) webinar series – June & July

There will be 15 webinars on HTQs in conjunction with the Department for Education. The webinars are suitable for anyone with an interest in technical education who would like to learn the latest information about HTQs, including students who may be considering an HTQ as a next step (post-18).

Each webinar has a unique focus on HTQs in either a specific sector or region of the country.

The sector-based webinars are: Advanced Manufacturing, Business & Finance, Clean Energy, Construction, Creative, Defence, Digital and Life Sciences.

# The region-based webinars are: Cambridgeshire & Peterborough, East Midlands, London, North West, Tees Valley, West Midlands and the West of England.

To see the full list of webinars and register to attend, please visit <u>amapps.uk/htq-webinar-series</u>. By registering, you can attend online live, or watch the recording on catch up.

#### <u>T-Levels</u>

All the local Colleges offer various Post-16, 2 year T-Level Courses; study with industry placements of at least 315 hours/45 days. For more information on T-Levels, <u>please click here</u> Here's a powerpoint that also explains more, <u>click here</u>

#### Struggling To Choose Your Uni Course?

Many Year 13 students will have identified the degree and universities they want to apply to by now, but for some it's a struggle to make those choices. <u>BetterUniChoices most recent blog</u>, written by an experienced university admissions officer, offers support for those who don't know where to start. <u>Click here</u>

#### **UNiTool 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.<u>Click here</u>
<u>The Uni Guide Podcast</u> Episode 28 explores Law at university, Listen to this and all episodes on wide range of

university related subjects <u>HERE</u>

#### 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 <u>here</u>. *Special Note:* Workshops can prove useful background research for subjects, EPQs etc. Here's a link to the home page of this terrific directory:

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

#### The Uni Guide - Subject Guide Webinars

Impartial video guides on studying various subjects at university. The latest release is a guide to studying illustration. Watch this and hundreds more HERE. Also, 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 \*\*\*NEW \*\*\*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. <u>Click here</u>

#### Is It Worth Going To University?

*The Guardian ask* the experts. With a cost of living crisis, lecturers' strikes and high fees, is university still worth it? <u>Click here</u>

#### **Choosing The Right Degree**

Struggling with that decision? *Lancaster University* have pulled together various resources. <u>SACU</u> - great to help Year 12s decide on the right degree/apprenticeship. Take a short picture-based quiz and SACU will come up with a cloud of subject areas that would suit a student. <u>Prospects</u> - another website for browsing 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. <u>Hear from Student</u> <u>Ambassadors</u> – a blog on how to choose between universities.

#### 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. <u>Read More</u>

#### UCAS Subject Guides

<u>Click here</u> for information on subject study at university. Read the threads too on *The Student Room*.

#### Graduate Case Studies – Sheffield University

The University's <u>Graduate Case Studies database</u> 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.

#### A-Z List of University Courses

From British Uni, here's a list of university courses, click here

#### 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, <u>click here</u>

#### 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. <u>Click here</u> for an overview from *Success At Schools*. For the pros and cons of university, <u>click here</u>. Which university and what degree to choose? There's some help <u>here</u> and <u>here</u>. Finally, here's some general information on open days and how to make the most of them, click <u>here</u>

## 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

#### Heritage Lincolnshire – "Dig Into History" 8th -10th July Online Ages 14–19 Deadline: 15th June 2025

<u>Apply here</u> This is an exciting opportunity for students with a passion for **history, conservation, archaeology, or** architecture. <u>Heritage Lincolnshire</u> is a charity working to preserve the county's historical sites, stories, and communities. During the three-day placement, students will explore projects such as:

- Restoring Lincoln's Medieval Greyfriars
- Celebrating Edward Watkin's legacy in Grimsby and Cleethorpes
- Reviving historic shops in Boston

This placement builds awareness of careers in the **heritage sector** and shows students how the past can shape their future. Although based in Lincolnshire, this opportunity is now open **nationwide**.

#### Maths In Your Careers

*Digdata* provide live online career challenges and virtual work experience. Check out the free programme: <u>www.digdata.online</u>

#### Years 12-13 Work Experience With Wellcome/Sanger – Closing 5th June

#### Cellular Operations work experience – 7th & 8th August 2025

Would you like to gain an insight into how cells are grown and studied to understand human disease? Take part in a two day work experience opportunity in the *Wellcome Sanger Institute's Cellular Operations* programme. Six places are available - up to two places in each of the following scientific areas: CRISPR Editing, Organoid Modelling, CRISPR Screening and Spatial Genomics.

This work experience is an introduction to molecular and cellular laboratories and is aimed at students that have little to no lab experience.

#### **CRISPR Editing**

Discover the power of CRISPR gene editing through a hands-on molecular biology project! During this placement, you will learn key techniques such as PCR, gel electrophoresis, and molecular cloning, all while working towards designing and cloning your own plasmid guide RNA vector. Alongside practical lab work, you will gain insight into bioinformatics and explore how CRISPR is transforming genetic research. This project will provide a strong foundation in gene editing and an understanding of its applications in cutting-edge science.

#### **Organoid Modelling**

Are you interested in cutting-edge research on 2D and 3D tissue modelling? This placement offers hands-on experience in generating models of human tissue, with a focus on intestinal and endometrial tissues. You will work on a mini project aimed at exploring multiple techniques essential for cellular biology research.

During the placement, you will:

Learn how to culture intestinal and endometrial tissues in 3D.

Explore the foundations of 2D cell culture by working with stromal fibroblast cells.

Use specialised imaging equipment to analyse the models.

This is a unique opportunity to engage in high-throughput cell biology research, contributing to models that support global scientific advancements in disease understanding. Come spend time with our experts and dive into the fascinating world of 3D research.

#### **CRISPR Screening**

Join an immersive project exploring how CRISPR technology is used to study cancer cells. During this placement, you will learn how to culture cancer cells, analyse different cellular models (from haploid lines to 3D organoids), and observe how CRISPR is applied to edit genes within these cells. Your focus will be on setting up a mini CRISPR screen to explore gene function, providing a practical introduction to one of the most powerful tools in modern genetic research.

#### **Spatial Genomics**

Spatial genomics combines molecular and morphological data to map gene expression within a tissue sample to the physical location in which it is occurring. This expands our knowledge of tissue structure and cellular interactions, allowing investigations into disease and development. During this placement you will work through the key steps within a spatial genomics laboratory workflow. This includes tissue processing, histology techniques and sample quality assessment. You will also be introduced to the cutting-edge spatial technologies used in the laboratory, such as Visium CytAssist and Xenium.

Applications are invited from A level / T-level students, by 9.00am on **Thursday 5th June 2025**. This work experience is an introduction to molecular and cellular laboratories and is aimed at students that have little to no lab experience.

# Applications should be made via this form - <u>https://forms.gle/ZToWKPwbuzXTrj7d9</u>. Please include the following in your application:

Motivation: Clearly explain why you are interested in this experience, providing specific reasons for your interest. Interest in the Sanger Institute: Describe why you have chosen the Sanger Institute and what appeals to you about it. Preferred Scientific Area: Please specify your top three preferred fields for placement during the visit. Successful applicants will be notified by email.

#### Uptree Work Experience Days

Lots of webinar info here on work experience & Insights days click here

#### **On-Line Careers Info/Work Experience**

Explore careers and prepare for the job with hundreds of free job simulations designed by the world's top employers. Get instant access to a library of hundreds of interactive (2-5 hour) online projects, designed by top employers such as *BCG*, *JP Morgan*, *PWC*, *Latham & Watkins*, *General Electric* and many more. Click here

## **Careers**

#### Online Careers Fair 7th-11th July

## **Online Careers Fair 2025**

Online Careers Fair is a week of online sessions, running from 7th-11<sup>th</sup> July 2025. It overs topics from careers in construction, applying for a degree in law, working in a charity to CV writing. Scan to QR code to see the full week of events and register your attendance!



Over the last three years, over **3800 young people** have participated in this Online Careers Fair project.

#### HOW DOES IT WORK

The Online Careers Fair project aims to provide every young person with the knowledge and skills they need to support their career ambitions. The sessions are open to young people aged 14-18 as online talks, lasting one hour.

The week will consist of **11 sessions,** discussing different careers within industries and providing guidance on topics such as writing university applications and interview technique.

Sessions will be facilitated by Zoom and overseen by *The Diana* 

Award Mentoring Programme Team and professional volunteer mentors.

If you would like to register for specific webinars, the timetable of events with all the registration links can be found attached via the QR code – this will lead you to the timetable and registration links.

#### **Choices Magazine**

The June edition of *Choices* has just been released and can be downloaded <u>here</u>. This month's edition features Ranjit, whose daughter Jainna is a multi-award-winning apprentice and Nylah, a former T Level student now building her career in construction. The spotlight is on four apprentices working in finance across government and share what to expect from upcoming reforms to work experience. *Uptree* helps explain why work experience matters and there's an article on support available for disabled young people. Mark Anderson offers five tips to help your child make informed choices. Plus, discover a new apprenticeship programme launching this summer, explore the free HTQ webinar series, and check out this term's full schedule of events.

#### Job Of The Week – From MyPath

Ever wondered how/what/why about the role of a Sound Director? Click here

#### From IMA

#### Maths Careers Profiles

Don't forget to check out the career profile section of the *MathsCareers* website. Here you will find hundreds of examples of people who have gone on to work in a huge range of different sectors.

#### Ever Wondered Why/How Maths Is Useful in Careers?

Take a look at some of these videos - written to show students the explicit link between maths and the world of work. <u>Click here</u> Designed for teaching staff but useful for students too.

#### There are Geography, English & Science videos available too, <u>click here</u> There's also a *Job of the Week* site too; this week Cyber Security Analyst, <u>click here</u>

#### Escape Studios – Careers Guide

Find your niche in the creative industries. This guide is packed with all the essential information about careers and all that is needed to enter this evolving industry full of opportunities. Click the link and complete the info form. <u>Click here</u>

#### Careers In The Craft Sector

Following the announcement that Birmingham's jewellery quarter has now been awarded World Craft City Status, from ceramicists to glassblowers, check out the careers in the creative sector (see the Craft Your Future section). <u>Click here</u>

#### From The Royal Society Of Chemistry

<u>What makes some soft drinks fizzier?</u> Learn the science behind your soda's sparkle and how to avoid too many bubbles <u>What Is A Nuclear Chemist?</u> Find out more at this webinar. <u>Nuclear chemistry – more than power stations</u> Tuesday 17 June 2025, 4–5pm, online

And - What Is A Formulation Chemist? The brand new What do formulation chemists do page is now live.

See the types of roles – from designing new cosmetics to meat alternatives. The page outlines what skills are required, the types of companies you could work for, qualifications needed, routes into the industry and real life case studies. WHAT FORMULATION CHEMISTS DO

#### Years 12-13 A Day In The Life Of - Students With Unifrog Login

The popular 'day in the life' series is back, giving students a glimpse into **what it's really like to work in a range of popular sectors** like early years, food and drink, climate change, medicine, and management. This is for those students who are starting to think about potential careers and subject options, and also for those who already know what they want to do to help them get one step closer. **Use your Unifrog log in to find the series.** 

#### Not Just Lab Coats

There's a new Careers Quiz to help you discover a career in science that fits your personality, passions, and talents. If you're into tech, creative problem-solving, or making a difference in the world, there might be something for you in the science sector. <u>Click here</u>

#### Science Careers Roles

For more on career roles within the sector, take a look here.

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#### **Speakers For Schools**

See below for talks with links for registering: Explore hundreds of **recorded inspirational talks** in the virtual library.

Talk Title	Description	Details
From History Books to Foreign Affairs: The Power of Languages in International Careers	Curious where history or languages can lead? Join <u>Arthur Snell</u> —writer, podcaster, and former UK diplomat—as he explores how studying the past and mastering communication can unlock global careers. Discover how curiosity and culture shape real-world success.	Date: Wednesday 11th June Time: 10:00 am - 10:45 am Ages: 11 - 19 <u>Register here</u>
Gadget Goals to Global Impact IntoTech	Spark your students' career ambitions with <u>HPE's</u> inspiring broadcast. Interns, apprentices & senior leaders share their journeys—from marketing & sales to project management & IT. Showing how your students' skills can shine across diverse tech roles.	Date: Thursday 12th June Time: 02:00pm - 03:00pm Ages: 11 – 19 <u>Register here</u>
The Importance of Health and Wellbeing on Your Skin with Reena Hammer	Join <u>Reena Hammer, Co-Founder of Indu</u> , for an inspiring session exploring the connection between wellness and skincare. With experience in beauty, branding, and business, Reena shares how taking care of your health can boost confidence and fuel career success.	Date: Monday 16th June Time: 10:00 am - 10:45 am Ages: 11 - 19 <u>Register here</u>
My Creative Career Path - Do I Look Like A Gamer? (Gaming Industry)	Think gaming isn't for you? Think again. Join Nigel Twumasi, Co-Founder of mayamada, to explore how the Do I Look Like A Gamer? campaign is helping shape a more inclusive gaming industry—and how creative, technical, or community skills can lead to real careers.	Date: Tuesday 17th June Time: 02:00 pm - 02:45 pm Ages: 11 - 19 <u>Register here</u>

Adam Kay: This Is Going To Hurt – Live on Location	Join us for a special Careers Talk with Adam Kay – bestselling author, former doctor, and creator of <u><i>This Is Going To</i></u> <u><i>Hurt</i></u> . Hear about his journey from hospital wards to TV studios in this exclusive session. Questions must be submitted in advance.	Date: Wednesday 18th June Time: 11:30 am - 12:30 pm Age: 14 to 19 <u>Register here</u>
My Career in the NHS & what it takes to work in National Health	Find out what it's really like to work in health and social care with Acosia's inspiring NHS career story. Learn about the key skills needed for person-centred care and explore a range of rewarding roles across healthcare in this unmissable broadcast.	Date: Thursday 19th June Time: 02:00 pm - 02:45 pm Age: 11 to 19 Register here
Think Differently, Film Differently – Celebrating Inclusion and Neurodiversity in the Screen Industries with Into Film	Join us for an <b>inspiring event</b> exploring inclusion and neurodiversity in film and TV. Discover how the screen industries are evolving to embrace different ways of thinking and working. Ideal for anyone curious about screen careers or passionate about representation.	Date: Friday 20th June Time: 10:00 am - 11:00 am Age: 11 - 19 <u>Register here</u>
Dive into the world of a Business Analyst with AssistKD	Discover what it's like to be a Business Analyst in this talk with <u>AssistKD</u> . If you're into solving problems, using data, or asking "why?", this session will show you how analysts drive change across industries.	Date: Tuesday 24th Time: June 02:00 pm - 03:00 pm Age: 11 - 19 <u>Register here</u>
Who works in HR and why are they called "people pros?"	Curious about careers in Human Resources? Join <b>Speakers for Schools</b> for a panel talk exploring how HR professionals solve workplace challenges, support staff, and shape company culture. A great choice for students who enjoy working with people.	Date: Tuesday 24th June Time: 10:00 am - 11:00 am Age: 14 - 19 <u>Register here</u>
Build the Blueprint for Your Future by Developing a Personal Development Plan	Join <u>Speakers for Schools</u> and Scott Stevens from St James's Place to learn how to create a Personal Development Plan. Gain practical tools to set goals, stay motivated, and take clear steps towards your future.	Date: Friday 27th June Time: 10:00 am - 10:45 am Age: 11 to 19 <u>Register here</u>

#### Uptree Careers Guide

Discover your journey with this latest guide from *Uptree*, it's in useful sections; business & finance, engineering & technology, law, marketing, professional services and science. Click here

#### Employment at Stansted Airport (Owned By Manchester Airport Group - MAG)

For vacancies at Stansted Airport, sign up to the Employment Academy; many fulltime and part-time opportunities available. Email <u>Employment.Academy@stanstedairport.com</u>

#### 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. <u>Click here</u>

#### Careers Website

Explore and find out about careers using this website – lots of useful tools. 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. <u>Click here</u> 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 Unwrapped**

<u>Careers Unwrapped</u> 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 Click here Also from UK Careers Fairs Click here

#### 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**. <u>Click here</u>

#### **Careers Websites**

When free, do take a look over the *All About Careers* website as there's lots of information to digest regarding careers, <u>click here</u>

#### 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. <u>Click here</u>

## **Resources - For Background Reading & Research**

#### Prospective Medics/Dentists/Vets

Please be aware of the email sent direct to students by Mrs Price detailing the free online seminar on the UCAT examination for aspiring Medics/Dentists/Vets on the **7th of June on zoom** – to be delivered by Lincolnshire Training Hub.

#### **Events From Social Mobility Month**

The info below has come from a parent at the school who thought students might be interested. **Who Are Social Mobility Month?** They say: '*Our mission is to dismantle barriers and create pathways for the next generation. Founded by Digilearning and the Rio Ferdinand Foundation and powered by Accenture, we collaborate with esteemed partners to offer transformative opportunities for young individuals'.* See the website: <u>https://socialmobilitymonth.org/schedules/</u>

#### Linklaters (Law) Business Foundation Course

#### **Overview**

The Business Foundation Course is a two-day work insight programme designed to provide students with an insight into life at a Magic Circle law firm and assist you to develop essential skills required for pursuing a fulfilling career. Open to applicants aged 16 to 18 years, who attend non-fee-paying schools, the Business Foundation

Course incorporates a variety of activities designed to expand your knowledge of career pathways and increase your confidence in your ability to achieve your professional ambitions. During the course, you will take part in a series of interactive workshops, providing you with the chance to engage directly with Linklaters people from across the firm. Course Content

The Linklaters workforce is split between the Practice, which includes those handling legal matters for clients, such as lawyers, legal assistants, and paralegals, and the Business Teams which are those who support the firm's operations, helping it run smoothly and efficiently, such as accountants, marketing specialists, HR professionals, and IT managers. Day one of the course will focus on the Practice and day two will be based around insights into the roles of various Business Teams.

#### **Dates**

This course will take place on Monday 28th and Tuesday 29th July 2025 between the hours of 9:30am-4:30pm (Monday) and 9:30am-5:30pm (Tuesday).

#### **Location**

This Business Foundation Course will be hosted in-person at Linklaters' Global Headquarters (1 Silk Street, London, EC2Y 8HQ).

#### **Eligibility**

In order to apply for the Business Foundation Course, you must be aged between 16-18 years old and be in full time education at a non-fee-paying, UK based, school or college.

#### **Applications**

#### Applications now open.

Applications will not be assessed on the basis of academic ability; however, you must be able to clearly articulate your reason for applying, and how you believe the course will support your skills development and future career aspirations. Please write your application authentically, using your own words and ideas. All applications will undergo screening for the use of generative AI. Any applications detected as using generative AI will be rejected.

Applications will close automatically at 5pm on Monday 16th June and successful applicants will be informed the same week.

Linklaters will close applications as soon as a sufficient number are received. This may well be in advance of the application deadline and so we strongly suggest that you complete your application at the earliest opportunity! Travel and Subsistence

Linklaters will reimburse reasonable travel expenses and will provide both lunch and refreshments. Contact

If you have any questions or queries, please contact <u>BusinessFoundationCourse@Linklaters.com</u> Application deadline: 16 June 2025 at 17:00

#### From Neon – Engineering

Designed for staff but useful for all. Download the latest Neon magazine. Click here

#### Shift25-UCLAstro Summer Research Studentships Apply by 6 June

**The UCL Astrophysics group**, in collaboration with the **Shift25 initiative**, is offering two studentships to students in Year 12 or 13 who are interested in pursuing research projects over the summer. <u>Click here</u>

#### New - The ARM View Point Podcast

The latest episode explores how CPUs are powering efficient inference at the edge, helping unlock faster, more secure, and scalable AI. <u>Click here</u> See previous episodes too.

#### **Resources from UCL**

<u>Years 9-11 Bring Your Family to University Days Apply now for summer days</u> Free one-day events on UCL's central London campus for students from Year 5 to Year 11 and their families, taking place in June and July. <u>Click here</u>

#### From IMA Oxford Online Maths Club

This is a free weekly live stream from the *University of Oxford*, aimed at people who are about to apply to university. Previous episodes include Automata and Un-shuffling. <a href="https://www.maths.ox.ac.uk/outreach/oxford-online-maths-club">https://www.maths.ox.ac.uk/outreach/oxford-online-maths-club</a>

#### **Prospective Engineers**

Any students looking to careers in this sector should be aware of *Neon Futures* - a great source of resources and competitions. Any wins can of course be put on CVs and Personal Statements! <u>Click here</u>

#### Smallpiece Trust

*The Smallpeice Trust* is an educational charity that inspires young people to pursue careers in science and engineering through events and workshops. For over 50 years, they have been giving young people everything they need to fuel their passion for engineering. <u>Find out more here</u>.

#### **Mathigon**

https://mathigon.org/ - An interactive mathematical playground to explore.

#### YouTube – Interview Practice Channel

Powered by *InterviewBot*, you can choose any of the subjects and get started with your interview practice journey. You can use the interview question compilations from each subject, or if you would like to only answer the individual questions, just go to the subject playlist and they are all there. You can even create your own unique playlists by adding different individual questions together. <u>Click here</u>

#### What University? What Career?

Live on-demand video series. Using this brand-new video series, students can navigate the post-school options, find out how to get started with applications and avoid some mistakes; **free**, **on-demand**, **short videos**. <u>Click here</u>

# Competitions, General, Ad Hoc

#### Imperial Science in Medicine School Teams Prize 2025 For Years 12 - 13 interested in STEM

The National Heart & Lung Institute (NHLI), the British Heart Foundation's Centre of Research Excellence at Imperial and the Imperial NIHR Biomedical Research Centre invite UK sixth form students to enter the fifth annual <u>Science in Medicine</u> <u>Teams prize 2025</u>.

**Who can enter?** Any UK educational organisation with sixth form students. Collaborations with UK or international school partners are welcome.

**Team details:** Up to six students per team. A multidisciplinary approach is encouraged. One team per contest with five contests in total.

**Prizes:** £3000 - 1<sup>st</sup>, £2000 - 2<sup>nd</sup> and £1000 - 3<sup>rd</sup>. Prizes are intended to support science-related activities in schools. Winning teams will be offered online mentoring session with an academic. All team members will receive a certificate of participation. The posters will be scored and judged by Imperial academics. 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.

**Deadline:** Submissions (by a teacher) due 5.00pm on Monday 30 June 2025.

#### From IMA (Institute of Mathematics)

#### Maths At Work Poster Competition

Make an inspiring A4 poster about how Maths is used at work. **Deadline 20.06.25.** Win a £100 Amazon Voucher. Click on the link above.

#### **Schools Prize in the History of Mathematics**

**Deadline 27/06/25** Make a presentation/film/song (or make a submission in any other medium) on Ethnomathematics. Win £100. Find out further details on the British Society for the History of Mathematics Website

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## If you are willing & able, do think about hosting a lunchtime careers workshop; they are fun and informal, plus a great way of providing insights into careers. Volunteers from our parent body are extremely welcome to host, as are alumni. Please get in touch <u>claire.jonas@tbshs.org</u>

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