CAREERS NEWS



Years 12 & 13 - Aztec talk on opportunities post 18 - 25th Jan - 1315 - D205

If your son is thinking about going into employment after his A levels then he should come along to this talk to find out what opportunities in Finance are open to him.

Years 12 & 13 – Recruitment Agency lunchtime talk 1st Feb – 1315 – D205

A recruitment agency will be coming in to talk to those students who will be looking for employment after their A levels. A great opportunity to find out not only about the opportunities in Finance but also some alternative careers that may be available to school leavers.

Year 12 – IOD – Future Leaders programme

IOD Futures Leaders programme – deadline for applications 31st January. This is a work experience scheme sponsored by KPMG in the Crown Dependencies, which allows Year 12 Sixth Form students to spend one week 'shadowing' a Director or Senior Manager working across a number of sectors in the Island. For further information on this brilliant programme do visit www.iod.je/students

Years 13 - Bursaries

Please can I remind all year 13 students to seriously consider applying for some fantastic bursary offers in the island which can be found here:

https://www.gov.je/Working/Careers/16To19YearOlds/EnteringHigherEducation/FinancingHigherEducationCourses/Pages/TrustsBursariesGiftFunds.aspx

Many applications will have a deadline of 31st January.

Every year only a few students apply which means a good chance of being successful. It is not just the lump sum that companies pay out but also the paid work experience which enables students to stand out from other undergraduates and graduates.

Years 8 – 13 – InvestIn

Spring 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.

These courses are expected to be fully booked for the most popular programmes by 30th January. If you sign up as a Victoria College student, you do qualify for a 10% discount by quoting this reference: Victoria20

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.** <u>Financial need</u>, 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.** <u>Suitable character and promise</u>, 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 2022

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 <u>Local opportunities for student pages</u>



Year 13

University Bursaries



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

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