



Year 11 – One-to-one Interviews

Your son will have a one-to-one interview with a senior member of staff for the purpose of exploring their career aspirations and subject choices for A level. The schedule for this has been given to your son's tutor who will inform him on his return from mock exams.

Years 11, 12 & 13 – Lunch & Learn with Aztec

This will take place in D205 on Friday 25th January at 1315. Aztec will be coming in to talk about their new trainee position in their Aspire programme in Fund Administration. If your son is interested in Finance as a potential career please ask him to come along.

Years 12 & 13 – Employment / work experience opportunities – EY EY launch student newsletter

EY would like to share what it's like to work with them and the great opportunities they have for work experience and trainee roles. Click the link <https://bit.ly/3G7aGYO> to read their first edition. If you'd like to receive further editions of their newsletter, please email eycistudenthire@uk.ey.com and write in the subject "Add me".

Year 13 – Bursaries

Many law firms offer bursaries to students not only to study law but also if they can show that they would like to do law after their degree. The bursaries comprise of a lump sum and additional paid work experience normally of a minimum of 4 weeks, with the application deadline at the end of January.

Bedell Cristin are one company who offer such a scheme and their deadline to apply is 31 January 2023 - link is: <https://www.bedellcristin.com/careers/vacancies/students/bursary-scheme-2023-jersey-and-guernsey/>

For other bursaries please go to this link

<https://www.gov.je/working/careers/16to19yearolds/enteringhighereducation/financinghighereducationcourses/pages/trustsbursariesgiftfunds.aspx>

Year 12 – LinkedIn – EY – Margo Blondel

Year 12 this week have been learning about how to set up a LinkedIn account thanks to the great help of Margo Blondel of EY so don't be surprised if you suddenly get asked to connect with our students. A brilliant resource for students to use to assist with their A level subjects and for researching companies for interviews.

Years 8 – 13 – Investin

Autumn Term Career Opportunities for students Ages 12 – 18 – Available in 20+ industries: in-person at UCL or live online – go to the InvestIn website to find out more - InvestIn.org.

Students will learn directly from some of the UK's best professionals – doctors, forensic scientists, architects, MPs, filmmakers, engineers and more – through a series of live, interactive simulations which provide tailor-made, professional experience to ages 12 – 18.

If you sign up as a Victoria College student, you do qualify for a 10% discount by quoting this reference: Victoria20

Year 11, 12 and 13 - Apprenticeship from Jackson Garage

Jackson Garage are offering apprenticeships please see this link for further information <https://www.jacksonsci.com/apprentice/>

HMC GAP YEAR SCHOLARSHIPS

The Bulkeley-Evans HMC Scholarship Fund

www.gap-year-the-bulkeley-evans.co.uk

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Applications are invited by 31st May 2023 by email (or post, if preferred) for these prestigious awards from boys and girls from HMC schools for gap year projects for 2023-2024. The Trustees have agreed that up to 30 scholarships may be awarded of between £200 and £800.

Candidates need to fulfill the following criteria and applications must follow headings listed on the website:

- 1. The benefit to the community of the country/countries where work is undertaken during the gap year project.** *The majority of awards go to boys and girls involved in projects in poorer countries or in the poorer areas of other countries.*
- 2. The suitability of the organisation of the project in terms of duration and the gap organisation involved, if there is one.** *The project must be of sufficient length to give real benefit to a community. The Trustees usually expect that the project will be at least for three months, unless there are special circumstances.*
- 3. Financial need,** *assessed from the report from the Head, the statements in the application and the breakdown of expenses and methods of raising money in the application form.*

4. **Suitable character and promise**, assessed from the quality of the written application and the reference of the Head of the school.

Award winners have to write to the Administrator during their project, write a report for the Trustees at the end of their project and return to their school to talk to the Sixth Form about their experiences.

Full details can be found on the website: www.gap-year-the-bulkeley-evans.co.uk

Applicants can see the lists of previous projects that were judged to be suitable for awards.

Applications should reach the Administrator as soon as possible by email to:

neil.mason@tauntonschool.co.uk (or post if preferred to the address above), by **31st May 2023**

Year 12

Is it too early for year 12 students to be thinking about university applications?

If students and parents are well informed about the process NOW, it means that you can put in the work required WHEN IT MATTERS. Especially for **uber-competitive** subjects like **Medicine** and **STEM subjects at Oxbridge**, as well as **US applications**.

There are some upcoming webinars for parents and guardians of students in Year 12. Please see the link below for more information. There are three mega-webinars coming up, helping to inform both parents and students about the application process for these tough subjects.

Click here to read [The Oxbridge Formula](#)

Year 13

Students who are looking for employment after A-levels may like to keep an eye on this website [Local opportunities for student pages](#)



Year 13

University Bursaries

There are many bursaries available to students to undertake university study, for more information please visit

<https://www.gov.uk/working/careers/16to19yearolds/enteringhighereducation/financinghighereducationcourses/pages/trustsbursariesgiftfunds.aspx>

