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CAREERS NEWSLETTER

This newsletter is a collation of all the opportunities we have heard about from employers and universities. Please use the links included to read more information and apply to anything you are interested in. Links are underlined.

OPPORTUNITIES

28th June is Armed Forces Day. It is a chance to show your support for the men and women who make up the Armed Forces community: from currently serving personnel to Service families, veterans and cadets. If you're thinking of joining the Armed Forces in the future, check out the cadets and find your local group. You can read more about different Armed Forces Careers here: RAF, Army & Navy.

Futurelearn offers short online courses to build on your current interests, experience university-style learning or introduce yourself to potential future interests. There are fascinating courses on everything from Business and Management to Creative Arts and Media, from Nature and Environment to Study Skills.

Coursera is another website offering online courses in partnership with over 350 leading companies and universities. Not only might these open up new areas of knowledge, but they could also give you expertise to draw on for your University Personal Statement or Apprenticeship Applications.

UK-TEFL offers a Level 2 Certified Learning Course in TEFL (Teaching English as a Foreign Language) for 16-18 year-olds. Fully online, the course gives you 180 days to complete the self-paced 120-hour programme. You'll study using lots of interactive learning elements including: presenter-led videos, narrator-led videos, matching and sorting activities, galleries, flipbooks, tasks, and concept checking quizzes. All students receive dedicated support from UK-TEFL's advisors with finding work. This online TEFL course is ideal for 16–18-year olds looking to:

- Travel the world after school teaching English
- Earn while gaining valuable life experience
- Boost their university applications or CVs

If you have any questions or need support, please email CGarnett@trinityacademy.org.uk

JOB OF THE WEEK

Ethical Hacker

They are a cybersecurity professional who is legally employed to test and improve an organisation's security systems. They use the same techniques as malicious hackers but with permission to identify and fix vulnerabilities.
Watch the video to learn more about how much you could earn, working hours and pathways into the industry.

LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION FACT

In the most recent Youth Voice Census, the top three skills that students think are most important for work are 'communication' (70%), 'teamwork' (56%) and 'problem solving' (33%). The skills they are most confident in are listening (70%), creativity (63%) and problem solving (62%).
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Are you wondering what a career in Economics could look like? This is an interactive website that explores what economists do, how to prepare for a university course in Economics and provides resources and opportunities for pupils interested in the career area. Resources include lectures, games, lessons and introductions to different areas of study.

The University of Cambridge offers a series of Subject Focus Sessions; each involves an introduction to the University followed by a taster sessions and a Q&A with current students.

Looking to kickstart your career after school? Whether you're thinking apprenticeship or university, this live virtual session taking place on 2nd July with AWE is your chance to explore real opportunities and hear directly from the people doing it. What to expect:

- Hear from current apprentices and grads
- Explore entry-level roles at AWE
- Get top tips on applying
- Ask questions in a live Q&A

Open to Years 10–13 + parents/carers, with a special focus on students in Years 10 & 12 who can apply this autumn. If this event isn't right for you, you can look at other opportunities on the Pathway CTM website.

Did you know you can add yourself to the Not Going to Uni talent pool and allow employers to look at your CV? They can then get in touch if they feel they have a suitable role for you. Read more here.

The GetMyFirstJob Ambassador Network is dedicated to inspiring young individuals as they explore their career goals. Our passionate ambassadors come from various backgrounds and industries, sharing their personal journeys, experiences, and valuable career insights. You can read their stories and connect with them on LinkedIn here.

EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT

"Speedy role progression, training, travel and incredible friendships all make a career in the RAF one like no other.

Our differences make us stronger; that's why the RAF is one of the most inclusive forces in the world. We have a wide range of roles to match different skills and interests; are you ready to join us?"

Read more about RAF Careers here.

UNI SPOTLIGHT

"At Kent, you'll be a part of a welcoming, inspiring, and inclusive university. We empower each other to go further, which means our graduates are ready to achieve outstanding things in the world. It's something we're very proud of. Make your move, join our community and make Kent the first step to wherever you want to go."
Read more about University of Kent's Courses here.

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