

Careers Department Notices

w/c: 11th July 2022

Below is a selection of opportunities offered by Universities, Colleges, Employers and Apprenticeship Providers. **Please check with your Senior Tutor if you would like to participate in any of these events and there is a clash with your lesson time.**

Higher Education

- [Genetics Podcast: Discovery of King Richard III](#), University of Leicester
Listen to Turi King, Professor of Public Engagement and Genetics, as she talks about the fascinating story of one of the most ambitious archaeological projects ever attempted, the discovery of King Richard III. Click [here](#) for all episodes on this podcast.
- [Springpod University Clearing Hub](#), Springpod
Are you in Year 13 and considering applying through Clearing for a place at University this September? Click [here](#) for help with the process, events and institutions with courses available.

Extra-Curricular/Virtual Opportunities

- [Summer Work Experience in Law](#), The University of Law, 27-29 July, 10-4pm
Engaging insight into the legal world this summer and hear from a range of elite solicitors and barristers from some of the world's most prominent organisations. The University of Law are hosting this 2 day virtual and 1 day in person (based at their various campus locations) work experience event. Click [here](#) to register.

EMPLOYMENT

UCAS

Apprenticeships

Year 12 Update

Year 12 students should be well on their way with researching their Post 18 options and beginning to think about preparing applications. A reminder of the **school deadlines** and **important dates** for Post 18 applications are as follows:

- UCAS Conservatoire Music courses: **19th September**
 - Oxbridge, Medicine, Dentistry and Veterinary applications: **26th September**
 - All other UCAS applications: **17th October**
 - Apprenticeships begin to be advertised: **October onwards**
 - Art & Design Foundation Diploma: **22nd November**
 - Bulk of Apprenticeships with Autumn start date begin to be advertised: **January onwards**
- These dates are for current Year 12 students (soon to be Year 13) alongside any Year 13 students who will be applying for 2023 entry.**

There is lots of information to help support with Post 18 applications on the St Aidan's School Website: [Higher Education](#), [Further Education](#) and [Apprenticeships](#)

With two weeks left to go before the summer break, if you need any support or guidance with starting applications or Post 18 planning, please book a careers appointment by emailing careersstaff@staidans.co.uk, calling 01423 818534 or pop up to the department in Bede House.



Work Experience Update

Students in the Sixth Form are encouraged to find work experience placements. If you secure a placement during term time, and once you have confirmation from the employer, please complete the online form from the Careers Department, including employers contact name, address and insurance policy details.

Giving as much notice as possible, you MUST also:

- Get permission from your Senior Tutor and alert your subject teachers
- Inform Mrs Farrar or the Careers Department
- Ask your parent/carer to confirm date(s) of your placement by emailing the Sixth Form Office

Any questions or further help please email m.farrar@staidans.co.uk

Our current list of Virtual Work Experience Opportunities can be found [here](#)

