

Careers E-Bulletin

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Welcome to our final Careers E-Bulletin of this half term. I hope that you all have a well earned break.

Y7 – Y13 Cheshire and Warrington Career and Education Expo



It was wonderful to see so many of our pupils and families taking part in the Macclesfield Virtual Careers & Education EXPO on Wednesday 7th October. The event attracted over 10,000 views on the night with a further 5000 on demand views in the first 12 hours! All of the videos are available to view now if you missed it

https://learnliveuk.com/macclesfield-pledge-expo/

We would like to invite you share an exciting virtual opportunity on Wednesday 18th and Thursday 19th November with any students who you think would be interested in participating.

We have collaborated with Microsoft to run a virtual "Hackathon" where groups of students from the ages of 16 and above who are in education to take on sustainability based challenges. Each challenge will have the option of 4 path ways, **Code / Engineer / Process / Design.**

The hack will be open for over 48 hours with cool prizes provided by AstraZeneca for the best ideas.



Teams can be up to 4 people (or you can work individually!) but if you struggle to find 3 other individuals for your team please sign up and let us know in the comments whether you would like us to put you in a group with like -minded people in the same position so that we can help you make a super team!

Anyone interested in participating, should register using the link below

AZ Sustainability Virtual Hackathon 2020 - Link to Register

Y11 – Y13 UK University & Apprenticeship Search Fair

On Wednesday 11th November from 12pm to 6pm Y11 – Y13 students are invited to join the <u>UK University & Apprenticeship</u>



<u>Search Virtual Fair</u>. The event is completely free of charge. It is designed to feel exactly like a Careers Fair, just on your laptop. You'll be able to visit a virtual Exhibition Hall full of over 90 universities, colleges and apprenticeship providers and scroll through their stands and chat directly to representatives. You can view all of the exhibitors (so far!) <u>here</u>.

The live webinars will be led by university representatives and apprenticeship providers and packed with advice. If you can't access them live, they will be available on demand until Wednesday 25 November. Here's a selection of webinars for you, you can view the full timetable <u>here</u>.

12.30pm – Choosing a Course (presented by UA92)

1pm - Personal Statement (presented by Lancaster University)

1.30pm - Studying in Scotland (presented by University of Glasgow)

2pm - Higher and Degree Apprenticeships (Presented by EY)

Book your free place here,

Y12 – Y13 Journalism workshops



The School of Journalism are offering free remote journalism workshops for sixth form students over the October half term. The practical sessions will cover multimedia skills needed to be a modern journalist

- Wednesday October 28, 5:30pm-7:30pm **MOBILE JOURNALISM** with multimedia journalist Laura Garcia
- Thursday October 29, 10am-12:30pm ENTERTAINMENT JOURNALISM with Beth Kirkbride, editor of the Indiependent

To sign up, please email Zoe zcrowther@newsassociates.co.uk or call us on 0203 026 3781

Y11 – Y13 Get into Medicine Seminars

The Medic Portal are running two free Get Into Medicine Seminars live online. They will focus on how to succeed in the medical school interview (updated for this unique year) alongside top tips from admissions tutors. The seminars will run on 4 November 5pm-6.30pm and 18 November 5pm – 6.30pm. You will need to <u>sign up here.</u>



If you have any questions or suggestions, please email me - caroline.foster@kingsmac.co.uk