



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

Year 13

University Application/ UCAS Choices/Post Sixth Form Routes

If your UCAS application has stalled, there is a **meeting tomorrow (Friday 26th November) at 8:45 in the theatre.**

Important notices were given out in assembly this week regarding being able to add to and/or change UCAS university choices. In addition, students who are not applying to university were invited to a meeting during registration time. If you missed assembly and want to know more about changing or adding a UCAS choice or you missed a meeting in registration please come to the Curriculum Office.

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.

Years 11, 12 & 13

You may be interested in these **online talks** in the coming weeks:

- **December 2 @ 12:00 - 13:00** insight4me Engineering: Practical Applications of Physics Principles - Sheffield & Glasgow (KS5) Dr Ian Taylor, the Head of Aerospace Engineering at University of Glasgow, will examine how the principles of flight are based on some of the fundamental laws of physics, from Newton's Laws of Motion to Conservation of Energy, and involve many aspects of science from materials, thermodynamics, mechanics and fluid dynamics. Ian will discuss how this application of principles is not always straightforward. Dr Gavin Williams from The University of Sheffield will then discuss the development of the Blue LED, which was awarded the 2014 Nobel Prize for Physics. Explaining the physics behind these tiny devices, Gavin will look at how these LEDs have produced a lighting revolution and will suggest how they may soon be giving us an even better internet connection. [Find out more »](#)
- **December 9 @ 16:45 - 17:30** Mathematical Modelling: The Mathematics of Stopping a Self-Driving Car - Tutorial - UEA (KS5) This features the excellent Dr Robert Whittaker from the School of Mathematics at UEA and sets the scene and expectations for the live tutorial with Robert on 9th December. This is ideally suited to students who enjoy applying their maths to real world problems. [Find out more »](#)

Note: You may not miss lessons to attend these talks but if you are interested and unable to attend owing to lessons, please contact Channel Talent to see if you can obtain a recording of the talks. The contact form is on their website: <https://www.channeltalent.co.uk/>

Years 11, 12 & 13

Newcastle University's Public Lecture Series continues this month:

- **Tuesday 7 December, 5.30pm**
[Beauty at the beginning of life](#)
Professor Mary Herbert, Newcastle University

Years 12 & 13**Northern School of Art, University-Level Campus in Hartlepool Upcoming Events**

- **Festival of Illustration** – Industry Speaker Talks (23/ 24/ 25 Nov) – see **Appendix I** for more info
- **HE Open Day** – Saturday 4th December – potential students can book a place here: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/137601663279>

Years 12 & 13**Business Management Taster Day, Saturday 4th December, 10:30-12:30, London**

Pearson Business School has an **on-campus undergraduate taster day** to introduce their Business subjects including **Management, Marketing, Finance** and **Entrepreneurship** (*please read the health and safety information before booking*).

Why join the taster day?

- Experience what a typical Business Management **seminar-style class** is like
- Meet their expert, **industry-experienced tutors**.
- **Explore their campus** in central London!

This is a great opportunity for students who are interested in kickstarting their Business career, as Pearson Business School students study within the heart of **FTSE100** company, **Pearson Plc**.

To book your place, click [here](#).

Work Experience / Volunteering**Years 12 & 13****First Steps to law – Free Online Work Experience****About the experience**

With the Hogan Lovells First Steps to Law Programme, you'll get to experience what it is like to work on a project that mirrors the skills our teams have and the work they do in the real world. Build skills in gaining commercial awareness, critical thinking, spotting issues, legal research, drafting emails and communication.

Whether you already have an idea about what you want to do when you leave school or are still exploring, the Hogan Lovells First Steps to Law Programme will give you a taste of what a career in commercial law might look like for you!

Workplace Skills

Gain practical skills and experience to better prepare you for the world of work. Programmes are self-paced so you can learn on your own time.

Based on Real life

Learn more about what you will actually do on the job by completing a series of hypothetical tasks based on real life scenarios.

Application Advantage

Gain a certificate to share and add to your resume. You'll stand out on your application and have something tangible for your interview.

Enrol for free [here](#).

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).

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BAE Systems Apprenticeships

BAE Systems Land UK are promoting a series of WebEx-based 1 hour Careers Events for 2022 Apprenticeships, which range from Level 3 Advanced to Level 6 Degree Apprenticeships. The sessions are detailed in **Appendix 2**. There are apprenticeship vacancies nationwide, including in Tyne & Wear.

The Careers Event detail can be found by following the link below which includes detail of how to register for each event:

<https://www.baesystems.com/en/careers/careers-in-the-uk/apprenticeships/land/land-apprentice-career-open-events>

and details of the Apprenticeship vacancies can be found at:

[Vacancy list - BAE Systems \(groupgti.com\)](#)

(filter Business Unit on the LH side to Land (UK))

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Explore Accountancy Apprenticeships

Insight Event on **Thursday 2nd December, 4:30-5:30pm**: Free Virtual Event (via Zoom), in association with Buzzacott.

Applications open soon for Buzzacott's 2022 Apprenticeship Programme, with early career opportunities in Accountancy, Audit, Business Services and more starting in September 2022.

Who are Buzzacott?

At Buzzacott, nearly 500 people work together under one roof in St Paul's, London, making it the largest single office accountancy firm in the UK. Buzzacott are also part of PrimeGlobal, an award-winning association of independent accounting firms.

What will you find out at the Insight Event?

1. Learn about Buzzacott's mission, vision and values
2. See what a day in the life at Buzzacott's office looks like – from their culture of trust, to their social atmosphere
3. Get the inside track on the recruitment process, and find out how to make your application stand out.

Who will you hear from?

You will hear from several members of the Buzzacott team, including current apprentices, hiring manager and firm partners, as well as GetMyFirstJob's own recruitment experts.

Register your interest [here](#).

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UCAS/Discovery Apprenticeships Fair

Tuesday 30 November, 10:00 – 18:00

The UCAS/Discovery Apprenticeships Fair will help you to:

- Decide if an apprenticeship is right for you
- Speak to employers about their apprenticeship programmes
- Start the search for the perfect apprentice role

Full agenda here: <https://www.ucas.com/node/404796/view/agenda> and to reserve your ticket go to: <https://www.ucas.com/apprenticeships-fair>

Top picks from the agenda are:

- **What two top employers look for in an apprentice** | 10:45 - 11:25
- **UCAS: How we can help you find the right apprenticeship** | 12:15 - 12:55
- **Practical tips on CV and cover letter writing** | 13:25 – 13:55
- **Impactful applications with PwC** | 15:10 - 15:40
- **Real life apprenticeship stories** | 16:40 - 17:10
- **Interview skills** | 17:20 - 17:50

Note: You may not miss lessons to attend this event but you can attend in your non-contact time, or contact them to see if there will be recordings of sessions that you can access afterwards.

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Technology Apprenticeship – Initial Information Webinar, Monday 6th December, 5-6pm

If you are interested in a career in technology and want to learn more join the team on Monday 6th December 5-6pm to hear from some of their senior leadership the team and current apprentices.

Capgemini's Apprentice programmes across the UK are now open for applications.

From apps on our phones and remote working, to decisions driven by data and technology that ordinary citizens can use with ease – Capgemini's work is at the heart of business and society in the UK.

Capgemini's Apprentices work right across the business delivering some of the most innovative business and technology solutions, all whilst having lots of support to learn and grow as a professional. These are permanent roles that will get your career off to a flying start.

The Capgemini team love to share their experiences and will bring to life not just how the Apprenticeship works but what a typical day is like. They will cover the application process, what they look for in Apprentices and how you can shine.

Capgemini are a multi-billion global technology and consulting business, operating in over 50 countries and employing over 310,000 people. If this excites you then book on to secure your place!

Application Link: <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/Capgemini-UK>. Places are limited.

THE NORTHERN SCHOOL OF ART

University Level - November Update 2021



CREATIVE, EMPOWERING, PROACTIVE, ENTERPRISING

Latest news from The Northern School of Art [Est. 1874],
University-Level Campus, Hartlepool.

New Degree Programmes for September 2022

- BA (Hons) Animation
- MA Arts Practice
- MA Design Practice

The Northern Studios – Opening soon!

Situated on-campus, The Northern Film & TV Studios is the only large-scale commercial television and film studio complex in the North East, established in 2021 to provide large sound stage facilities for a range of content producers – from features through HETV and promo to immersive.

NEW Teaching Studios for Stage & Screen Courses

Brand new production studios will open in the new year ready for our students studying on BA (Hons) Production Design for Stage & Screen and BA (Hons) Model Making & Visual FX. The studios boast large build spaces allowing for full-scale set construction as well as, seminar rooms, study bays and exhibition spaces.

What makes us different?

We are a leading provider of specialist creative art and design courses in the north and one of the best in the UK.
We are a creative community where we get to know students supporting them individually as creative professionals in training.
We make students feel welcome, accepted, and empowered as creative individuals, helping them to find their future career path and place in society.



GET INVOLVED!

Next HE Open Day

Saturday 4th December, starting at 10am. Visitors can look forward to a complimentary festive menu. Book here:
<https://tnsaopendaydec.eventbrite.co.uk>

HE Key Influencer Event – Friday 11th February 2022

This event is designed exclusively for teachers and careers advisers to support your IAG. Here you will be given updated information about the creative industries, latest developments on-campus, tour the studios and facilities, meet staff and students and view current work. Food and drink is provided. Please book here:
<https://tnsakeyinfluencer.eventbrite.co.uk>

Talks from creative practitioners

We are offering free talks (both virtual and in-person) on a range of subject disciplines. Our lecturers (many of whom are practising artists/designers) are available to speak to your students. We also have a running programme of industry-speaker talks delivered over teams every Wednesday that you can tune into.

Festival of Illustration – Talks

The Northern Festival of Illustration is an award-winning biennial celebration of the diverse world of illustration. Upcoming talks:

- **Diversity & Inclusivity in Animation by Aardman Academy** (23rd Nov) <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/191534834847>
- **From Blake's 7 to Dr Who – a like in British Sci-Fi** by Niel Bushnell (24th Nov) <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/191536389497>
- **Gaining work after the Pandemic – Panel Discussion – Association of Illustrators** (25th Nov)
<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/191538896997>

Attendance to your events

We are keen to exhibit at your careers/progression and parents evenings. We can bring along example student work, course information and freebies.

Workshops

We have a superb workshop offering covering darkroom techniques, still life drawing, screen print, letter press, digital design, illustration, fine art lectures.

Online chat with students

We have a dedicated chat function on our website so that you can ask our current students questions about student life, preparing for interview, accommodation, student experience and much more.

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Appendix 2

Date of event	Time of event	Apprenticeship(s)	Vacancy Locations
8 th December 2021	18:30 – 19:30	Level 3 Advanced - Apprentice Engineering Technician (Operations) – Maintenance/Mechatronic/Mechanical/Machinist/Manufacturing Engineer	Radway Green (nr Crewe), Washington (Tyne & Wear), Glascoed (Monmouthshire)
15 th December 2021	18:30 – 19:30	Level 6 Degree – Apprentice Ordnance Munitions Explosives (OME) Standard (Engineering) & Level 6 Degree – Apprentice Product Development Engineer (Mechanical) & Level 6 Degree – Apprentice Supply Chain Professional (Logistics and Planning) & Level 4 Higher – Apprentice Project Manager	Glascoed (Monmouthshire)
16 th December 2021	18:30 – 19:30	Land UK Munitions: Women in Engineering and Apprenticeships	All sites (Female only)
5 th January 2022	18:30 – 19:30	Level 3 Advanced - Apprentice Engineering Technician (Operations) – Maintenance/Mechatronic/Mechanical/Machinist/Manufacturing Engineer	Radway Green (nr Crewe), Washington (Tyne & Wear), Glascoed (Monmouthshire)
12 th January 2022	18:30 – 19:30	Level 6 Degree – Apprentice Ordnance Munitions Explosives (OME) Standard (Engineering) & Level 6 Degree – Apprentice Product Development Engineer (Mechanical) & Level 6 Degree – Apprentice Supply Chain Professional (Logistics and Planning) & Level 4 Higher – Apprentice Project Manager	Glascoed (Monmouthshire)
26 th January 2022	18:30 – 19:30	Level 3 Advanced - Apprentice Engineering Technician (Operations) – Maintenance/Mechatronic/Mechanical/Machinist/Manufacturing Engineer	Radway Green (nr Crewe), Washington (Tyne & Wear), Glascoed (Monmouthshire)
27 th January 2021	18:30 – 19:30	Land UK Munitions: Women in Engineering and Apprenticeships	All sites (Female Only)
2 nd February 2022	18:30 – 19:30	Level 6 Degree – Apprentice Ordnance Munitions Explosives (OME) Standard (Engineering) & Level 6 Degree – Apprentice Product Development Engineer (Mechanical) & Level 6 Degree – Apprentice Supply Chain Professional (Logistics and Planning) & Level 4 Higher – Apprentice Project Manager	Glascoed (Monmouthshire)