



Super-Curricular Newsletter

This month's issue is packed with exciting opportunities to broaden your horizons beyond the classroom. From thought-provoking activities and subject enrichment to career insights and apprenticeship pathways, there's plenty to spark your curiosity and support your future goals.

Whether you're looking to deepen your understanding, try something new, or take a step closer to your chosen career, there's something here for you. Explore, engage, and make the most of what's on offer!

Year 12 Work Experience

Following Ms Hanlon's recent assembly, all Year 12 students are expected to independently arrange a work experience placement for the week of **11th to 18th July**.

This is a valuable opportunity for students to explore career interests, develop essential workplace skills, and gain confidence in a professional setting.

Students are encouraged to take initiative by reaching out to family, friends, and contacts who may be able to offer a placement or suggest opportunities.

Useful websites to support the search include:

- **Success at School**
- **RateMyPlacement**
- **Speakers for Schools**
- **Springpod**
- **Indeed** (search terms like "work experience" or "internships")

When contacting employers, students should be professional in their approach—whether by email, phone, or in person. **Start early**, as placements can fill up quickly.

 <p>Springpod Unsure about your career? Virtual Work Experience Free Virtual Work Experience Springpod Connect with world-leading organisations</p>	 <p>SPEAKERS for schools Work Experience - Work Experience – Speakers for Schools</p>
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Exploring Medical & Health-Related Professions - Medics, dentistry

2nd, 3rd & 4th July 2025 (students can attend 1 day or all 3)

University Centre Warrington, Remond House Barbauld St, Warrington, WA1 1WA

This is a unique opportunity for students to spend up to 3 days with staff from the University of Chester to take part in interactive sessions developing the clinical skills needed for careers in health and social care.

See Ms Hanlon for more information

PLACED Academy Studio 25/26 - Applications Open

PLACED Academy Studio is a flagship award-winning FREE programme of creative activities and professional development opportunities for young people who are currently in Years 9-12 who live in Northwest England. It tackles the barriers young people face in accessing professional careers in the built environment, including architecture, planning, urban design and landscape architecture. Please share this opportunity with your students. More information can be found [here](#) and the application form can be accessed [here](#).

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Discover Psychological Professions Careers webinar for Year 12s- 12th June 2025

Designed for Year 12 students with a passion for psychology, access a livestream to hear from industry professionals working in schools, forensic psychology and mental health services to hear their career stories and find out how they help their clients. Access the form and QR code [here](#).

Degree Apprenticeships

LABORATORY SCIENTIST DEGREE APPRENTICESHIP – BRISTOL MYERS SQUIBB

Company: [Bristol Myers Squibb](#) Location: Merseyside

This apprenticeship offers comprehensive training in pharmaceutical analysis, primarily laboratory based. Apprentices will also enrol in a higher education course in chemical sciences.

[Apply Now](#)

[Laboratory Scientist Degree Apprenticeship - Bristol Myers Squibb - Cogent Skills](#)

Become an expert by learning from one

KPMG Business Services Apprenticeships 2024

On the KPMG Apprentice Experience, students will have the opportunity to step into the shoes of an apprentice and explore our business areas in **Audit** and **Tax & Law** to discover what it's really like to work here.

Taking part in a series of challenges built to test their skills, they'll learn more about their day-to-day life, why they chose their programme and the skills they've learnt to get them where they are today, all while earning £23,000 - £25,000 salary depending on their location.

Share the KPMG Apprentice Experience today: <https://www.kpmgapprenticeexperience.co.uk/>

Discover a world of opportunities on an **Apprenticeship** programme at **KPMG**: <https://www.kpmgcareers.co.uk/apprentice>

APPRENTICESHIPS WITH THE BRITISH ARMY

A CAREER LIKE NO OTHER

For more information click on the link below:

[Apprenticeships with the British Army - Amazing Apprenticeships](#)

**UPCOMING TALKS**

Here is the [upcoming live broadcasts schedule](#). Live broadcasts are a great way for students to hear directly from leading figures from a range of industries, and have the opportunity to ask questions via a moderated Q&A. Please feel free to share with your staff and students! Please note that you have to register your students in advance.

UPCOMING TALKS

Wednesday 11th June 10:00 am - 10:45 am

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From History Books to Foreign Affairs: The Power of Languages in International Careers

Ever wondered where studying history or learning a new language could take you? 🌐 Join Arthur Snell, Writer, Podcast Host and former UK Diplomat, as he shares how a passion for the past and the power of communication led him to a global career representing the UK. In this inspiring session, Arthur will talk about the real-life skills you gain from studying history and languages—and how they can open doors to exciting international opportunities. Find out how curiosity, culture, and communication can shape a career. ➔

[Register now](#)

Thursday 12th June 02:00 pm - 03:00 pm

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IntoTech: Gadget Goals to Global Impact

Hewlett Packard Enterprise (HPE) is a global technology company that helps businesses and public organisations use technology to solve real-world problems. Whether it's providing secure Wi-Fi in public spaces, supporting climate research with supercomputers, or enabling businesses to operate more efficiently through cloud solutions, HPE is at the forefront of innovation 🚀 During this virtual session, you'll hear from a range of speakers at different stages in their careers, including interns, apprentices, and senior leaders. They'll share their personal journeys, insights into their current roles, and what it's like to work at HPE. You'll also learn about the diverse career paths available within an IT company like HPE, such as marketing, sales, project management and more. Prepare to gain a clearer picture of the various opportunities in the technology sector and how your skills and interests can align with them.

🔗 #TheFutureIsDigital Tuesday 13th May 02:00 pm - 02:45 pm

[Register now](#)

Tuesday 17th June 02:00 pm - 02:45 pm

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My Creative Career Path - Do I Look Like A Gamer? (Gaming Industry)

Think gaming is not for you? Think again! 🎮 Join us and Nigel Twumasi, Co-Founder And Director, mayamada as we look at the Do I Look Like A Gamer? campaign which looks at how the gaming industry is evolving—and why there's a place for everyone in it. 📱🗣️ Nigel will share insights into building a nationwide movement, how the industry is working to become more diverse and inclusive, and how you can turn your passion for gaming into a real career path. Whether you love playing games, creating characters, building worlds, or managing online communities, see how your skills and interests could shape the future of gaming.

[Register now](#)

Thursday 19th June 02:00 pm - 02:45 pm

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My Career in the NHS & what it takes to work in National Health

Acosia has dedicated her career to providing person-centred care in health, NHS and social care services and improving outcomes for patients. This broadcast will allow you to find out more about careers in the NHS and hear

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about Acosia's career journey. We'll explore with Acosia what some of the key skills and characteristics are that you might need to work in healthcare. This is a broadcast not to be missed by any young person considering a career in the NH

[Register now](#)

Friday 20th June 10:00 am - 11:00 am

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Think Differently, Film Differently – Celebrating Inclusion and Neurodiversity in the Screen Industries with Into Film
Join us for a powerful and inspiring event that shines a spotlight on inclusion and neurodiversity in film and TV. From storytelling to on-set experiences, we'll explore how the screen industries are evolving to embrace different ways of thinking, working, and creating. 🗨️ Whether you're curious about careers in the screen sector or passionate about representation, this is a must-attend event! ✍️ Panelists to be confirmed – stay tuned for more details coming soon!

[Register now](#)

HOW TO JOIN THE LIVE BROADCASTS

- Join 10 minutes before the broadcast to be ready.
- You can join without needing an account – [Watch how here](#)
- Watch previous talks on our library [here](#).