



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.



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Notices

Personal Development

Our paint a decoration session is happening on 23 November in the Winter Gardens during P2. The Winter Gardens will only be open to those who are taking part and previously booked via School Gateway app. Refreshments will be available. We are very much looking forward to starting the festive season with you!

Debating Club

Monday 12.30pm CB4

Green Club v Debating Club - come along to join in the debate or just listen.

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.

Channel Talents Talks

The Human Skeleton - Edinburgh - November 27

Dr Sophie Newman will introduce the human skeleton, discussing its function and properties, including its malleability and adaptability to the internal and external environment, and looking at the expression of these characteristics in relation to genetics, age and sex, and lifestyle factors. Exploring the range of skeletal morphologies exhibited across vertebrate species, Sophie will then focus on how we can use detailed knowledge of the human skeleton and osteological profiles in the fields of archaeology and forensic science.

As well as Biology students (groups and individuals), this session is also ideal for students interested in how the study Archaeology and Forensic Science could further their STEM aspirations and career paths.

- **November 27 @ 16:15 - 17:00 Biology/Archaeology/Forensic Science: The Human Skeleton - Edinburgh (S5/S6/KS5) [Find out more »](#) [NEW]**

History: The Unexpected History Of The Pink Pound - Goldsmiths - November 29

On 29 November, Dr Justin Bengry, Director of the Centre for Queer History at Goldsmiths, University of London, discusses The Unexpected History of the Pink Pound.

Justin argues 'Ranging from the banning of queer books in the 1910s and 20s to the damage wrought by the virulently homophobic tabloid press of the 1950s and beyond, capitalism has long been invested in queer consumers even as it actively 'sold' conflicting understandings of homosexuality.' Based on more than a decade of research, Justin explores evidence showing the relationships between businesses and LGBTQ people, and not always in ways we expect.

- **November 29 @ 16:15 - 17:00 History: The Unexpected History of the Pink Pound - Goldsmiths (KS5) [Find out more »](#) [NEW]**

Global Sociology - University of East Anglia - November 30

Dr Shannon Philip is Lecturer in Sociology in the Faculty of Social Sciences at University of East Anglia. On 30th November, Shannon will run an interactive talk for students on Global Development, introduce Global Sociology and the connections between the UK and the Global South, in particular. Shannon considers how connected and interwoven social lives are across the world by looking at Sub-Saharan Africa and South Asia in relation to the UK and exploring social theories of race, gender, colonialism as well as modernity and development.

- **November 30 @ 14:15 - 15:00 Sociology: Global Development with UEA (KS5) [Find out more »](#) [NEW]**

Please note, Mrs Haigh will be sharing the above talk as a group. If you would like to sign up, please see Mrs Haigh or email chaigh@qehs.net

What's On at University of Sunderland

Click on the highlighted links for more info and booking.

Arts and Creative Industries

Today's designers of tomorrow:

Wednesday 29 November, 9:30am-3pm, at University of Sunderland. [Today's Designers of Tomorrow | The University of Sunderland](#)

Dr Who at 60 (Media Production):

Friday 24 November, 19am- 12:30pm, at University of Sunderland. [Doctor Who at 60 | The University of Sunderland](#)

Health Sciences and Wellbeing

Physiotherapy Interview Skills Preparation:

Wednesday 29 November, 6pm - 7pm, online. [Physiotherapy Interview Skills Preparation | The University of Sunderland](#)

Paramedic Science Interview Skills Preparation:

Monday 4 December, 5pm - 7pm, online. [Paramedic Science Interview Skills Preparation | The University of Sunderland](#)

Social Sciences

They Think I'm Dangerous:

Wednesday 22 November, 10am-12:30pm, at the University of Sunderland. [They Think I'm Dangerous | The University of Sunderland](#)

Unlocking Criminology:

Wednesday 13 December, 1pm-3pm, at the University of Sunderland. [Unlocking Criminology | The University of Sunderland](#)

Education

Primary Education. (Through the Key Stages and SEND):

Wednesday 13 December, 2pm-7pm, online. [Primary Education - Through The Key Stages and SEND | The University of Sunderland](#)

Engineering:

Tomorrow's Engineers Today:

Friday 24 November, 9.30am - 2.30pm, at the University of Sunderland. [Tomorrow's Engineers Today | The University of Sunderland](#)

Future Engineering Leaders Programme

We are delighted to offer a further 10 scholarships of £200 for the on-demand Future Engineering Leaders programme in November. The programme is run by Impetus Education and taught by Cambridge University alumni. To apply students must complete a short scholarship application form here:

<https://www.impetus.education/scholarship>

The course is an ideal stepping stone to university for students who aspire to study engineering, computer science or materials science at university.

It offers a taster of university style content on advanced manufacturing engineering and artificial intelligence and programming. Students also have the opportunity for a 1:1 discussion with an alumni from Cambridge university.

The Future Engineering Leaders course has received excellent feedback from students. Please do read the testimonials and additional information about the course here: <https://www.impetus.education/ondemand-information>

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).

Solicitor Apprentice – Newcastle, Womble Bond Dickinson

You'll benefit from real hands-on work experience, learning from experienced professionals by spending four days in your respective team and the fifth day each week will be dedicated to self-guided study, and attending lectures and seminars with The University of Law.

Throughout the programme you'll experience different practice areas whilst building a portfolio of work that will showcase your development, knowledge and experience. You'll obtain your LLB before you reach your final two years where you will sit the Solicitor Qualifying Exams (SQE 1 & 2) and ultimately qualify as a solicitor.

There's a lot going on, but don't worry, you'll be supported every step of the way with a dedicated supervisor, mentor and Early Talent Development support. We're all rooting for you and want you to succeed, so we'll do everything in our power to make sure that happens.

How to apply

We're looking for candidates with the following academics;
3 A Levels at Grade C or above, or equivalent

- 5 GCSEs, including Maths and English, or equivalent, at Grade C/4 or above

To apply, please click [here](#)

Civil Engineering Apprenticeships – Northumberland County Council

We are delighted to launch our new Civil Engineering Apprenticeship positions. These will be based in 4 locations:

- Alnwick
- Blyth
- Morpeth
- Hexham

Please note: these positions will be commencing in September 2024.

[You can apply here](#)

Careers and Work Experience

Work Experience - Northumberland County Council

We offer lots of different types of placements (from 1 day to 3-5 days to industry placements).

If you're interested in a placement with us or would like more information on what we offer, please fill out our [interest form](#).

RAF World Virtual Event - 29 November

Are you ready to find your pathway to success and explore a world of opportunities with the Royal Air Force? RAF World is back, and it's our mission to show you how your dreams can take flight from the comfort of your home!

Explore interactive 360° global operations, delving into the world of the RAF through informative videos and insights to help you find your ideal RAF career. Jump into 10 different themed chat rooms to find out more about specific professions and topics. Our experts will answer all your inquiries about career paths, RAF lifestyle, sports opportunities, benefits, and how to embark on your RAF journey and set yourself up for success!

Please use the QR code to book your place.



NHS National Work Experience Applications Open

Applications for the free National NHS Virtual Work experience programme have now opened for 2023-2024! This programme has supported over 30,000 secondary school students obtain free work experiences last year. Virtual work experiences have been accepted by the Medical Schools and Dental Schools Council as valuable alternatives to in-person shadowing, backed by the Health Education England Discovery report on the impact of virtual work placements. This programme is brought to you by Birmingham Universities Hospitals Trust in collaboration with Medic Mentor, and it is completely free. Not only is this a reliable alternative to in-person shadowing, but it also plays a significant role in preparing students for their in-person work placements with structured teaching and opportunities to speak directly with healthcare professionals. The opportunity is open to any student across the UK from 14 years old and above.

Students can apply for a placement, for free at this link: <https://medicmentor.org/university-hospitals-birmingham-trust-virtual-work-experience/>