



As you may have seen LMA has now opened a new Liverpool Campus at the Met Quarter in the heart of Liverpool city centre. Until it is open LMA is holding BTEC Virtual Open Evening Tuesday 26th January, 6pm.

Students that wish to attend, need to book a place via our website <a href="www.lma.ac.uk">www.lma.ac.uk</a>.

We continue to deliver our successful BTEC L3 Extended Diplomas with over **80% of students progressing on to our BA** (Hons) courses at our Metquarter campus or at our new London campus in Here East, Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park. You can take a tour of our campuses here <u>Campus tour</u>

You can study the following courses with industry experienced tutors:

Acting

**Dance** 

Film & TV Production

**Games Animation** 

Music

**Musical Theatre** 

We look forward to seeing you soon and if you have any questions please just ask.





#### **Hudderfield University**

#### **Student Finance with Q&A for Parents and Carers**

Attend a live presentation and get your student finance questions answered in our live chat (attendees are anonymous/not on camera).

25 February, 6.30-7.30 p.m. <a href="http://hud.ac/imm">http://hud.ac/imm</a>

2 March, 6.30-7.30 p.m. <a href="http://hud.ac/imn">http://hud.ac/imn</a>

Parents' Information Evenings - 9th, 18th and 24th March, 6-8.00 p.m. <a href="http://hud.ac/imr">http://hud.ac/imr</a>

Attend live chats and useful presentations including: Why Choose Higher Education? A Parent's Guide to Higher Education and Fees and Financial Support.





# **Deloitte Apprenticeship Webinar - Parents, Teachers and Students Welcome**

The third in the series of <u>Apprenticeship Webinars</u> takes place on Wednesday 27th January. The session, designed for teachers, students and parents, informs and demystifies apprenticeships and showcase the opportunities available at Deloitte. You'll hear from representatives from across Deloitte including:

- Student Recruitment
- Learning & Development
- Current and former Deloitte BrightStart Apprentices
- Click on the link below to register now for the event..
   Reg for the event 27<sup>th</sup> January at 4pm <u>here</u>







# **Spring Virtual Careers Events - Festival of Opportunity**

Deloitte are delighted to present a month-long Festival of Opportunity; a line-up of inspiring, live virtual events throughout January and finishing on 16th February. Each event is unique and open to all interested in learning more about apprenticeship opportunities at Deloitte. The festival will include:

- Immersive Discover Sessions: Designed to help demystify the apprenticeship sector, these interactive sessions are a must for any student wanting to find out more about which career path is right for them!
- **Skills Workshops:** These sessions will support BrightStart applicants in developing key skills needed to achieve success.
- Meet Deloitte BrightStart Apprentices: A unique chance to hear from a range of employees from Deloitte including current apprentices.
- **Meet Deloitte:** Come along and meet senior representatives from Deloitte who will share further information about the firm and its range of opportunities.







#### **Willis Towers Watson**

**Higher & Advanced Apprenticeships** 

Deadline: 28 February 2021

Location: Nationwide Salary: Competitive

https://successatschool.org/jobscourses?empUniId=1614&goal=0\_65c6d67e71-035d279e4a-

212050427&mc\_cid=035d279e4a&mc\_eid=24ca5044f5

#### **PwC**

School Leaver Programmes, Degree Apprenticeships

Deadline: 29 January 2021

**Location:** Nationwide **Salary:** Competitive

https://successatschool.org/jobscourses?empUniId=241&goal=0\_65c6d67e71-035d279e4a-

212050427&mc\_cid=035d279e4a&mc\_eid=24ca5044f5





#### BT

Higher, Intermediate, Advanced & Degree Apprenticeships

**Deadine:** Ongoing

Location: Nationwide Salary: Competitive

https://successatschool.org/jobscourses?empUniId=368&goal=0\_65c6d67e71-035d279e4a-

212050427&mc\_cid=035d279e4a&mc\_eid=24ca5044f5

#### **IBM**

Gap Year internship programs

**Deadline:** Ongoing

**Location:** Nationwide

Salary: Starting from £18,000

https://successatschool.org/jobscourses?empUniId=103&goal=0 65c6d67e71-035d279e4a-

212050427&mc cid=035d279e4a&mc eid=24ca5044f5





## **Pearson College London**

Degree Apprenticeship

Deadline: 26 February 2021

Location: London Salary: Competitive

https://successatschool.org/employerdetails/1612/Pearson-College-London?goal=0\_65c6d67e71-035d279e4a-

212050427&mc cid=035d279e4a&mc eid=24ca5044f5





## **CGI Webinar & M&S Retail Management Apprenticeship**

We have two really great opportunities to share, the first one is the Insight CGI Webinar and secondly the Marks & Spencer's Management Apprenticeship Program. If you could send these out to the 6th form groups that would be great.

## **Insight to CGI Webinar:**

- •Monday 25th January, 4pm 5pm
- •CGI are a \$12billion technology and consulting firm
- •Opportunities in Technology and Business (Apprenticeships & Graduate Programs)
- •Insight session to CGI, workshops and senior leader keynote
- •Q&A panel and fast track opportunities
- •Ideal for students interested in Technology or Business and want their degree to be paid for
- •16 18 year olds (Y12, S5, Y13, S6 & Y14)

## **Application Link:**

https://www.research.net/r/CGI-Event





# Marks & Spencer's Management Apprenticeship Program

- •Level 4 Retail Management Apprenticeship
- •Managing £multi-million budgets
- •Opportunities all across the UK (wherever your closest M&S store is)
- •£18,400 £21,000 starting salary
- •Open to all Y13, S6 and Y14 students
- •September 2021 start
- •Application Link ---> <a href="https://ad.doubleclick.net/ddm/clk/484660330;291464781;1">https://ad.doubleclick.net/ddm/clk/484660330;291464781;1</a>
- •When you apply, select Young Professionals in the where did you hear about us section to get extra support in the process!





## Continuing to support your students

We know that right now times are challenging for your Year 11-13 students who are wanting to find out more about their desired career path, build their CV's and get content for their UCAS personal statements. We have more virtual events that they can now book onto to help with this:

## Corporate Social Responsibility Tuesday, 26 Jan, 13:00 - 14:00

A dive into the world of Business by focussing on the environmental and social responsibilities that companies have.

## **True Crime: Infamous Criminals Tues 9 Feb, 14:00 - 15:00**

Analysing true crime case studies, including the Gypsy Rose case, Bridgewater 4, Ponzi and Jack the Ripper.

# The 7 Deadly Sins of Social Media Thurs 11 Feb, 16:00 - 17:00

Focusing on how real life legal cases have risen from the ever growing world of social media.

Link <u>here</u>







**Myerscough College** are holding an Advice Morning online on Saturday 6th February 10am to 12.30. Instructions on how to book are through the "What's on" section of Myerscough 's website. Or pupils can simply visit the website on either of these dates.

We are continuing to work online so if you have any queries, please contact us by email until further notice.

Nick Harrison: Schools Liaison Coordinator ( <a href="mailto:nharrison@myerscough.ac.uk">nharrison@myerscough.ac.uk</a>)

Angela Hey: Schools Liaison Officer ( <a href="mailto:ahey@myerscough.ac.uk">ahey@myerscough.ac.uk</a>)

Amelia Bibby: Schools Liaison Officer ( abibby@myerscough.ac.uk)







## In2sienceUK

Please help us spread the word about our virtual summer programme. We aim to help your students gain meaningful experiences and expert insights to support their progression to diverse careers within all areas of STEM. Through connecting students to STEM experts virtually and in-person, they'll get the guidance they need to confidently choose their future career and produce high-quality UCAS applications, personal statements, and much more!

Applications can be found here: <a href="https://in2scienceuk.org/students/apply/">https://in2scienceuk.org/students/apply/</a>

The application deadline is the 9th April 2021, so please encourage your students to get theirs in as soon as possible.





#### HUGH BAIRD COLLEGE VIRTUAL OPEN WEEK

Great news!

The events and booking are now live on the web/eventbrite: <a href="https://www.hughbaird.ac.uk/events">https://www.hughbaird.ac.uk/events</a>

Also, the register link is live: <a href="https://www.hughbaird.ac.uk/register">https://www.hughbaird.ac.uk/register</a>





Get a taste of higher-level study, access an alternative offer, and develop the skills for success at University and beyond on a Year 12 programme with the University of Bath Widening Participation Team.

There are 2 fantastic opportunities open for applications this month which we wanted to let you know about - simply click the links below to find out more and apply!

#### Pathway to Bath

- Online study programme with access to academic support from current Bath students, and a 3 day residential in the summer holiday
- Flexible around your current studies, with a term time commitment of 1 hour per week
- Join us wherever, and whenever works for you anywhere in the UK
- Undertake your own project, supported by academic staff and current students
- Opportunity to secure an alternative offer to study with us in the future
- Meet new friends and explore our beautiful campus
- Decide whether you feel Uni is for you and get support with UCAS applications

APPLICATION DEADLINE: 29th January 2021 START DATE: 17th February 2021 START DATE: 17th February 2021

<u>Click here</u> to find out more and apply - <u>https://bit.ly/3k8FudA</u>





#### **Discover Bath**

- 1 week summer holiday residential programme
- Undertake undergraduate level work, supported by academic staff and current students
- Experience our beautiful campus and accommodation
- Opportunity to secure an alternative offer to study with us in the future
- Meet new friends and get academic support from current Bath students
- Decide whether you feel Uni is for you and get support with UCAS applications

APPLICATION DEADLINE: 31st January 2021

START DATE: August 2021 (check web page for dates)

Click here to find out more and apply - https://bit.ly/3pdWNOi

#### **Eligibility**

You will need to be in Year 12, on track to achieve the academic entry criteria (or one grade below) at Bath, and meet one or more of the Widening Participation Criteria listed <a href="here">here</a>.





The **BSc in Sports and Exercise Science at Lancaster University** brings together scientific and medical knowledge with professional sports and exercise science practice. We equip our students with the necessary knowledge and skills to thrive in a career in the field, from supporting elite performance to working in public health and beyond. At Lancaster, we're proud to offer a truly student-focused learning environment, with a deliberately small class size and small-group teaching. We also get our students working with specialised, research-grade sports equipment from their first year.

#### **Sports Webinar Series**

Wednesday 13 January 4:00pm-5:00pm The Role of Sports and Exercise Science in Professional Football Register here

Wednesday 27 January 4:00pm to 5:00pm How could a Sports and Exercise Scientist improve the nation's health? Register here

Wednesday 10 February 4:00pm to 5:00pm Why would a Sports and Exercise Scientist work for NASA? Register here

Wednesday 24 February 4:00pm to 5:00pm What has Sports and Exercise Science ever done for us? Register here

Wednesday 10 March 4:00pm to 5:00pm Resilience in Elite Sport Performance Register here





We are delighted to announce our essay competition to raise awareness of interesting advances in the field of **Sports and Exercise Science**. Candidates are invited to submit an essay of no more than 1000 words on one (or more) of the following titles:

- -Discuss the role of beetroot juice supplementation for elite endurance performance.
- -How can psychological flexibility facilitate resilience and thriving in times of uncertainty in elite sport?
- -Examine how the '4%' Nike Vaporfly shoe might increase marathon performance.

The winning entry for each of the essays will receive a £50 Amazon voucher and Lancaster University Merchandise.

## Open to Year 12 or Level 3 equivalent learners.

https://www.lancaster.ac.uk/lms/sports-and-exercise-science/saes-inspiring-minds/





I am writing to inform you that Lucy Cavendish College will be holding its **virtual Spring Open Day** on the **17th February 2021**. We have designed our programme mainly for prospective students who are considering applying to Cambridge later this year (meaning you plan to apply **in October 2021 for October 2022/deferred October 2023 entry**).

Open Day attendees from the UK will normally be in **Year 12 or equivalent**, though students from the penultimate school year in other countries, and prospective mature applicants are also very welcome. We would also be delighted if **parents, guardians and supporters** could join us.

We hope our Open Day will give you the chance to learn more about life and study at Lucy Cavendish College during this particularly exciting point in our history. Having previously been a College for mature-age (21+) women, we are now accepting applications from all suitably qualified students, regardless of age or gender. Most excitingly, we have chosen to take a unique stance on widening participation: we aim to become the first Cambridge College to admit a majority of its students from underrepresented or disadvantaged backgrounds and our long-term goal is to build a student population that is representative of wider UK society.

Lucy Cavendish College, Cambridge Spring
Open Day





Here are just some of the reasons to choose Lucy Cavendish College:

- Diverse, inclusive and friendly community
- •Great location close to all University departments, Sports Centre and the city
- •Great study spaces and library open 24/7
- Amazing personal and academic mentors
- Lively social and sporting scene
- •Beautiful gardens, gym, bar and cafe
- •Full programme of academic study skills, personal and career development

Take a look at our **website** for our timetable of live sessions and booking info.

We reserve the right to cap numbers according to our Zoom license, so do book early to avoid disappointment. Come and join us to find out what sets Lucy Cavendish apart!

Please do not hesitate to get in touch on <a href="mailto:outreach@lucy.cam.ac.uk">outreach@lucy.cam.ac.uk</a> with any queries.

Lucy Cavendish College, Cambridge Spring
Open Day





#### **University of Sheffield**

As you will know, UCAS have made the decision to extend the usual 15th January equal consideration deadline to 29th January. We want to make sure that students have access to application support right up to this deadline.



Therefore, inline with the new UCAS deadline, we have extended our application support sessions on Wednesdays from 17:00 - 18:00, until 27th January. Session content will include:

How to choose a course and university

Higher Education information, advice and guidance

Your questions answered by our specialist recruitment team

https://explore.sheffield.ac.uk/areas-of-interest/how-to-apply?utm\_source=experience&utm\_medium=email&utm\_campaign=11912017\_November%20Schools%20Email&dm\_i=H9\_E,77D50,22A90H,T6WQ8,1\_





# Sheffield Live: Wednesday evening drop-in session

The university process doesn't stop once students have applied, and we want to support you and your students every step of the way. We have designed a programme of themed twilight sessions on Wednesday evenings from 17:00 - 18:00, starting on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> February. Each session will include guest speakers who are the experts in that area.

We want to give you a true insight into life at Sheffield - our city, our campus, our accommodation and the huge range of opportunities available to our students. All students, staff and parents are welcome - you can find out more and access the sessions by clicking the link <a href="here">here</a>

# Sheffield Live: Supporting your students at home

As well as our twilight sessions, we are running events every Tuesday and Thursday from 11:00-12:00 during national lockdown, to support your students with their learning. Succeed @ home sessions will run Tuesdays from 11:00 - 12:00, and our recent graduates will be providing their top tips every Thursday, 11:00 - 12:00. There is no need to book, just drop in! Find out more and access the sessions by clicking here





<u>nttps://www.resear</u> Experience

We are putting together a brand new 3-day virtual work experience program for 6th form & Y11 students during the February Half Term. We have teamed up with some of the biggest brands on the planet to deliver an amazing 3-day program for your students. It o let any que involved with.

We have; IBM, HSBC, PwC, Marks & Spencer's, Vodafone, EY, CGI, Capgemini, bp, GSK and CIMA taking part across the 3 days to deliver workshops and insight sessions.

We know many work experience places recently have been cancelled due to Covid-19 and the new lockdown so we wanted to make sure your students are able to get an opportunity to engage with some huge bands, learn new things and begin to build their own professional network for when they enter into the work place.





## Continued.....

## **Key Details:**

- •February Half Term 15th 18th
- •9am 4pm each day (times may vary)
- •Open to all Y12 and Y13 students (anyone in year 11 groups who are 16+ are welcome to apply)
- •Online webinars and workshops with group exercises + prizes to stand out students
- •All sessions will be taking place on Zoom (so a laptop, tablet or phone will be needed)
- •Everyone that completes the 3 days will receive a certificate and reference for their CV's

This work experience program if **FREE** and places will be allocated on a first come first serve basis **(ONLY 200 PLACES)**.

To book on, students will need to register their interest following the below link.

https://www.research.net/r/Virtual-Work-Experience





#### **Lincoln University Events**

The evenings will allow parents and guardians to gain an insight into university life in general, and what the University of Lincoln offers. Our Education Liaison team will be joined by departments from across the University to help answer any queries you may have.

Dates/Year groups:

Thursday 11 February 6-7:30 pm – Post 16 Year 2

Thursday 25 February 6-7.30 pm – Post 16 Year 1

Please can you share the below link via your parent mailer lists for more details and to book a place.

https://www.lincoln.ac.uk/home/portals/parentszone/parentsevenings/ <http://xpyiw.mjt.lu/lnk/AL4AAJGlyhIA ActdKnIAAAEvo oAAAAAR7kAADAyABAMmABgCEF Ex-pC-

OmTrGGA4TL92EANQAPxy4/1/Gz4vapdhVwFrDZInEflgTg/aHR0cHM6Ly93d3cubGluY29sbi5hYy51ay9ob21lL3BvcnRhbHMvcGFyZW50c3pvbmUvcGFyZW50c2V2ZW5pbmdzLw>





University of Plymouth Faculty of Health - FREE support for potential students!!



All our schemes and activities are aimed at students who are aspiring to be Medics, Dentists, Dental Hygienists or Biomedical Scientists. Everything we offer is completely free of charge as part of Plymouth University's commitment to Widening Participation.

During the pandemic we transferred most of our outreach work to a virtual format and it seems to have been so successful that we will continue with this arrangement, even after life has 'gone back to normal'.

#### **WAMS** and **WADS** workshops

Our medical and dental students facilitate a range of virtual 1 hour workshops that they can run for your pupils. These include sessions about applying to medical/dental school, forensic dentistry, chemistry in medicine and asthma workshops with new workshops being developed for 2021. To book any sessions please contact <a href="meddent-outreach@plymouth.ac.uk">meddent-outreach@plymouth.ac.uk</a>







#### **E-Mentoring Scheme**

This scheme is for students from Y10 upwards.

The scheme is a great way for students to gain insight into life at university and some of the recent conversations have been about University of Plymouth Faculty of Health - FREE support for potential students!!: personal statements and interview help. As this scheme is online – it can be accessed from any location!! Please see attached flyer and link for more information.

https://www.plymouth.ac.uk/study/outreach/medicine-dentistry-biomedical-healthcare/e-mentoring-scheme

## **Summer Work Experience programmes**

We offer work experience at Plymouth University for those students interested in becoming a medic, dentist, dental hygienist, or biomedical scientist.

Due to COVID-19 we converted and ran our in-house work experience programmes as very successful virtual programmes during the summer of 2020. We are anticipating all three work experience programmes will be facilitated as virtual programmes again in 2021. If any student is interested, they will need to apply by 29<sup>rd</sup> January 2021

https://www.plymouth.ac.uk/study/outreach/medicine-dentistry-biomedical-healthcare/work-experience







#### **Peninsula Pathways Workshops**

Most of our events and workshops have been successfully converted to virtual sessions, due to Covid 19. We offer a huge range of support and experiences including: ethics workshops, UKCAT workshops and Mock interviews practise. Please see link below for more information.

https://www.plymouth.ac.uk/study/outreach/medicine-dentistry-biomedical-healthcare/peninsula-pathways-workshops

#### **Contextual Offers**

Significant engagement in the Peninsula Pathways programme can be used as one of the contextual widening participation indicators if you are looking to apply to Peninsula Medical School or Peninsula Dental School with AAB. Significant engagement includes completion of the five-day summer Work Experience Programme, being a member of the e-Mentoring scheme and attended a minimum of three of the various Peninsula Pathways workshops by the end of Year 12.

https://www.plymouth.ac.uk/study/outreach/medicine-dentistry-biomedical-healthcare/peninsula-pathways-for-secondary-school-students







#### **Pathways Plus Scheme**

This programme is available to students who come from socially and/or educationally disadvantaged backgrounds in Years 11 and 12, who are considering studying medicine. If a student meets 3 of our 6 contextual indicators and successful completes the Pathways Plus programme, they will be eligible to apply as part of the new UKWPMED scheme

https://www.plymouth.ac.uk/study/outreach/medicine-dentistry-biomedical-healthcare/pathways-plus UKWPMED info

https://www.plymouth.ac.uk/uploads/production/document/path/18/18253/UKWPMED-Scheme-Guidance-2020-21.pdf

Our e-Mentoring scheme matches you with a current medical, biomedical or dental student, who you will communicate with via a secure online platform. Our brilliant mentoring platform is also a place to ask questions about our programmes and about life as a student here in Plymouth. The platform is anonymous, securely monitored and free of charge. For more information, please contact: <a href="mailto:meddent-outreach@plymouth.ac.uk">meddent-outreach@plymouth.ac.uk</a>

Application forms for events are available by sending an email to <a href="mailto:careers@stmargaretsacademy.com">careers@stmargaretsacademy.com</a> FAO Mrs Torpey