

Careers Department Notices

w/c: 3rd April

Save the Date - Careers Evening 2023

Our annual Careers Evening has been rescheduled for **Thursday 20 April, 6-8pm** in **Constance Green Hall**, open to **Years 9-13**. Final details regarding the attending exhibitors will be released after Easter. We look forward to seeing you there!

To help the evening run smoothly we are asking for student volunteer helpers. We particularly need help between 4.30pm-5.30pm to welcome exhibitors and help them to set up but there will also be other opportunities to help throughout the evening. If you have a spare 30minutes/hour, please email careersstaff@staidans.co.uk with the times you are available, and we will get in touch.

Year 12 Update

After the Easter break, week commencing 17 April, Year 12 tutorials will be led by visiting Universities who will be speaking to students about the UCAS application process and student life. The visiting universities will also be available at lunchtime (from 1pm) to answer any questions from students interested in Higher Education.

Year 13 Update

If students have any questions regarding applying for student finance, replying to offers on UCAS, seeking employment, apprenticeships or gap year, or anything else regarding your next steps, please come and speak to us in the **Careers Department** or email us on careersstaff@staidans.co.uk

Higher Education

- [Primary Education Virtual Taster Session](#), Durham University, 3 May, 4-5.30pm

Interested in Primary Education? Online taster session including personal statement advice and Q&A from current students. Click [here](#) to book a place.

Extra Curricular and Virtual Opportunities

- [Easter STEM Virtual Work Experience](#), Spectris, 12 April, 9-3pm

Event with four engineering and science based firms. Click [here](#) to register

- [Get into Law Easter Work Experience](#), 4 April, 10-4pm

Global law firms, such as Freeths, Fragomen and the University of Law, will be in attendance at this virtual law event. Click [here](#) to register

- [Get into Engineering and Construction Easter Work Experience](#), 5 April, 9-1pm

Chance to hear from industry professionals, including the Berkeley Group and Veolia, and gain insights into Engineering and Construction. Click [here](#) to register

- [Graduate Careers Live! High Fliers Research and DfE](#), 27 April, 2-3.30pm

90-minute programme aimed at Year 12 students and their parents/carers that will showcase many of the graduate job opportunities, jobs and professions that students can aspire to in the future. Register to watch [here](#)

- **Urgent opportunity for Year 12 students, Mercer Art Gallery, Harrogate**

The Mercer Art Gallery are offering a work experience opportunity for Year 12 students w/c 19th or 26th June, working alongside an artist to create an Audience and Marketing Strategy for the Martin Creed Installation. Please email Karen Southworth, karen.southworth@destinationharrogate.co.uk or call 075577 91965, as soon as possible if you are interested and let her know which week you are available.

Universities visiting the Careers Department after Easter...



Deferred Entry to University

If you are holding offers for university but now want a 'deferred' start date for your chosen course it's important to contact the university directly to request this. Remember to have your **UCAS ID number** and **course code** ready to quote.

Usually you can only defer your entry by one year, and it's up to the university whether they accept it for your course. The conditions of your offer will not change even though the date does and you must attain those grades in 2023 to secure your deferred place.

To defer your offer at a conservatoire, speak with them directly as it is not an option in the standard conservatoire application process.

If you secure a deferred offer for 2024 entry you do not need to apply for student finance in this cycle—you will apply in Spring 2024 instead.

