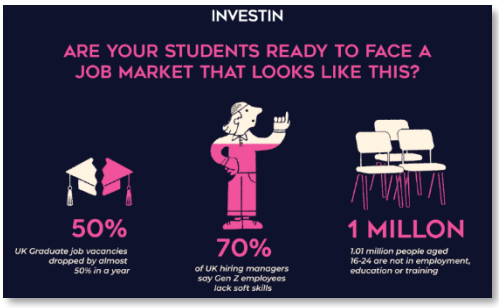
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Y11 – Y13 Speakers' Club – Volunteering opportunities at Macclesfield Hospital – Mon 28 September, 1.30pm

On Monday 28 September, East Cheshire NHS Trust are coming in to school to talk about volunteering opportunities at Macclesfield Hospital. This is a must if you are thinking of applying for Medicine, Nursing, Counselling, Midwifery but will also be useful if you simply want to get some volunteering experience. As well as being great for you as a person, it will also look very impressive on your university/apprenticeship applications.

Y11 – Y13 - InvestIN's Find Your Field Email Series - Free Career Support



With an increasingly competitive job market, InvestIN have launched an email series to help you feel more confident about taking your next steps after school. Each week, they'll introduce a new topic, share practical advice and provide an interactive task for you to complete.

By the end of the series, you'll have a better understanding of your strengths and values, discover careers that could suit you and have tangible next steps that you can take.

There will be five emails in the series answering the following questions:

1. Why should an employer pick me?
2. What brings me fulfilment?
3. Which career is the right one for me?
4. How do I get into the career that I want?
5. How do I get relevant work experience?

If you would like to receive the emails, sign up here.

Y10 – Y13 Dyson Institute Engineering Club – September - June

Join Dyson's Engineering Club, a series of virtual workshops for future engineers covering topics such as design and innovation, mechanical engineering, software and coding, renewability, and sustainability.

Sessions are held each month from September to June on Zoom, and are hosted by a Dyson Institute Graduate. You can stay updated, access past sessions, and download activities via the Engineering Club portal.

Register here [Engineering Club Sign up - Dyson Institute]

Y12 – Y13 Insight to Deloitte – 7 October, 5pm – 6.30pm

Start your career at one of the world's largest professional services firms straight from school.

Join this Insight evening at Deloitte, a Big Four firm and the largest professional services business in the world, to explore their BrightStart apprenticeships and work experience schemes. This is the route into the firm for school leavers, where you earn a salary, work on real client projects and study towards a professional qualification at the same time. There are four business areas and four very different careers - BrightStart isn't one job. You'll get an overview of Audit & Assurance, Tax, Consulting and Technology on the night, so you can work out which one actually suits you before you apply.

Learn what the programme involves, which business areas you can join, and what it is genuinely like to start your career there at 18. If you're weighing up an apprenticeship against university, this is the evening that gives you the information to decide.

Register here: [Insight to Deloitte Virtual Event Survey]

Y12 – Y13 Looking for an alternative to a full-time degree or degree apprenticeship? Find out how HTQs could be the perfect next step after year 13 - Thursday 8th October, 4-5pm

If you want to carry on learning and gaining new skills, without committing to a full degree, Higher Technical Qualifications (HTQs) could be a good option for you to consider. HTQs are Level 4 and Level 5 qualifications that are designed to give you the technical skills employers need for higher skilled jobs. They are part of higher education (alongside degrees) and can be found in universities, Further Education colleges and other training providers.

In this webinar you will learn everything you need to know about HTQs, plus hear from a range of HTQ students sharing their personal journeys and how HTQs have supported their career plans.

Even if you can't attend live, registering will give you access to the recording, slides and supporting resources afterwards. [Register here]

Y11 – Y13 University Fair – Weds 14 Oct, 4pm – 6.30pm



The Unifrog UK University Fair is a great opportunity to find out all about studying at university, and get all your questions answered by the experts in just two and a half hours. Join over 30 universities from across the UK to speak to their representatives via Q&A, and choose from 16 live webinar sessions to get an insight into all things university. Live sessions include 'How to Prepare for University', 'Placement Years', 'Student Fees and Finance', 'Degree Apprenticeships' and 'Graduate Power: Kick Start Your Career'. Register on your Unifrog homepage.

Y10 – Y13 - Lloyds Banking Group In Person Work Experience Days, October

Do you want to spend a Saturday inside the UK's biggest bank to get an insight into the world of Business and Finance? Real offices real teams. Places are available in the Leeds, Bristol and London offices.

You'll take part in workshops through the day, tour the offices, meet the people who actually work there, and leave with a genuine sense of what a career at a business this size looks like.

Every date runs two sessions — a morning and an afternoon. You'll choose your city and session on the form.

Leeds, Saturday 3 October 2026, 10:00am – 12:30pm or 2:00pm – 4:30pm

Bristol, Saturday 3 October 2026, 10:00am – 12:30pm or 2:00pm – 4:30pm

London, Saturday 10 & Sunday 11 October 2026, 10:00am – 12:30pm or 2:00pm – 4:30pm

Apply here: Lloyds Banking Group In-person Office Events - Skills Fest! Multiple Locations Survey

Y10 – Y13 – Live Online Medical Work Experience

This October, the The PremedProjects Team from Leeds Beckett University are running Future Doctors Month — four completely free, live online medical work experience sessions for students aged 14–18.

You can join doctors each Sunday and work through different interactive medical scenarios:

- 11 October — A&E: Can You Save the Patient?
  Assess an emergency patient and decide what should happen next.
- 18 October — Inside the Operating Theatre: AnaestheticExplore anaesthesia, airway management, monitoring and how patients are kept safe during surgery.
- 25 October — The Diagnosis Challenge: Medical Detective
  Investigate a mystery patient, interpret the evidence and work towards a diagnosis.
- 1 November — Outbreak: Can You Stop the Spread?
  Investigate an infectious disease outbreak and make clinical and public-health decisions.

All sessions are live online at 2pm and recordings will be available afterwards, so you don't need to attend live. It is completely free and you only need to register once for all four sessions. Register here - Free Online Work Experience Sessions. - Premed Projects