



Careers Newsletter

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Year 11 Students and Parents – A message from the Careers Team

We believe we have seen everyone who has requested or required a Careers appointment however, if you or your son/daughter believe they still need a Careers appointment please contact the Careers Team: careers@bournside.gloucs.sch.uk and we will see them before the end of term.

A member of the Glos Col team will be here on Tuesday 30th April at 2.30pm to help anyone with the application process or queries regarding courses and levels.

Applications to college open until September however after Easter they do not guarantee places will be available so we encourage students to apply by the 1st April 2021.

Thank you for all your support during this difficult academic year.

Many Thanks
The Careers Team

NHS Vacancies

As always all our apprenticeship vacancies are advertised on <http://www.jobs.nhs.uk> and <https://www.healthjobsuk.com/>

COMING SOON	Level	Advertisement Date	Start Date	Further Info
Customer Service Practitioner Apprentice	Level 2	TBC	TBC	This is an exciting opportunity to learn new skills and become part of the Apprenticeships & Careers Team who play an important role in developing the skills of existing staff as well as attracting new apprentices into the Trust. Coming soon on the NHS Jobs website.
Customer Service Specialist Apprentice	Level 3	TBC	TBC	Apprenticeships in the Maternity department at Gloucestershire Royal Hospital, coming soon on the NHS Jobs website.

SAVE THE DATE!!	When?	What's planned?
Virtual Live Midwifery Taster Day	14 th April 2021 13:00 – 15:30	We are hosting a virtual live event for students in year 11 and above who are interested in Midwifery. Further details on how to take part will be released shortly.

NEWS & UPCOMING EVENTS	What's planned?
Allied Health Professional Virtual Work Experience Session (Date to be confirmed)	Allied health professionals Virtual work experience day - The Allied Health Professions (AHPs) comprise of 14 distinct occupations including: art therapists, dietitians, drama therapists, music therapists, occupational therapists, operating department practitioners, orthoptists, osteopaths, paramedics, physiotherapists, podiatrists, prosthetists and orthotists, diagnostic and therapeutic radiographers, and speech and language therapists. We will be showcasing a number of these professionals who carry out their amazing work from Gloucester Royal NHS Foundation Trust. More details will follow in the upcoming weeks.
Non-Clinical Apprenticeship Event (Date to be confirmed)	We are presently planning an event to showcase our non-clinical apprenticeships. Further details to follow as we have them. The NHS is more than just doctors and nurses!

Please contact ghn-tr.apprenticeships@nhs.net for further information.

Opportunities and events at top organisations

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Opportunities and events at top organisations

This week, in addition to sharing the latest school/college leaver jobs and apprenticeships we've added some parent events to share with students' parents. **Click to apply below.**



Live Parents and Carers Q&A

Who: **University of South Wales**

When: **Tuesday 23 March**

Sign up here: <http://bit.ly/30uM7zt>

Choosing a place at University is a huge milestone, for parents and carers as well as prospective students. Following the recent announcements about grading and results for summer 2021 you probably have questions about what this will mean for your child's application.

Join our Live Parents and Carers Q&A and our panel, Sêra Evans - Head of UK Recruitment and Kathryn Matthews - Head of Admissions, will answer all your questions on applying to and starting university in 2021 – [add event to your calendar.](#)



A Parent's Guide to University

Who: **Staffordshire University**

When: **Thursday 25 March**

Sign up here: [Parent's guide to university. \(jotform.com\)](https://www.staffordshire.ac.uk/parents-guide-to-university)

Whether you're feeling anxious about your child going off to University, or you can't wait for the peace and quiet it might bring, it's important that you have all the right information to make a positive difference.

At Staffordshire University, we can give you the knowledge you need to do just that. Our Virtual Parents Event is a unique event which will give you an insight into our courses, support options, and the unique opportunities that modern day students have access to within the University environment.



BT

New opportunities

Deadline: Ongoing

Location: Nationwide

Salary: Competitive

For ease of access, view some of BT jobs here:

1. Network Engineer Apprenticeship, Bristol - [link](#)
2. Technical Delivery Professional (IT Consultant), Ipswich - [link](#)
3. Electronics Technician, Nationwide - [link](#)

4. Power Technician, Nationwide - [link](#)

[View all jobs](#)



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Insurance & Pensions opportunities

Deadline: 2 April 2021

Location: Nationwide

Salary: Competitive

[View all jobs](#)



PwC

PwC's **Tax & Audit School & College Leaver Programmes** are still open!

[View all jobs](#)



IBM

Technology & Business Placements

Deadline: Ongoing

Location: Nationwide

Salary: Competitive

[View jobs](#)

[View all opportunities](#)

Would someone else be interested in these opportunities?

[Click here to forward](#) this to students, colleagues or friends.

If you have any questions or need any help, please get in touch with us at team@successatschool.org.

Thanks,
Success at School



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March 2021:

With the Easter holidays coming up we wanted to remind you of a few virtual opportunities that are available to support students who cannot visit a university campus. These include events that will help to enrich their learning experience.

In this newsletter:

- [Events and opportunities](#)
- [Work Experience](#)
- [Virtual resources](#)

[Forward this email to colleagues who can click here to sign up to the newsletter](#)

Events and opportunities



Insight into Bristol - Year 12

This [Summer School](#) is a free experience for students from Black, Asian and ethnic minority backgrounds to find out what it's really like to study at the University. Students will be able to attend live seminars with academics, meet current Bristol students, enjoy social events and get advice on applying to university. Participants will then be eligible for either a guaranteed contextual offer or guaranteed interview from the University of Bristol. Applications close on **Tuesday 23 March**. [Visit our website to apply.](#)

The Destinations Conference - Year 12

This [conference](#) is running on the **13th April 2021** and will be presented in collaboration with the University of Bristol's African and Caribbean Society (ACS.) It is aimed at students who identify as Black African; Black Caribbean; any other Black background; or any mixed ethnic background featuring one of these groups. Students will be able to choose between a range of subject streams as well as receiving information from current students and the ACS. Teachers can register their interest by [completing this form](#). Students can register using this [form](#).

Explore Events - Year 12

Our [Explore events](#) offer students the chance to attend taster sessions led by the University of Bristol. Students accepted onto the course will receive preliminary material to explore in their own time the week preceding the events. Take a look at our short [Explore video](#). Students can [sign up here](#).

Explore New Options in Arts and Social Sciences - Year 12

Join us for two [online events](#) for students interested in finding out about Arts or Social Science subjects at Bristol. The event consists of a live text chat with academic staff and students to discover new subjects and course combinations, from Archaeology and Anthropology, Joint Honours with Languages or subjects such as Education Studies, Social and Public Policy, Accounting and Finance. Students can register their interest by using the [sign up form](#).

Studying a STEM subject - Year 12

An opportunity for students to chat live to staff and students from the University of Bristol and ask any questions about life at Bristol and what it's like to study a STEM subject. Students can sign up to this event on **Monday 12th April** (4-5pm) [here](#) or **Tuesday 13th April** (5-6pm) [here](#).

Work experience



Work Experience - Life Sciences

The Faculty of Life Sciences offers a range of virtual and physical [work experience](#) that allow year 10 and 12 students to build self-confidence, gain an understanding and develop essential work and networking skills. They will gain a deeper understanding of some scientific theories, techniques and equipment that different subject use and get to see or do scientific experiments.

Science for Life Interactive Virtual Roadshow

These 1hr subject specific workshops are designed by PGR students and map across their unique research projects with relevant topics on the A-Level and BTEC science curriculums. They introduce theory, encourage participation, test learning and stress the relevant science learning to real life jobs. To request a session to be delivered live to your class, please complete this [Science for Life request form](#).

Virtual resources

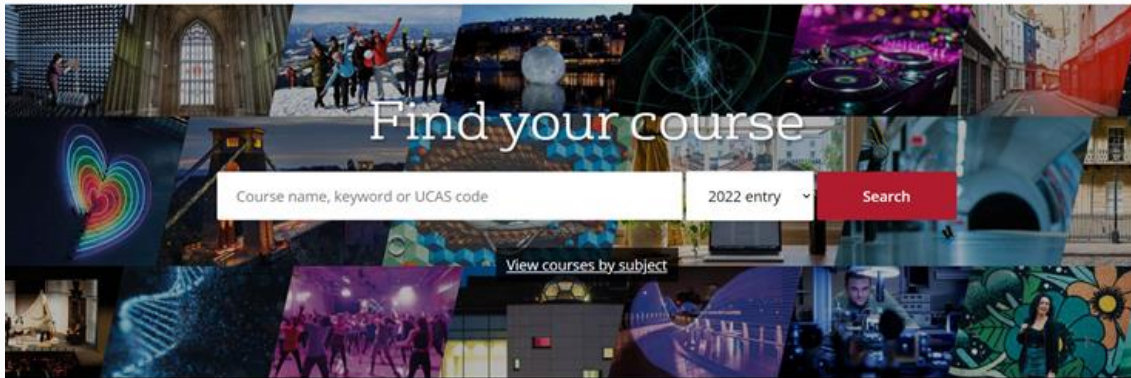


Library of key subject specific Virtual Resources

To access our easy to navigate library of subject specific resources, including pre-recorded lectures, lesson plans, podcasts and blogs [you and your students can sign up following this link](#). These can be used by students to enrich their home learning and support their university application or by teachers within virtual lessons.

Urban Bristol - GCSE Geography resource

This free resource is for students and teachers who would like to explore the urban issues and challenges in Bristol. As GCSE students have been unable to carry out fieldwork for their Geography courses this year, we thought we'd bring the fieldwork to you. Take a guided tour with our student ambassadors around different areas of Bristol, have a go at some activity sheets and complete a treasure hunt! The first 100 students to sign up will get a free gift from the University of Bristol! [Sign up here](#).



With the launch of our [online 2022 prospectus](#) students can explore up to date information on [student life](#), [why to choose Bristol](#) and have a browse at some of our [inspiring stories](#).

Construction Apprenticeship Opportunities - Barnwood Ltd

Barnwood Ltd are currently looking to recruit several Apprentices.

Currently they include the following however we will have further opportunities early next year;

- **Administrators/ Receptionists (x 2 within our Head Office)**
- **Joinery Apprentices (x3 within our Shopfitting Joinery workshop)**
- **Quantity Surveyor Apprentice (within Construction) * this is a degree apprenticeship post A level.**

We are looking at July/ August or September start dependant on the role.

If anyone wishes to discuss these opportunities further please email careers@bournside.gloucs.sch.uk and we can forward your details and queries onto Barnwood Ltd.

<http://www.barnwoodconstruction.com/careers/apprenticeships/>

Construction Apprenticeships at EG Carter

Please click on the following link below for further information regarding apprenticeships:

<https://egcarter.co.uk/careers/apprentices-and-management-trainees>

You will need:

- 5 GCSE A-C (9-4) grades including Maths & English
- Good communication skills
- Positive attitude to a wide range of tasks
- Good work ethic

How and when to apply

Deadline for Applications is 31 March 2021.

Assessments and invitation to interview will be arranged for April.

Please send your CV and covering letter to careers@egcarter.co.uk

Applications for Routes into STEM May and July courses are now OPEN, for Year 9 & 10 students!

Virtual Routes into STEM is an innovative course that provides **Year 9 and Year 10** students with a clear understanding of the amazing opportunities offered by STEM based careers. The course allows students to recognise the variety of opportunities available to them after taking their GCSEs, it will provide access to key information on **different pathways: College and University and Apprenticeship** routes through industry. The course is suitable for **all academic abilities** – all that is required is a **genuine interest in STEM subjects**.

- Experience multiple colleges, universities, and employers across the country.
- Have the freedom to explore the course at their own pace, taking control of their learning.
- Students will understand the diverse routes available to them after studying their GCSEs – including apprenticeships and degree apprenticeships talks.
- Experience a diverse range of live Q&A sessions during the half term.
- Gain their [Bronze Industrial Cadets award](#).

The registration for our **May and July courses** is now open! If you think you might be interested and would benefit from this opportunity, please apply now as places are limited! It's easy to do, - [Routes into STEM flyer](#) for all your **Y9 and Y10 students and parents/guardians and from there you can apply through the website and we will be in contact with you.**



Latest: Virtual Work Experience and Careers Opportunities

I wanted to get in touch to make sure you and your students were aware of the approaching deadlines for all of our April programmes. Please see below just a few of our soon to close programmes! You can also click 'see all programmes' to be sent through to a comprehensive list detailing everything on offer. Please do share this with your students so that they can lock in their place whilst there is still time...

SIEMENS

Siemens Virtual Work Experience

Deadline: 29th March 2021

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SPRINGPOD®

Marketing Virtual Work Experience

Deadline: 29th March 2021

[LEARN MORE](#)



SPRINGPOD®

Journalism Virtual Work Experience

Deadline: 29th March 2021

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Dentistry Virtual Work Experience

Deadline: 29th March 2021

[LEARN MORE](#)

Fashion Virtual Work Experience

Deadline: 29th March 2021

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Next Steps for Year 12s Conference

Next Steps for Year 12s Conference – 24th April, 1:00pm – 3:20pm

We're excited to be working with Cardiff University and the Universities of Bath, Exeter and Warwick on the Next Steps for Year 12 Conference. This online event is designed for year 12, or first year BTEC, students. Representatives from the universities will be offering advice on making the most of a virtual open day, personal statements, applying to competitive universities and more.

Students can book their place [exeter.ac.uk/iagconferences]here. Please find attached the provisional agenda for this event.

Supporters' sessions

It's not only students who need support and guidance at this time. We are running webinars specifically for parents, carers, guardians and other supporters throughout the academic year. The April events are [Student Finance for Supporters](#) (14th) and [Why Lancaster for Supporters](#) (21st). The series of events can be found [here](#).

[Next Steps Agenda](#)

FREE VIRTUAL WORK EXPERIENCE WEEK PROGRAMME

Monday 24th - Friday 28th May 2021

Years 10 - 13

Are your students missing out on work experience opportunities? Would they like to find out about an innovative industry? Help your students to prepare for the world of work and register for our virtual work experience week.

- Interact with **industry professionals** from employers like Coca-Cola, Cadburys and Tesco to hear about marketing, science, engineering, IT
- Help your students **gain experience and insights** into a growing industry
- Sessions are **fast paced and interactive**
- Students receive **personal feedback** from industry professionals
- Students get a **Certificate to add to CV** to stand out

[Register your interest](#)

[Work Experience week Flyer 2021 School](#)