

Careers Department Notices

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REMINDER

Year 13 students who are still considering different post 18 options, searching for employment and apprenticeships, or looking at gap year options, we would encourage you to book an individual careers appointment to discuss your options. Book in with us via email, careersstaff@staidans.co.uk or pop up and see in the careers department.



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

- [History Essay Prize Competition](#), University of Sheffield, **Deadline 28 April**
Calling Year 12 History students—opportunity to write an essay about a topic that interests you, chosen from this [list](#). Only two entrants per school. Click [here](#) for further details or speak to the Careers Department.
- [STEM Futures](#), University of Leeds, **Deadline 20 January**
STEM Futures is a series of online after school sessions designed for individual Year 12 students to learn more about a subject area they are interested in pursuing at university, whilst developing their study skills and careers awareness. Click [here](#) for more information, including eligibility criteria and click [here](#) to apply online.
- **Engineering Society Access Week, University of Cambridge, 9-13 January**
Online access week to demystify and encourage students to make a competitive application for Engineering at Cambridge. To sign up via QR code, please come and speak to the Careers Department.
- [Scientific Careers in NHS Event](#), Newcastle University, **14 March, 9.30-12**
Event for Year 12 and 13 students interested in scientific careers hosted by first year Clinical Science students from Newcastle University. Click [here](#) to register.

Extra Curricular and Virtual Opportunities

- [Virtual Work Experience Opportunities](#), **January Deadlines**
Variety of upcoming virtual work experience opportunities available including in Marketing and Communications with the Adecco Group, Engineering with Cyberhawk, Graphic, Web and Game Design with the Adecco Group and Careers in Technology with Accenture. Click [here](#) for further details and click the relevant links.
- [Law Virtual Work Experience](#), **Womble Bond Dickinson**
Gain an idea of the work that lawyers encounter daily - research different roles in law, learn how to craft a personal statement, amend a commercial contract and prepare a business development pitch. Click [here](#) for more details.

UCAS Update

Well done to Year 13 students who are starting to receive offers from their university choices. Just to highlight that you will not be required to select a firm and insurance choice until you have heard back from all your chosen universities, at which point UCAS will set you a deadline to respond, which will likely be around May/June 2023.

Mock Interviews

If you have received an invitation for an interview from your Post 18 applications and you would like to arrange a mock interview, please come and see us in the Careers Department or email careersstaff@staidans.co.uk, and we would be happy to help organise this for you.

