



Opportunities from the bulletin also feature on our Instagram: @qehs\_sixth\_form

We ask students and their parents to research fully any opportunities advertised in the bulletin to ensure they are happy with the organisation they are linking with and its value for money if there is a cost.

### Notices

Dates for exam results:

- A Level Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> August
- GCSE Thursday 25<sup>th</sup> August

**Year 13** Volunteers wanted! Mr Atkins would be grateful if you could support as a tour guide on Thursday 14 July, between approx. 4.30 and 7.30pm, when we invite the wider community in to see our new facilities. Please let him know if you can help by emailing [fsnook@qehs.net](mailto:fsnook@qehs.net). Thank you to those who have volunteered so far.

**Year 13** Reminder - It is essential for students wishing to apply for university to sign up online to open days, if travelling further afield is difficult, local universities will give you an excellent feel for what is on offer.

**Year 13** Reminder - **Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> June** is the third and final progression day. Students have chosen which sessions to attend during the day. All students wishing to apply to university have been asked to attend one of the drafting a personal statement workshops, either period 4 or period 5.

### University: Super-curricular

**You may be interested in these upcoming events.**

*Please note: We have been asked by the universities to share their outreach activities with you. To find out more about a university use university league tables and to research the course area you are interested in at a specific university use <https://discoveruni.gov.uk/> where the views from the most recent graduates on their degree experience have been sought.*

### All Year Groups

#### Channel Talent Talks

#### **Criminology: Victimology & Terrorism - Mini Series with Aberystwyth**

The Department of Law & Criminology at Aberystwyth University are hosting a Criminology mini series. Dr Bethan Poyser will begin on 29 June by exploring *The Forgotten Victims of Crime*, examining key victimological concepts and considering victims who are marginalised and forgotten by society and the CJS.

- **June 29 @ 15:35 - 16:20** Criminology/Law: The Forgotten Victims of Crime - Tutorial – Aberystwyth (KS5) [Find out more »](#)

Then on 7th July, Jen Phipps addresses the *Psychology of Terrorism* by looking at the psychology underlying the stronghold that terrorism has on societies, namely fear, and considers how our lives and very freedoms are controlled and governed through fear generated by the threat of terrorism and other crimes.

- **July 7 @ 15:35 - 16:20** Criminology/Psychology: Psychology of Terrorism - Tutorial – Aberystwyth (KS5) [Find out more »](#)

Both sessions will include a video to watch in advance which sets the scene and prepares students for the live interactive session.

### ***UK Politics, Democracy & Participation***

On 23rd June, Dr Siobhan McAndrew from The University of Sheffield who will investigate critical issues of democracy and participation by asking 'Is Online Conspiracism Damaging Our Politics?'

- **June 23 @ 15:35 - 16:35** Politics: Democracy & Participation - Is Online Conspiracism Damaging Our Politics? With Sheffield (KS5) [Find out more »](#)

### **Year 13** Engineering Faculty Tour with UEA & Sheffield

You can take part in two fast paced tours around the Engineering faculties at The University of Sheffield and University of East Anglia. For students who are potentially considering an Engineering degree, this lively event offers an invaluable addition to their HE research, enabling them to experience the amazing facilities and opportunities as well as affording the ability to make direct and meaningful comparisons between universities.

- **June 30 @ 16:15 - 17:15** Engineering: University Faculty Tour - Engineering with Sheffield & UEA (KS5) [Find out more »](#)

### **Year 13** Thinking of Studying History at University?

Take part in this one-day event to equip you with the tools to ensure that you have the best chance of studying history at the university of your choice. The event will introduce students to history at university and consider how they can make themselves stand out in the application process. This year's event is being held in partnership with [City, University of London](#). City is a vibrant research environment and the top-ranked university in London for student experience for history.

For a day packed full of helpful advice, workshops, mock interviews and case studies, plus lectures and tips from the City history department and a chance to meet current students, this event is a must for students looking to study history at university.

For more information, click [here](#)

### **All Year Groups** Hexham Book Festival

The Hexham Book Festival is still running and attending talks which link to your chosen degree can be included your personal statement. For more information, click [here](#)

### **Year 11** **Year 13** Careers in Pathology Virtual Event

Are you aware of Biomedical Science and the role it plays in a patient's pathway? Have you heard of pathology? Do you know who tests your sample when it's sent to the hospital laboratory? Are you aware of the routes into the profession and the opportunities found within the career pathway? Are you aware of the opportunities our region (North East & North Cumbria (NENC)) can provide in this profession?

You are invited to an online virtual webinar where your regional Pathology staff will inspire with talks, videos and interactive Q&A.

**Event: Careers in Pathology**

**Date: 11<sup>th</sup> July 2022**

**Time: 9.30-12.00**

**Via Teams**

To register your interest, please contact Stuart Costelloe-Ferguson via email [stuart.costelloe-ferguson@nhs.net](mailto:stuart.costelloe-ferguson@nhs.net) by 30<sup>th</sup> June.

**Apprenticeships** (remember to check <https://www.findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk/> regularly and any employers, such as the NHS, who you are particularly interested in working for).

**Year 11** **Year 14** **Commis Chef Apprenticeship – The Hadrian Hotel, Wall**

The commis chef will do food preparation work and basic cooking under the supervision of a chef de partie or section chef, rotating through sections such as sauce, vegetables, fish and butchery. You will be expected to maintain high standards of hygiene, prepare ingredients for other more senior chefs, measure ingredients, deal with deliveries and stock rotation.

For more information, click [here](#)

**Gardening Apprentice – Matthew Hope, Hexham**

Hexham based garden maintenance company is looking to employ a Horticulture apprentice to learn all aspects of the business from customer engagement to carrying out garden maintenance services.

For more information, click [here](#)

**Apprentice Business Administrator – Phonebox, Hexham**

You will work with the team to support the delivery of telecoms contracts to both the public and corporate sector.

For more information, click [here](#)

**Careers and Work Experience**

**Year 13** **Virtual Work Experience Opportunity with Historic England**

This three-day programme includes live content, talks from guest speakers and the opportunity to contribute to some of our work as we champion historic places to help people understand, value and care for them. All delegates will receive a certificate of completion of their work experience at Historic England at the end of the programme.

The summer 2022 event runs from **Tuesday 12 July to Thursday 14 July 2022**.

For more information, please click [here](#)

**Year 14** **Turing Scheme – Dublin Based Internship in Production, Manufacturing & Logistics**

The 'Turing Scheme', provides a 13 week, fully funded, work placement/internship, to young people looking to travel, gain work experience, develop life skills or take a step onto the career ladder. The internships are based in Dublin and offer an exciting opportunity for young people to experience staying in vibrant city, away from home at no cost to them. The next cohort of learners will be ready to fly in September 2022.

**It is fully-funded**

The participant's flights, student accommodation, study of LEAN Level 2 qualification, living allowance (€100 per week), city travel card and insurances are all covered through the placement.

### **You gain a qualification**

The LEAN Level 2 qualification is universally recognised in the warehouse and production sector, as well as being a sought after process driven qualification; transferable to office, retail and hospitality environments. Participants are given guidance, mentoring and support throughout this qualification. For many, this qualification proves to be the CV they need to enter the sector.

### **Employability**

Beyond the 'CV boost' LEAN Level 2 offers, they guarantee interviews with the wide variety of warehouse and production employers we are connected to, upon return to the North East.

### **Placement**

Pre-travel, a CV matching exercise is offered to ensure that all participants meet their workplace mentors prior to travel. You can choose from a variety of sectors including, warehouse, production, HR, office-based roles, retail or hospitality. This ensures that their placement is relative to their career goals and adds 3 months work experience to your CV upon return to England.

### **It's fun**

Dublin is an amazing city, and the candidate will get to live there and experience all it has to offer for free. Ireland is an amazing place, and their travel card covers the expense of exploring it. Young people need to relax and spend time together; accommodation that includes a communal kitchen diner, an onsite gym, cinema and BBQ area, provides the perfect place to do this.

To register your interest, please email the Curriculum Office [curriculum@qehs.net](mailto:curriculum@qehs.net) by **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> June**.