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Queen Elizabeth High School, Hexham

Sixth Form Notices

BOTH YEARS Reminder: QEHS Sixth Form Students - follow our Instagram page! We are @qehs_sixth_form (https://www.instagram.com/qehs_sixth_form/)

The Curriculum Team launched this Instagram page during lockdown to pass on relevant information, notices, and resources for progression. We will also regularly highlight opportunities that have been advertised in the Sixth Form Bulletin.

University/College

YEAR 13 Reminder: UCAS are holding virtual exhibitions for specific subject areas. The list of exhibitions includes:

- Business, Law, and Finance: 29 30 September 2020
- Biological and Physical Sciences: 16 October 2020
- Social Sciences, Humanities, and Teaching: 23 24 October 2020 •
- Maths, Engineering, and Computing: 2 3 November 2020
- Creative Subjects: 13 14 November 2020

At an UCAS virtual exhibition, students can speak directly to subject and admissions specialists, listen to seminars, pick up digital prospectuses and other information. For more information, see https://www.ucas.com/ucas/events/find/scheme/virtual-and-digital/type/exhibition

Careers

School Leavers Northumbrian Water Group (NWG) are holding an 'Innovation Festival' on Monday 14 to Thursday 17 September 2020. This year the event is virtual, and there is a dedicated section designed to help the 'Class of 2020' school leavers, helping them to learn more about themselves, potential options for the future, and what they need to do to get a job and keep it. NWG will have a range of practical online resources available for young people to gain inspiration and practical knowledge. Students will also be able to take part in online festival workshops and work alongside engineers, scientists and industry experts. For more information and to register for the festival, see https://www.innovationfestival.org/get-involved/young-people/

BOTH YEARS Young Professionals is running a three-day online work experience programme for Sixth Form students during the October half term (26–28 October 2020). The work experience is designed for students interested in the Technology, Business, Accounting and Finance sectors, and includes companies such as IBM, Ernst & Young, and PricewaterhouseCoopers. The work experience will run from 9am to 4pm each day via Zoom, and will include online webinars and workshops with group exercises. The programme is free and places will be allocated on a first-come first-serve basis. To book a place, students need to register their interest on

https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/youngprouk

Enrichment

YEAR 13 Newcastle University has released a new set of downloadable resources from their A Level Chemistry Revision Workshops that were delivered on campus in the Easter holidays. In lieu of delivering the workshops this year, the University has converted the workshop content into online resources for students preparing to study courses featuring a high proportion of chemistry content at undergraduate degree level. The resources include lecture PowerPoints, videos, and revision notes booklets. For more information, see

https://www.ncl.ac.uk/sage/stemoutreach/resources/alrw/#howtousetheresources

BOTH YEARS A Roxhill **Media Webinar** will take place on <u>Tuesday 15 September 2020</u> called 'Everything you need to know about Stella and The Telegraph Magazine'. Marianne Jones, editor-inchief of Stella Magazine and **editor of The Telegraph Magazine**, will discuss what kind of stories she and her team are looking for, the sort of pitches that get their attention, and who is best to contact for the different sections of each magazine. For more information and to register, see <u>https://roxhillmedia.com/insight-and-events/events/2020/09/15/roxhill-webinar-stella-magazine/</u>