Sixth Form Bulletin



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

Message for Parents/Carers

Do you have experience in Experimental Psychology? Could you offer our Oxford applicants support? We are looking for someone to offer a mock interview, this can be in person or via Zoom. Can you spare 1 hour of your time between Monday 4 December and Friday 8 December. Please email sixthform@qehs.net

Personal Development

Thursday P2

Year 12 – Sorted will be delivering a talk on drugs and alcohol. All year 12 students are required to attend in the main hall.

Year 13 – The Living Independently at University Workshop is taking place in the study room for those students who have registered. If you haven't registered but would like to come, please email sixthform@qehs.net

Debating Club

Monday 12.30pm CB4

This House would scrap SATs in Y6 - come along to join in the debate or just listen.

Volunteers Needed St Mary's Catholica First School

St Mary's are looking for sixth form volunteers to walk year 3 & 4 pupils from school to the Wentworth Leisure Centre on a Monday afternoon. While at the Wentworth, the pupils participate in a swimming and a PE session. If you are pursuing a sports related course, you could participate in supporting the PE sessions as well as supervising the children on the walk to the Wentworth.

You will need to have free periods 3,4 & 5 on a Monday. This opportunity could lead to work experience week commencing 8 July. If you are interested, please email sixthform@qehs.net

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.

Virtual Student Experience at Newcastle University

On Wednesday 17 January, 2024 (9am –11.30am or 4pm – 6.30pm) you can join the Virtual Student Experience and discover what Newcastle University is really like – all from the comfort of your home!

During the virtual sessions they'll learn about:

- applying to Newcastle Uni
- PARTNERS and how they could get a lower offer
- student finance
- health and wellbeing support
- living in Newcastle a UK top 5 student city (QS Best Student Cities 2024)
- · ...and much more

You can also take a virtual tour of our University buildings and state-of-the-art facilities on campus.

To sign up, please click here

STEM Opportunities at Newcastle University

Sport & Exercise Academy

Interested in studying Sport and Exercise Science at University? Open to year 12 students and starting in March 2024 the Sport and Exercise Academy will give you the opportunity to join online lectures delivered by experts in the industry, covering topics from Performance Enhancing Drugs to Sports Psychology. You will also get the opportunity to go onto campus and try out some of the fantastic facilities.

To sign up, please click here

Online Interview Workshops

Do you have an upcoming Medicine or Dentistry Interview? Our online preparation sessions will tell you what to expect, help you prepare and give some helpful tips from current Medical and Dental students. The webinars are running one evening a month via Zoom.

To book, please click here

Animal Science Conference

This year Animal Science students will be exploring how public demand has impacted animal welfare. The talks will cover; saving the rhinos from ivory poaching, tackling genetic diseases caused by overbreeding dogs and intensive pig farming overseas. Joining our students will be a variety of professional guest speakers, sharing their own knowledge and research in the field.

Date/Time: Wednesday 6 December 2023, 1:30pm-5:00pm

Venue: Curtis Auditorium, Herschel Building, Newcastle University

To book, please click here

Chartership Online Masterclass Opportunity

The <u>EDT</u> (Engineering Development Trust) have arranged an insightful online Masterclass that will take place after school on Tuesday 19 December at 4-5:30pm – a perfect way to finish their school term! The Masterclass will be run on Zoom by an Industry professional with over 10 years' experience working as a Chartered Mechanical Engineer. This Masterclass will introduce your son/daughter to the concept of Chartership and will break down some of the myths that surround the process of getting Chartered.

This Masterclass will include the following:

- Why become Chartered?
- Where to start
- · Gathering the evidence
- Filling the gaps
- Selling your story
- The importance of CPD

A Chartered status is considered a mark of professional competency and is awarded mainly by chartered professional bodies and learned societies.

What is the cost and what does it include?

The cost for the Masterclass is £20 and includes access to the Live Zoom Session, a copy of the slides used by the presenter and a certificate of attendance which will be a great addition to the student's portfolio.

For more information, please contact studentrecruitment@etrust.org.uk or 01707 906106 or click here to register.

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).

Civil Engineer Apprentice – Northumberland County Council

What you will do in your working day?

- Assist in the preparation and production of plans, designs, and documentation to relevant codes of practice and industry standards
- Operate bespoke software which includes working with mapping and planning systems.
- Assist colleagues on site visits, take photographs and log details of visits.
- Carry out calculations and data analysis,
- Provide general administrative tasks such as processing information, creation and collating of documents, photocopying.

The training you will be getting:

You will receive a Level 3 apprenticeship in Civil engineering technician. This will earn you a Pearson BTEC Level 3 National Diploma in Civil Engineering.

For more details, please click here

Apprentice Teaching Assistant - Hexham Priory School

For more details, please click here

Marketing Executive Apprentice – Fentimans Ltd, Hexham

For more details, please click here

Apprentice Engineer - Warburtons Ltd

For more details, please click here

Chartered Surveyor - Project Management Pathway Degree Apprenticeship

For more details, please click here