Information, advice & guidance





Collingwood College

December 2020 - CAREERS NEWS

Welcome to the December addition of the Collingwood Careers monthly newsletter where you will find information, advice and links.

One Note - All students Careers and IAG

All students have been sent a link to a new One Note full of information and links for Careers related activities and events. Please encourage your child to have a look.

Website

This is a work in progress and information is being added all the time. Your feedback is always welcomed and if there is anything you feel should be included or you need more information email careers@collingwood.surrey. sch.uk

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Volunteering as an Enterprise Adviser is a great way to support our college. It is a hugely rewarding role that will give you the chance to make a difference to our young people, by utilising your business knowledge and experience.

Give something back to your community by helping the college to develop a quality, sustainable careers programme. We require a single volunteer with strategic experience, who can engage with key stakeholders and build upon our whole college approach. As a business leader in the community, whether corporate or SME, you will act as an ambassador sharing ways of engaging with the college through your business network.

The time commitment amounts to roughly 3 hours every half term, for a minimum period of a year. It will also be virtual until further notice, conducted over Microsoft Teams, emails and phone calls.

More information can be found about the role on the Enterprise M3 website: https://www.enterprisem3.org.uk/role-enterprise-adviser-em3-zone

Please contact Adam Watts to apply: adam.watts@enterprisem3.org.uk



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Speaker for School – students need to apply for these opportunities

Year 12 and 13

Virtual Work Experience - A week at Spotify

Dates: 15th - 19th February 2021

10:00 - 15:00 Age: 16+

Application Deadline: 25th December 2020

Virtual Work Experience with Portland Communications

Dates: 15th - 19th February 2021

Age: 16+

Application Deadline: 15th January 2021

VWEX The Office of Communications - Ofcom

Dates: 15th - 19th February 2021

Age: 16+

Application Deadline: 15th January 2021

Year 10

<u>VWEX For Y10 within Tesco's Food Love Story Marketing/Creative Campaign</u> **Department**

Dates: 15th - 19th February 2021

10:00-16:00 Age: Year 10

Application Deadline: 15th January 2021

HEON – Higher Education Outreach Network



https://www.heon.org.uk/

A team of advisers from various FE and HE organisations have completed virtual chats with over 58 year 11 students to date. The discussions have been around what the students are thinking of doing post 16 and post 18, how they can improve their employability skills. All the students have been very positive and appreciative of the advice and time these advisers have given them. Below are some of the links to sites the advisers have recommended.

Visual Affects

https://www.accessvfx.org/apprenticeships

Apprenticeships in Journalism

https://www.nctj.com/journalism-qualifications/apprenticeships

BBC Journalism competition

https://www.bbc.co.uk/teach/young-reporter/competition/zghcydm

Apprenticeships in Sport

http://www.apprenticeshipguide.co.uk/apprenticeship-by-industry-sector/sport-and-fitness/

Royal Holloway Residentials

https://royalholloway.ac.uk/studying-here/schools-and-colleges/events-on-campus/residentials

Apprenticeships in Motor Vehicle

https://findapprenticeshiptraining.apprenticeships.education.gov.uk/courses/59

Motor Vehicle Maintenance

https://www.farn-ct.ac.uk/14-18/courses/vehicle-maintenance/4598/

Teaching

https://beta-getintoteaching.education.gov.uk/

Equine

https://www.merristwood.ac.uk/CourseInformation/16-18CourseDetails.aspx/6615

Find an Apprenticeship

https://www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship



Seasonal Showcase Activity. **Watch and hear** from 3 exciting volunteers whose jobs are impacted by the seasonal period. Nick is a magician and DJ on the side, Adiel is a Deputy Sargent Footman at the Royal Household and Anna is a Buyer for John Lewis!

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Rras1MYysKw&feature=youtu.be

LEARNING OUTCOMES INCLUDE:

- Broadening horizons for students by introducing them to a variety of roles
- Helping students to learn about different career pathways
- Enabling students to learn about skills needed for different roles
- Motivating students by showing how different subjects are used in the wider world

WHO ARE THE PANELLISTS?

- Adiel is a Deputy Sargeant Footman at the Royal Household. He manages the Front of House team and oversees operational activities, whether for a small lunch or a state banquet. He often works at Buckingham Palace and Windsor Castle.
- Anna is Head of Buying at John Lewis Partnership. She manages a team of 45 who buy from across the world for the cooking, dining and gifting departments.
- Nick has a role in youth work as his 9-5 job, whilst also working as a magician and DJ on the side.
 He finds ways of incorporating his talents in all 3 of his jobs, and experiences busier periods in his jobs.

Christmas Quiz

TRUE OR FALSE



WHO EARNS WHAT IN THE UK?

A	Average annual salary for a Broker is				
58,0	00	100,000	133,000	280,000	
Average annual salary for a mechanical engineer is					
23,0	00	43,000	63,000	83,000	
Average annual salary for a receptionist is					
8,000	,	10,000	12,500	16,800	
Average annual salary for an MP is					
57,300		67,300	77,300	87,300	

Christmas Quiz





Clue: All the words link to qualities and skills an employer looks for



Answers to all the questions can be found on the Careers website.

Careers of the Week

Please look at the Careers website accessed via the main college website quick links.

Encourage all students to look at the Careers One Note accessed through Edulink.

Career of the week



Annual salary:

£37,935- £48,075 per year.

Qualifications needed:

Seven GCSEs, including sciences, with 5 subjects at grades 9 to 7 and English and Maths at least grade 6.

Three A levels at grade A in Chemistry and either Biology, Physics or Maths, plus another academic subject.

How long at college/University:

5 years: Medicine degree.

Career of the week



Approx. £22,304 per year.



Qualifications needed:

Some GCSEs, usually including English and Maths, for an intermediate apprenticeship.

5 GCSEs at grades 9 to 4 including English and Maths, for an advanced apprenticeship.

How long at college/University:

Level 2 or 3 Diploma in Hairdressing at college and you may be able to combine these courses with other subjects like beauty, make-up, and nails can take 3 years.

Career of the week



Annual salary:

Approx. £33,176 per year.

Qualifications needed:

GCSEs grade 4 or above, including Maths and English, would be an advantage.

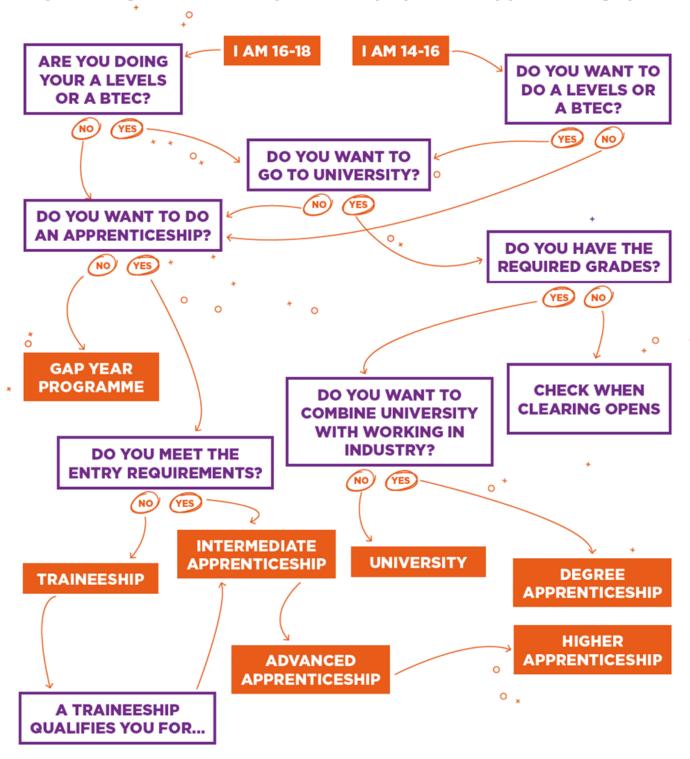
How long at college/University: Apprenticeship usually through college.

It normally takes two to four years to become fully qualified.

WHICH PATH WILL YOU TAKE?



Do you know what you're going to do when you finish school or college?
If you haven't got a clue - don't worry! Our Next Step Explorer can help you find the right path.



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www.RateMyApprenticeship.co.uk

TOP 50 TRAINING PROVIDERS 2021

It's official! These companies are the BEST training providers in the UK for school and college leavers. Take a look at the official Top 50 rankings below and head to RateMyApprenticeship.co.uk to find out more.







































































































































































































TOP 100

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