Caludon Castle School Careers Bulletin

Monday 23 October 2023

If you have any questions about any of the information in this bulletin, please contact me by email.

Careers advisor

Carole Foster, our Careers Advisor, is currently making appointments to see Y11. She is also happy to see students from Y9 to Y13 who are in need of advice.

Let your year leader or Ms Hutchinson know if you want to see her. Post-16 students can email the pastoral office directly to ask for an appointment if they wish.

Job of the Week, YouTube video series



Joiner - to find out more click here: https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SqZYeSHEVso

There are many other jobs on the same YouTube channel including:

Acoustician; barista; carpet fitter; deckhand; ecologist; food technologist; geophysicist; holiday representative; insurance broker; judge; kitchen fitter; learning disability nurse; make-up artist; newspaper journalist; osteopath; physiotherapist; quality manager; restaurant manager; social worker; transport planner; university lecturer; volunteer coordinator; web designer; YouTuber; and zoologist.

One week to go - Post 16 Access Programme Applications, University of Warwick

We just wanted to send a reminder that applications for our Post 16 access programmes at the University of Warwick will close next week on Wednesday 25th October. This includes our 3 Pathways programmes <https://warwick.ac.uk/study/outreach/pathwaystoprofessions>
Pathways to Law <https://warwick.ac.uk/study/outreach/whatweoffer/pathways>
Pathways to Banking & Finance <https://warwick.ac.uk/study/outreach/whatweoffer/pathwaystobanking/>
and Pathways to Engineering<https://warwick.ac.uk/study/outreach/whatweoffer/pathwaystoengineering>
and our Realising Opportunities programme
<https://warwick.ac.uk/study/outreach/whatweoffer/realisingopportunities/>.

We welcome your application. Please note there are eligibility criteria for each programme and students who meet the most criteria are more likely to get a place on the programme.

For more information about our programmes, please check our post 16 webpage
<https://warwick.ac.uk/study/outreach/whatweoffer/post-16-programmes/wap/>.

On this page, you will be able to download programme leaflets electronically, hear from the last year's cohort about their experience on the programme through our podcasts and try out our online tool to help you decide which programme best suits you.

SurgeryLive - Operating Theatre Surgical Work Experience

Please note: There is a cost of £87.00 for this opportunity

I'm Dr Veronica from DoctorsLive, and I'm thrilled to introduce you to our virtual work experience course, SurgeryLive—a dive into the captivating world of surgical procedures!

Why SurgeryLive?

Experience First-Hand: Dive deep into the surgical theatre, understand its nuances, and discover the exhilaration of being in an operating room—virtually!

Expert Insights: You will witness real-life surgical cases delivered by practising doctors from various specialties, learning about their day-to-day experiences and challenges.

Hands-On Learning: And the crown jewel? Our live suturing tutorial! You will receive a full medical suturing kit in the mail to your home address. There will be a guided live demonstration of various suturing techniques. You will leave the session knowing how to tie basic and more advanced knots.

When & How Much?

Mark your calendars for **Saturday, November 25th, 2023**. This one-of-a-kind experience, which includes the suturing kit, access to all course recordings, and a certificate of completion, is priced at just £87.

Limited Spots! Our past courses have received excellent reviews, and spots tend to fill up quickly! To register please use the link below:

www.doctorslive.co.uk/surgerylive

Places are usually oversubscribed and are offered on a first-come, first-serve basis.

Swansea University - October Opportunities

Current News Webinar Series

This cycle of our Autumn Current News Webinar Series will be available for you to catch up on demand on Friday 20th October. You can enjoy our 13 new session recordings here, covering topics such as Biochemistry, Psychology, Engineering, Law, Finance, and more. These sessions are a great way to research your subject of interest and explore your differing options.

Open Days, 21st October and 11th November

Our October and November Open Days are just around the corner, but there's still time for you to register! You can attend subject-specific taster sessions, as well as enjoy a tour of campus, open houses in accommodation and learn more about finance, welfare and support at our information fair.



Residential Insight into University 2024 courses -

Please note there is a substantial cost to these opportunities, although bursaries are available to some students.

Registration for EDT Residential Insight into University 2024 courses is now open.

Residential Insight into University courses are Industrial Cadets accredited summer schools which can help you decide which degree course might be right for you and also enhance your UCAS application. Courses run over 4 or 5 days where Yr12/S5-6 students get a taster of university life and an insight into a specific STEM subject. Please see below the list of courses available for 2024, with some dates still to be confirmed:

Materials Science at the University of Oxford, 17th June – 21st June 2024 - 4 nights residential

Materials Science at the University of Cambridge, 30th June – 4th July - 4 nights residential

Broad based Engineering at the University of Sheffield - 4 nights residential

Aerospace Engineering at the University of Liverpool - 4 nights residential

Maths at Lancaster University, 29th July – 1st August 2024 - 3 nights residential

Mechanical Engineering at UCL - 3 nights residential

Ocean & Earth Science at the University of Southampton, 21st July – 25th July 2024 - 4 nights residential

Additional courses coming soon!

It's just like studying at university! You will get the opportunity to experience university style lectures and work on activities and group projects with the support of academics and student mentors. Throughout the duration of the course, you will stay in halls of residence and will take part in social activities in the evenings.

For dates, cost, requirements, content of each course and the application form, please click **here**.

You can select up to three different courses you'd like to apply for. Please submit only one application and note we can only allocate one course place per student. You will need your personal and school details and you will be required to write a short personal statement to tell us why you would like to do the courses you are applying for, which subjects you are currently studying and your predicted grades (please check the course is suitable for you before applying).

Applications are open for a limited time and will close on the 31st of January 2024.

Please make sure you check out our **FAQs page** if you have any questions or contact our student support team on studentrecruitment@etrust.org.uk

To hear what students had to say about their residential summer course last summer, please click **here.**

We look forward to receiving your application!

Student Recruitment and Support Team
EDT (Engineering Development Trust)

Tel: 01707 906106**| Email:** studentrecruitment@etrust.org.uk
www.etrust.org.uk

MGTS Open Evening – Tuesday 24th October

Just a reminder that we have our open evening next Tuesday 24th October with drop-ins welcome between 4pm and 7pm.

Visitors will be able to take a tour of the facility, speak with our current first year apprentices and find out more information about our Level 3 apprenticeships.

Our applications for September 2024 start will also be open from Tuesday 24th. www.mgts.co.uk



Springpod Virtual Work Experience – BAE Systems

BAE Systems are a skilled, collaborative, and increasingly diverse community of over 90,000 people in over 40 countries, creating some of the world's most advanced, technology-led defence, aerospace, marine, land and security solutions.

Why BAE Systems?

- They're ranked an outstanding provider by Ofsted.

- They are ranked 9th in the Department of Education's Top 100 Apprenticeship Employers, 2022.

- They are rated 3rd in RateMyApprenticeships Top 100 Employers 2021- 2022, Engineering/Manufacturing.

This apprenticeship insight experience introduces BAE Systems, engineering, and their early career programmes. It is a hybrid event providing an opportunity to learn more about the company, gain hands-on experience, and visit their sites.

You will even have the opportunity to meet current engineering apprentices, learning about their experiences and the impact they make.

https://opportunities.springpod.com/employers/bae-systems?utm_source=campus&utm_medium=email&&utm_campaign=bae

North Warwickshire South Leicestershire College – Open Events



Discover NWSLC Open Events!

Our 23-24 open events commence NEXT WEEK! We are hosting open events during October and November to give every single young person a chance to see NWSLC and open their eyes to college life before applying.

You can visit our campuses and explore your chosen course areas. You will be able to meet your future tutors and discover your future career!

These events are open to all ages, so whether you are taking your GCSEs, looking to start an Apprenticeship, or wanting to boost your skills, please pop along.

Why visit us? Because you will be able to take part in:

✓ Campus tours

✓ Have-a-go activities

✓ Meet our tutors

✓ Visit our Adult Education Hub

✓ Meet our Apprenticeship Team

https://www.nwslc.ac.uk/openevents/

Where do I find the information I want?

There are so many useful-looking websites about careers, it can be difficult to know where to start. We have listed some of the most useful websites below.

I don't know what to do, I need some ideas:
Unifrog – www.unifrog.org
National Careers Service - https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/
Prospects - https://www.prospects.ac.uk/
ICould, including the Buzz Quiz - https://icould.com/

Apprenticeships:
Amazing Apprenticeships - https://amazingapprenticeships.com/
Apprenticeships - https://www.apprenticeships.gov.uk/#
Find and apply for an apprenticeship - https://www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship
Find an apprenticeship - https://www.findapprenticeships.co.uk/

Local Colleges:
Coventry College - https://www.coventrycollege.ac.uk/
Warwickshire College Group - https://wcg.ac.uk/
North Warwickshire & South Leicestershire College - https://www.nwslc.ac.uk/
BOA - https://www.boa-academy.co.uk/

University:
UCAS - https://www.ucas.com/
Discover Uni - https://discoveruni.gov.uk/

What Uni ? - https://www.whatuni.com/
Unifrog - www.unifrog.org
Plan My Gap Year - https://www.planmygapyear.co.uk/
Apply to Uni - https://www.applytouni.com/
The Student Room - https://www.thestudentroom.co.uk/