

Careers Bulletin

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This newsletter is a collation of opportunities from employers and education providers. Please use the links included to read more information and apply to anything you are interested in. Links are underlined.

Parents are encouraged to participate and support where possible.

Careers Team

If you or your child would like any further careers information or support, please contact a member of our Careers Team:

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We hope you have had an enjoyable rest over the summer break.

Here's a reminder of what the Careers Team offer in school. We have a Careers Learning Journey for each year group which covers an array of careers activities (this can be found on our website on the careers page). Careers events and activities in the year include:



The Careers Fair in November where we invite employers, FE and HE providers and apprenticeship training providers to come and talk to our students.



National Apprenticeship Week in February 2024 where we will highlight apprenticeship opportunities



National Careers Week in March 2024 with employer and careers insight talks



Work Experience week
Year 10: April 2024

Work Experience week
Year 12: June 2024



1:1 Guidance appointments with each year 11 student and with 6th form students, to identify their post-16 and post-18 pathways





A mock interview with MGL, a local employer for each student in year 11


We are looking forward to supporting you and our students with all their career needs this academic year.



Opportunities

Company	Event/ Registration Date	Details/Year Group
	<p>Applications will open soon.</p>	<p>Year 13: Degree Apprenticeships in Media, Technology, IP Law</p> <p>Solicitor Degree Apprentice Applications for September 2024 If you are interested in a career in media, technology and IP law, Wiggin are introducing this new programme, aimed at Year 13 students and school leavers who are predicted ABB or above at A-Level or equivalent. Applications are starting soon for places on this 6-year course, based in London or Cheltenham and apprentices can earn £25,000 in their first year.</p> <p>https://www.wiggin.co.uk/careers/solicitor-apprentices/</p>

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<small>Burjeel Holdings Oxford Saïd</small> 	<p>Entries for both competitions must be received by 11.59pm (GMT) on 15 October 2023.</p>	<p>Year 10 – 13: Climate Challenge Competition Teachers: Save the Planet Competition</p> <p>Students and teachers across the world are invited to help tackle the climate crisis ahead of COP28. Students with an interest in pursuing careers in climate change, social impact and innovation have the opportunity to connect with a community of influential entrepreneurs and thought leaders if they enter this competition which is being launched by Burjeel Holdings and Saïd Business School at the University of Oxford.</p> <p>It is a global competition for students aged 15 to 18 and finalists will be invited to present their solutions to a distinguished audience in Dubai, during COP28 in December and expenses will be covered.</p> <p>https://www.sbs.ox.ac.uk/about-us/school/sustainability/climate-change-challenge</p>

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	<p>Each online webinar is 45 minutes</p> <p>Mon 11 Sep @ 17:00</p> <p>Mon 11 Sep @ 18:00</p> <p>Tue 12 Sep @ 17:00</p> <p>Wed 13 Sep @ 17:00</p> <p>Mon 25 Sep @ 17:30</p>	<p>Year 13: webinars about your post-18 options Not sure what you want to do when you leave school/college? In this series, we're taking university, apprenticeships, and gap years back to basics. You'll hear from the experts to help you decide the best next step after school/college.</p> <p>Let's talk about university For Students</p> <p>For parents: Let's talk about post-18 options For Teachers / counselors and For Students</p> <p>Let's talk about apprenticeships For Students</p> <p>Let's talk about gap years For Students</p> <p>Top tips for acing your Personal Statement for Students</p> <p>And more.... Webinars cover how to apply for Law, Arts, STEM subjects, languages and linguistics and Creative Arts. You can browse previous webinars for other topics useful to your future choices.</p> <p>Series Post 18 Options - Webinars - Teacher - Unifrog</p>

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	<p>Online resources to browse in your own time.</p>	<p>Year 13: useful resources</p> <p>This term is a crucial time for students to finalise their university choices and craft a well thought out personal statement. Thorough research and engaging in activities and materials most relevant to their subjects of interest will help students to stand out.</p> <p>We would encourage you to aim high and engage in your chosen field. Here are some resources to support you this year:</p> <p>MOOCS - free online courses in over two hundred topic areas</p> <p>Informative Videos</p> <p>Educational Podcasts</p> <p>Research Articles</p> <p>Online Work Experience</p> <p>Our advice on writing the Personal Statement</p> <p>In this video, we cover what we think makes a great personal statement, including content, structure, and top tips on how students can make their application unique.</p>

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 	<p style="text-align: center;">Various</p>	<p>Year 12 & 13: online events</p> <p>Lancaster University are hosting lots of exciting online events with Unifrog to start the new academic year! Students who are interested in the following subjects may wish to sign up:</p> <p><u>Philosophy</u> - 19th September @ 5pm</p> <p>Intrigued by fundamental questions such as the nature of right and wrong? Truth and knowledge? Faith and reason? Join Lancaster University to find out how studying philosophy can help us understand the timeless problems of human existence, the career pathways you can take after studying, and whether philosophy is the right subject for you.</p> <p><u>Global Religions</u> - 20th September @ 5:30pm</p> <p>With the rise of the digital age, religion is becoming increasingly global, having an impact on politics, international relations, and philosophical thought. In this webinar, Lancaster University will discuss the role of religion in the real world and how studying global religions can support your future career ambitions.</p> <p><u>Biosciences</u> - 4th October @ 5pm</p> <p>Want to help find the solution to the climate crisis, novel diseases and pandemics, and mass extinctions? Find out about studying the science of life, from the biochemical pathways and processes that drive cells, to global ecosystems and everything in between.</p> <p><u>Politics</u> - 10th October @ 5pm</p> <p>Politics is an ever-evolving subject that decides the fate of nations across the world. Learn more about studying politics at university, from making sense of power and policy, to understanding the world's biggest challenges.</p> <p><u>Sports and Exercise Science</u> - 12th October @ 5pm</p> <p>Sports and exercise science looks at how athletes move, think, and react under pressure; how their bodies respond to exercise, from population health to monitoring elite athletic performance. At Lancaster University, you will gain the hard skills of a sports and exercise scientist and the transferrable skills that will make you valuable to a range of employers. Sign up now to discover a future in sports and exercise science.</p>

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	<p>Various</p>	<p>All year groups: Explore companies through these Work Insights on the Start profile website:</p> <p>Start (startprofile.com)</p> 

Prince's Trust: Development Awards (age 16-30)



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- Receive grants up to £250
- For course fees and materials, transport, clothing and more
- Receive IT grants to provide young people with laptops and tablets
- Email: neyhdevelopmentawards@princes-trust.org.uk

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

Taster day: Ongoing
Course dates: Ongoing
Application deadline: Flexible
Location: MS Teams or face-to-face
Eligibility criteria: Aged 16-30

Princes Trust Development Award offer funding for clothing, course fees and/or materials, travel, ID, tools/equipment and more. All they need is evidence of financial situations and positive outcomes.

Find out more!

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