

Sixth Form Bulletin 30/11/20

Queen Elizabeth High School, Hexham



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Careers

BOTH YEARS Young Professionals are hosting an **exclusive webinar** bringing together **Ernst & Young (EY)**, **PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC)**, and the **Chartered Institute of Management Accountants (CIMA)** on Wednesday 2 December 2020 (5pm – 6.30pm). The event is designed for students interested in a **career in accounting and business**, and the professionals will be able to give an insight into both areas. There will also be **audit and accounting workshops** with mini exercises, and a **recruitment panel** discussing paid work experience opportunities and apprenticeships. There are **limited places** available at the event; to register for a place see <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/YP-Accounting>

Enrichment

YEAR 13 The **Medicine and Health** Outreach Team at the **University of Leeds** are holding an Interview Webinar for Applicants on Thursday 3 December 2020 (4pm – 5pm). The workshop is designed for Year 13 students applying to a Medicine, Dentistry or Healthcare programme, and aims to ensure that students feel supported and prepared ahead of this year's interviews. Current Leeds students will also be in attendance to share their experiences and top tips for preparing for an interview. For more information and to register for a place, see <https://www.healthsciences.leeds.ac.uk/events/interviews-webinar/>

BOTH YEARS The **University of East Anglia** is holding an **Organic Chemistry webinar** entitled 'Organic Chemistry in Our Everyday Life' on Wednesday 9 December 2020 (11am – noon). Dr Maria Paz Munoz, Senior Lecturer in Organic Chemistry, will talk about a selection of organic molecules around us, from small molecules to polymers and bigger molecules used in the pharmaceutical industry used to treat Parkinson's disease or cancer. The session will also include the topics of electronic transitions, different functional groups, types of isomerism, and simple organic reactions. For more information and to register for a place, see <https://www.channeltalent.co.uk/event/chemistry-organic-chemistry-in-our-everyday-life-with-dr-maria-paz-munoz-from-university-of-east-anglia/>

BOTH YEARS **Northumbria University** have launched an extensive programme of **virtual subject-specific events** for Sixth Form students:

- **Sport Coaching** – Are Champions Born or Made? (Tuesday 1 December 2020, noon – 12.50pm) <https://app.geckoform.com/public/#/modern/FOEU0125v2NqXtkN>
- **English Literature** – Offensive Shakespeare (Thursday 3 December 2020, noon – 1pm) <https://app.geckoform.com/public/#/modern/FOEU0125x60HdaQi>
- **Maths** – Complex, Not So Complex! (Friday 4 December 2020, noon – 1pm) <https://app.geckoform.com/public/#/modern/FOEU0125D0jUsrVu>

- **Music** – Page to Performance (Thursday 10 December 2020, 12.30pm – 1pm)
<https://app.geckoform.com/public/#/modern/FOEU0125dQXnsHBS>
- **English Language and Linguistics** – World Englishes (Friday 11 December 2020, noon – 1pm)
<https://app.geckoform.com/public/#/modern/FOEU01256qgOxb11>
- **English Literature** – From Austen to Austenland: Representing the Regency. This will be a recorded session followed by a live seminar session in early 2021 (date TBC). There are limited spaces available. <https://app.geckoform.com/public/#/modern/FOEU0125hhd9z2bZ>
- **English Literature** – Modern, Modernity and the American Dream in *The Great Gatsby*. This will be a recorded session followed by a live seminar session in early 2021 (date TBC). There are limited spaces available.
<https://app.geckoform.com/public/#/modern/FOEU0125S3yYhgc8>

These sessions would be a **very good enrichment example** for UCAS statements **of independent learning** and pursuing external resources to explore **topics in further depth and at a higher level** outside of lessons.

BOTH YEARS Teesside University are hosting an **online Maths taster session** on Wednesday 9 December 2020 (2pm – 3pm). The session will be delivered by a course tutor from Teesside’s Mathematics department, exploring the subject area of **Mathematics, Analytics, and Economics**. Students will be given an insight into the various **career pathways** and roles within this sector that a degree can lead to, as well as gaining more knowledge and insight about the **courses** that Teesside University offer on these pathways, how these courses are taught, and the opportunities that they offer to their undergraduate students.

BOTH YEARS NHS Careers have published guides for the application process for **nursing and allied health professional roles**:

- **Nursing**: NHS nurses work alongside a wide variety of specialists and gain a wide range of skills and knowledge, and 94% of students find work within six months of graduating.
<https://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/nursing-registration>
- **Allied Health Professionals**: There are 15 different allied health professional roles in the NHS working across a range of sectors, from emergency response and diagnosis to mental and physical rehabilitation. Allied Health Professionals play a key part in treating, rehabilitating, and improving the lives of patients. <https://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/allied-health-professionals-registration>

YEAR 12 The annual **Cambridge Sixth Form Law Conference** will be taking place Monday 22 – Friday 26 March 2021, in an **online** format this time. The Conference will include **live interactive sessions**, as well as **recorded sessions** that can be viewed at any time. The sessions aim to offer students a taste of the study of Law, insight into life as an undergraduate, and insight into life at Cambridge. The 2021 Conference is **free of charge** and is not limited to students who know they will be applying to Cambridge. Applications will open at 9am on Tuesday 1 December 2020 – please note that eligibility will be based on widening participation criteria such as Free School Meals, disabilities, in care, or first generation to attend higher education. The deadline for applications is 31 December 2020. For more information, including the full list of eligibility criteria, see <http://www.cambridgesixthformlawconference.com/>