

Careers Department Notices

w/c: 11th October 2021

Year 13 Deadlines

15th October—Last entry for Admissions Tests

18th October—UCAS and UCAS Conservatoires applications

19th November—Art & Design Foundation Diploma applications

Please remember that it is your responsibility to meet the above deadlines.

These dates have been set to ensure that your applications can be processed by school in sufficient time to both hit the requirements of the external institutions *and* not detract from the rest of your Year 13 studies. We are all very happy to support you in meeting these dates but please speak to your Tutor as soon as possible if you have any concerns.

Higher Education

• Year 13 UCAS Submissions

A reminder to all students to revisit the information originally shared in the UCAS assembly which has since been uploaded onto your tutor group Team. This should guide you on the steps to take when submitting your completed UCAS form.

• Year 12 and Year 13—William Ackroyd Open Scholarship 2021/2022

A general essay paper competition to win a financial prize for the duration of your undergraduate studies. Questions are not based on any educational syllabus but are rather designed to enable the display of social issues capacity for independent thought, and effectiveness in expressing ideas. Science-based and humanities-based pupils alike are encouraged to participate. The exam will take place in late Nov then a short-list of candidates will be invited to attend an interview on 18 Mar 2022.

Application forms available from the Careers Department, to be handed in no later than **Wed 20 Oct**.

• [On Demand Webinars—University Guidance Videos](#)

Subject videos introducing a range of University courses and support on the application process. Click [here](#) to find out more.

• [Higher Education at Harrogate College](#)

Campus tours which will be delivered during October half term on Friday 29th October starting at 10am or 2pm. To book please click [here](#)

• [Experiences in Law, Business & Politics](#)

UCL are offering immersive weekend experiences in 9 careers relating to Law, Business and Politics. Click [here](#) to register now.

Employment and Apprenticeships

• [Futures Placement Schemes at IBM—Deadlines are ongoing](#)

An invaluable opportunity to work with a world-leading company for 12-months, broadening your horizons and giving you a head start in your career. IBM offer Business, Technical and Design Placements. Register your interest at the above link.

Extra-Curricular/Virtual Opportunities

• [IBM—what is it like working for one of the world's largest tech companies?](#)

13 Oct, 5-6pm

Hear from top Business & Technology professionals about some of the exciting projects they are working on as well as their school leaver opportunities, insight days and gap year placements.

Please contact m.farrar@staidans.co.uk to discuss work experience further.



Careers Appointments

If you would like to organise a 30 min careers appointment for help with your application, please call up to Careers, call 01423 818534, or email: careersstaff@staidans.co.uk

Brief queries can be discussed in the weekly **Year 13 Drop-In Session** held in the Careers Department every Wednesday, 1-2.30pm. No appointment necessary.