

Careers Bulletin January 2020

CAREERS RESOURCES

e-Clips

Find out more about pathways, careers and LMI (labour market information) with this brilliant resource: <u>https://www.eclips-online.co.uk/.</u> Password for RGS: kiasca97

National Careers Service

NCS: Call 0800 100 900 to speak to an adviser. Lines are open from 8am to 10pm, 7 days a week. All students should contact the National Careers Service to speak to an independent careers advisor. They will discuss higher education and career pathways and send a written action plan. For further information, see <u>https://nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk/.</u>

Kudos

All Y10-13 have a Kudos account. Kudos can give career ideas based on a student's likes and dislikes. It also has a wealth of information on pathways and LMI. School licence code: readcode80

UPCOMING EVENTS

Symposiums (Y12-13)

Friday 17th, 24th and 31st January lunchtime in B1 Academic Discussion groups, preparing for admissions tests, university interviews and for general interest.

National Film and Television School Beaconsfield | Theme: Digital Effects

18 January 2020 | Featured Universal Release: Doolittle

In conjunction with the upcoming release of the Universal blockbuster Doolittle (starring Robert Downey Jr) the NFTS DFX* Department would like to invite you into the world of VFX. During this 2-hour session you can meet experts from the industry, current students and a member of the Doolittle film VFX crew.

Two sessions will be running on the day:

- Session 1 10.30 -12.30
- Session 2 14.00 -16.00

The sessions are free of charge and open to attendees over the age of 11. To book your place, please fill in your details on the NFTS booking form: <u>https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd0VIYX Ep7vZtu-wbMkZd66dGSC XFrCOOpxuDRL8vnm00Fg/viewform</u>.

The Young Computer Scientist Programme

UCL: 19th January

Science Oxford STEM Careers Programme

Y11/12 (applications open in Jan) https://scienceoxford.com/schools/secondary-schools/stem-placements/

Applying to USA Colleges

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A-List Education UK: "Demystifying the US University Process"

6th February, 6-7pm, Upper Library

February Lecture: The Power of the Image: Guest Speaker - Marc Hartoc.

Wednesday 12th February 2020, 12:45-2pm

University of Hertfordshire, de Havilland campus, Hatfield AL10 9UF Marc Hartog is the founder of 1854 media and publisher of the British Journal of Photography. The talk is directed at students interested in Media, Journalism, Film, Creative Writing, English Language and Linguistics. Optional campus tour between 2pm-2:30pm.

Film-making and Music: Careers Insights

Friday 28th February, 10-1pm, Bucks New Uni For further information, see attached flyer

Nuffield Research Programmes

Prestigious research placements for Y12 students. Specific eligibility criteria apply. DEADLINE 6th March 2020. <u>https://www.nuffieldfoundation.org/nuffield-research-placements</u>

Morrisby Testing

10th March, location tbc Psychometric Careers Tests, details of timings and payment to follow next month <u>https://www.morrisby.com/parents</u>

Various dates: National Apprenticeship Shows

Bringing together employers, colleges and providers with those wanting to find out more about what apprenticeships can offer.

Immersive Career Experiences for Ages 12-18

https://investin.org/collections/programmes

UNIVERSITIES

2019. Oxbridge, Access Support

We connect disadvantaged students with Oxbridge mentors to make Oxbridge accessible to all. <u>http://www.accessoxbridge.co.uk/</u>

Choosing your Oxford Course

This video is aimed at GCSE-level students who are beginning to think about A-level choices and beyond. Younger audiences are invited to be personally curious about Oxford and to consider that Oxford might be for them. <u>https://www.ox.ac.uk/admissions/undergraduate/courses/choosing-what-study?wssl=1#file-77058</u> <u>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=cS8lqPqXSIM&t=4s</u>

Pre-University Taster Days

https://warwick.ac.uk/about/london/study/pre-university/tasters/

APPRENTICESHIPS

Zenopa Chartered Manager Degree Apprenticeship (High Wycombe-based company)

RGS students are invited to visit the offices in Loudwater and discuss the opportunity to gain a BA (Hons) Business Studies after 3 years – a great alternative to going to university. No debt at the end of it and 3 year's work experience whilst earning $\pm 17,000$ basic plus monthly bonuses and sports/gym membership of your choice. See attached document for further details.

Care Leavers Apprenticeship Information

https://amazingapprenticeships.com/resource/care-leavers-flyer-apprentice/

UCAS Apprenticeships News

Having second thoughts about uni? Make sure you're aware of <u>your options</u>. You can find the latest apprenticeship opportunities using the UCAS apprenticeship search tool – <u>find out more</u>

Apprenticeship Information

The Complete Guide to Higher and Degree Apprenticeships

Her Majesty's Government Communications Centre

We are pleased to announce that our Apprenticeship Scheme is not only open for applications, but we have also lowered the minimum age for candidates. We now require candidates to be 17 years and 6 months old by the end of February for a September 2020 start which will allow all Year 13 students to apply. http://hmqcc.gov.uk/careers/apprenticeships/

CAREERS OPPORTUNITES

Engineering Internships Abroad

https://www.gapyear.com/internships/engineering

National Citizenship Service (Y11/12)

NCS Easter programme – an incredible opportunity for all students. <u>https://www.ncsyes.co.uk/?gclid=EAIaIQobChMIhKK36buY4QIVKLftCh1hqw-iEAAYASAAEg]txfD_BwE&gclsrc=aw.ds</u>

Engineering Courses for Y10/11 and Y12/13

Y10 and 11: <u>Inspire: https://www.etrust.org.uk/inspire</u>. Applications for Inspire are now open: <u>https://www.etrust.org.uk/inspire-courses</u> Y12/13: <u>Headstart</u>: <u>https://www.etrust.org.uk/headstart https://www.etrust.org.uk/headstart-courses</u> - applications for Headstart are open.

Volunteering opportunity for Sixth Form student

Empower to Cook and Khepera CIC, two local social enterprises, will be opening our Community Cookery and Wellbeing Kitchen in High Wycombe in January 2020. We are currently in the process of setting up a small community steering group (approx. 6 people) to help us guide the direction of the kitchen as it grows. This group would help us decide what classes we could run, who in the community we can run them for, and help identify revenue streams to help invest back in the kitchen. For further information, please see Ms Sowah.

Open Day for Prospective Medical Students

Thursday 2nd July 2020

Himsworth Hall, Medical education centre, on Level 6 of St Mark's Hospital (£30)

St Mark's Academic Institute is the centre of education and research at St Mark's Hospital. The day is an opportunity to ask and discover everything it takes to become a doctor. Experts from different sectors of the profession will be joining a lively open forum about their medical careers, specialist areas of expertise as well as trainee and junior doctors talking about their university medical experiences. The day will culminate in being able to watch some visual live surgery!

http://www.stmarksacademicinstitute.org.uk/courses/open-day-for-prospective-medical-students/

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