### CAREERS NEWS



# Years 12 & 13 – Aztec talk on opportunities post 18 – 23<sup>rd</sup> March – 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 – Employment

**Hawksford** are recruiting for 8 new trainees to join the Hawksford family within our Corporate, Private Client, Funds and Operations (IT) team, this is a great opportunity for students interested in exploring the finance sector. The trainee programme supports the professional growth of new recruits by offering a tailored approach to career development. It enables recruits to work with motivated, inspirational and talented people in a collaborative and hybrid-working environment. More information can be accessed via 2023 Trainee Programme | Hawksford | Hawksford.

Students are invited to an **Open Day 15th March 4 – 6pm** where they will have the opportunity to learn more about a career in financial services, explore the roles available at Hawksford, and hear first-hand experiences from some of our people.

**RBC** within the Private Client Fiduciary team (usually shortened to 'Trust' team). Successful candidates would join in September 2023 and would spend the first 18 months gaining a comprehensive understanding of the business via a series of rotations into different PCFS teams. At the conclusion of the 18 month rotation programme there would be the opportunity to placed permanently in the Trust team. Further details can be found at this link <u>https://jobs.rbc.com/ca/en/job/R-0000047644/School-Leaver-Trainee-Private-Client-Trust-Services-September-2023-Start</u>

#### BDO

BDO are at the stage in their annual cycle where they are looking to build their class of trainee accountants for 2023 with them starting as a cohort in August. As always, they like to attract as many local candidates as possible and also like to have a mix of graduates and school leavers.

BDO will pay for study days and for extra exams that give one of the most prestigious professional qualifications in the world in just three years.

Training is designed and delivered to ensure it builds on-the-job training in a way which responds to the changing nature of the profession.

Where BDO may differ from other companies is that they don't force employees to take a certain number of exams at once or force to them to pass first time, they take it at a pace tailored to the exam progress and the individual's needs.

### Lloyds Bank

Lloyds Bank Apprenticeships are now open with a starting salary of £34398. This will be within the Islands business which provides a unique opportunity, as it is a micro bank in its own right with c.600 colleagues across four primary locations.

As a result, this role enables a wide range of exposure unlike anywhere else within Lloyds Banking Group.

About the programme:

Starting in September 2023, the Lloyds Bank Islands School Leaver Apprenticeship will provide fulfilling career opportunities for curious, and solution-focused individuals.

We'll support your study towards a Level 6 – Financial Services Professional apprenticeship. This apprenticeship programme will last for 36 months, during which time you'll gain a degree level qualification - the Chartered Banker Advanced Diploma in Banking and Leadership in a digital age.

Whilst on the Apprenticeship scheme 20% of your time will be dedicated to 'mandatory apprenticeship hours', which can include attending workshops, shadowing, reading, completing assignments etc. This means 80% of your role is applying your learning in the workplace, in a safe environment. For further details go to: <a href="https://lbg.wd3.myworkdayjobs.com/LBG\_Careers/job/St-Helier/Lloyds-Bank-Islands-School-Leaver-Apprenticeship---Jersey\_088820-4">https://lbg.wd3.myworkdayjobs.com/LBG\_Careers/job/St-Helier/Lloyds-Bank-Islands-School-Leaver-Apprenticeship---Jersey\_088820-4</a>

**Year 12 – Activities Week –** All Year 12 students will be expected to organise their own week at the end of the summer term. Students will be encouraged to take up a week of work experience (which can be organised through Life in Finance or through their own contacts), take part in CCF activities, or help at school with lower school activities. Please do ask your son to start thinking and organising what he would like to do.

### Year 12 – Walkers Business Summer School – 10<sup>th</sup> – 14<sup>th</sup> July – 2.30 – 5pm

This week-long afternoon programme is aimed at providing advice and guidance to those wishing to have a greater understanding of the world of commerce and business, including those considering a career in both the law and financial services industries as well as young entrepreneurs considering starting their own business. Further information will be given to your son in school. Deadline date 26<sup>th</sup> May 2023.

## Year 11 & 12- Higher Education Fair – Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March – Hautlieu 3.30 – 6pm

All students in years 11 & 12 are encouraged to visit the Higher Education Fair which will take place on 16<sup>th</sup> March at Hautlieu school. There will be approx. 40 universiites taking part and an excellent opportunity for your son to talk to these institutions without having to travel to the UK. We do hope he will take up this won derful opportunity, further details will follow soon.

#### Year 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 31<sup>st</sup> 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 – Parents

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### Invitation For Parents: Success Beyond School

How to turn teenagers into successful young professionals



We are delighted to announce the first events in our *Success Beyond School* series for 2023. **These are live online seminars featuring career experts, designed to help parents amplify their children's career potential.** The events are for parents and are free to attend. <u>1st February: Communicating With Confidence</u> How to develop children to become strong communicators <u>15th March: Engineer Your Future</u> How to help your child launch a career in Engineering

# Please forward this email to parents so they can register their places now.

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### **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 31<sup>st</sup> 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. <u>The benefit to the community of the country/countries where work is undertaken during the gap year</u> <u>project.</u> The majority of awards go to boys and girls involved in projects in poorer countries or in the poorer areas of other countries.
- 2. <u>The suitability of the organisation of the project in terms of duration and the gap organisation</u> <u>involved, if there is one.</u> 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: <u>www.gap-year-the-bulkeley-evans.co.uk</u>

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

### 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 on 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

https://www.gov.je/working/careers/16to19yearolds/enteringhighereducation/financinghighereducationcourse s/pages/trustsbursariesgiftfunds.aspx

