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Welcome to the October 2024 edition of Mayfield's Monthly Career Newsletter.

I hope that it will prove to be a helpful and interesting resource for Mayfield girls and parents as the girls start to think about their future career. This newsletter is a collation of all the current opportunities from employers, universities and organisations.

All girls are able to book an appointment throughout the year to see me to discuss anything Career or University related.

I hope your daughter finds something that interests her in October's newsletter.

Kind Regards Mrs Mary Saunders msaunders@mayfieldgirls.org

Green Careers Week 4-9 November 2024

Get ready for Green Careers week with our guide that's packed with useful info for parents - and features we think you'll love too:

- why teens might be interested in green careers
- how teens can get into green careers: routes after GCSE and sixth form
- what green careers look like and why there's something for everyone
- a personal viewpoint from an engineer working on climate action
- helping teens get work experience while they're at school

Download The Parents Guide to Green Careers

The Get into Medicine & Get Into Dentistry Conference

A complete guide to the medical or dental application journey. Students get essential insights into the medical/dental UCAS application process (such as the new emphasis on extracurricular activities), connect with professionals, fellow students and gain a deeper understanding of a future career in medicine or dentistry.

Participation is free and open to any UK student aged 14 and above.

The next upcoming Get Into Medicine conferences are:

- Saturday 26th October from 9:30am 3:30pm
- Sunday 27th October from 9:30am 3:30pm

Register here: https://airtable.com/appgXnyzN5ZD9lwk6/shry7MZYtt3MGPjv0

The next upcoming Get Into Dentistry conference is:

- Sunday 10th November from 9:30am - 3:30pm

Register here: https://airtable.com/appgXnyzN5ZD9lwk6/shrBuiR7SBAcC19kE

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During this conference, Medic Mentors will guide students through essential topics such as:

- Application Timelines
- How to Tactically Choose Medical/Dental Schools
- CV Building
- Personal Statements New format from 2026
- Medical/Dental School Interviews
- UCAT Entrance Exams to Medical/Dental School
- Medical Leadership and Awards Programmes
- Accessing Work Experience
- Accessing Scholarships

Students will need to ensure they have a functioning camera and microphone for the session. It's also important that students have a parent or guardian present at these conferences, not only for safeguarding but also to gain insight and guidance to support them effectively.

Our doctors, dentists and medical/dental students look forward to welcoming students at the conference and they will join our network of successful students who attended these programmes over the last ten years: https://medicmentor.org/successful-student-journeys-reviews/

A Day-in-the-Life of an IBM Apprentice

Want to know what a day-in-the-life looks like for an apprentice? Want to hear how you could make your application stand out from an apprentice who has been there and done it? With last year's event having over 1,000 registrations, you don't want to miss out!

Tuesday 12th November 18:30 - 19:30 GMT Online

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Is your daughter thinking of studying at Durham?

Then please book a place for The <u>Discover Durham Live</u>: a series of online talks, presentations, and Q&A sessions hosted by staff and current students. From Monday 28 October to Friday 1 November 2024, you and your daughter have the chance to learn more about our academic departments, colleges, and the wider student experience.

We know that choosing the right university and hearing from current students is important for your daughter. We've put together a series of student-led sessions on why they chose Durham, music, theatre, and sport.

To learn more about our sessions, view our **Discover Durham Live guide**.

Study a UK Medicine Degree in Malta

Study Medicine in Europe - FREE advice from Medical Doorway

This year, we saw our third cohort of MBBS students graduate from Malta and this has further increased interest in the British medical degree offered by <u>Queen Mary University of London</u> Medical Doorway are offering an <u>exclusive webinar</u> for those who aspire to study at this prestigious medical school. During this webinar you will able to hear from the admissions team, Medical Doorway and a student ambassador currently studying at the QMUL Malta campus. There is also going to a "not to be missed"

Q&A session

Date: Thursday 24th October

Time: 6pm BST Register below

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The Future is Female: STEM Careers at BP

Learn more about the range of brilliant STEM Apprenticeship opportunities at BP on Tuesday 26th November at 6.30pm

Under a third of the STEM workforce in the UK are women, and we are determined to change that! This is a chance for students, parents, and teachers to network with the inspiring women onboard BP's apprenticeship programmes. They will be sharing 'day in the life' insights, as well as how this opportunity has launched their career.

What to expect:

- A full overview of BP's STEM apprenticeship vacancies
- Exclusive Q&A session with current female apprentices
- Discover top tips to excel in our assessment stages and interviews

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Who should attend this event?

This webinar is open to students in Years 10-13 who are interested in exploring opportunities to start their career in STEM. Parents and teachers are also encouraged to join.

BP is committed to create equal opportunities for people, both inside and outside of BP and we aim to advance and integrate diversity, equality, and inclusions across our global business

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Career Days

These days give students an insight into different careers that might appeal to them, advice on subject choices and how to apply to university, followed by work experience in the afternoon to help them see what the career may be like. Students receive a certificate confirming their work experience. **Cost involved**

Students who are aged 13-18 can register to join the online days by visiting www.careerdays.co.uk

The next series of Career Days schedule are as follows:

Psychology Career Day - Saturday 19th October 2024
Architect Career Day - Saturday 26th October 2024
Performing Arts Career Day - Sunday 27th October 2024
Law Career Day - Saturday 2nd November 2024
Vet Career Day - Saturday 9th November 2024
Computer Science Career Day - Saturday 23rd November 2024
Engineering & Technology Career Day - Saturday 30th November 2024

Students can visit <u>www.careerdays.co.uk</u> to join a session that interests them and will receive a certificate at the end of the day confirming their work experience.