



## **Enniskillen Royal Grammar School – CEIAG BULLETIN**

### **Week Beginning Monday 4th December 2023**

#### **UK University & Apprenticeship Search Winter Webinars**

December Winter Webinars hosted by expert university reps. You can use the email below or [here](#) to find out more about this fantastic opportunity. The schedule is as follows:

Tue 5th **Personal Statement & application - 12-13:15**

Wed 6th **Choosing a course/university - 12-13:15**

Thu 7th **Preparing for University - 12-13:15**

#### **PWC Careers Information Event– Friday 8<sup>th</sup> December - Careers Room LS Site**

On the afternoon of 8<sup>th</sup> December, Lorcan McDonagh (PWC Associate) will outline a range of exciting PWC careers opportunities (including Apprenticeships) to our Post-16 pupils. Please contact Mrs Magee to book your place at this event.

#### **Youth Parliament Elections**

This is an exciting opportunity for any young people who are aged between 11 and 18 and may be interested in representing their community in the 2024 youth parliament elections. This is an excellent opportunity for candidates to build their CV, gain new and exciting experiences, visit parliament buildings in London and campaign on issues that truly impact them over the period of 2 years.

**Youth Parliament**  
MAKING OUR MARK  
United Kingdom

**YOUTHCON NI**  
WANT TO MAKE A REAL CHANGE IN YOUR COMMUNITY?

**WHY NOT RUN AS A CANDIDATE IN THE 2024 YOUTH PARLIAMENT ELECTIONS?**

- EXCELLENT CV ENHANCEMENT
- REPRESENT YOUR COMMUNITY
- VISITS TO LONDON
- MEET NEW PEOPLE
- CAMPAIGN
- LEARN NEW THINGS
- FUN AND EXCITING EXPERIENCES

**CANDIDATE INFORMATION SESSION**

📍 2 Royal Avenue, Belfast or online

📅 11th December 2023

🕒 6:30pm - 8:30pm

📍 Register below:

[northernireland@ukyouthparliament.org.uk](mailto:northernireland@ukyouthparliament.org.uk)

Politics in Action

SCAN FOR TICKETS

## **Queen's Business School Financial Risk Management (With a Year in Industry) Information Evening**

Queen's Business School (QBS) invites Year 13-14 students, parents and guardians to a virtual event for those considering applying for our new undergraduate course, **BSc Financial Risk Management (With a Year in Industry)**.

Explore the dynamic field of financial risk management with a programme that's designed to propel students into a successful career in areas including investment banking, retail banking, and insurance. This course is also beneficial to students who are interested in the areas of finance and actuarial science.

Hear more about this insight-driven degree with a stimulating placement that will open doors to excellent graduate opportunities.

**The event will be particularly useful for anyone applying for September 2024 or 2025 entry.**

**Run by:** Queen's Business School at Queen's University Belfast

**Date:** Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December 2023

**Time:** 7pm-8.00pm

**Where:** Virtual event on Microsoft Teams

**Who for:** Parents, guardians and students in Year 13-14

**Why attend:** To find out more about this new degree course.

**\*Register online via this link:** <http://go.qub.ac.uk/JFjbc>

**The Aspiring Professionals Programme** is completely free and supports high-achieving, disadvantaged young people in year 13 through their A-Levels and university, and into highly-skilled graduate employment, through a blend of virtual and in-person provision including 1:1 mentoring by a professional in their sector. [You can read more about the programme here](#), and applications close on **December 15<sup>th</sup>**.

To help illustrate the success of the programme:

- 99% of our students said they would not have been able to get an internship in 2020 without the help of the SMF, and 90% said their virtual internship in 2020 increased their confidence
- 97% of employers felt that the young people they hosted on internships were of the calibre that could be employed in their sector after university
- 92% of employers said that working with the SMF allows their organisation to reach students they would usually not reach through their traditional channels
- The institute for Fiscal Studies found that we increased the likelihood of going to the top 10 universities most visited by employers by 43% - the equivalent of having A\*A\*A\* at A-Level compared to AAB

## **Discover Esports Event Management at the University of Sunderland**

Are you interested in the production and management of Esports events and the technologies associated with this field, then join this online event to find out more about this fascinating area of study. Explore the undergraduate course **BSc (Hons) Esports Event Management**. Learn about both the academic and practical aspects of the course. Engage in a live Q&A with academic staff **When:** Monday 18 December 2023

**Time:** 1pm – 1:45pm Location: Online

[REGISTER HERE](#)

## **Free National NHS Virtual Work Experience Programme – Applications Now Open**

This month, they are diving into the fascinating world of Surgery, providing students with the opportunity to witness key-hole surgery, oral surgery, and the unique privilege of shadowing Mr. Challocome, a urology surgeon at Guy's and Thomas' NHS Trust. This virtual experience opens doors for students to gain valuable insights and opportunities that may be otherwise difficult to access. Working hand in hand with Birmingham Universities Hospitals Trust, this Virtual Work Experience has been a game-changer for thousands of secondary school students in the past year. It's not just an alternative to in-person shadowing; it's a crucial step in preparing students for their upcoming physical placements.

They have crafted a 6-month medical and 4-month dental e-learning work experience programme that lets students set their own pace. From structured teaching to direct interaction with healthcare professionals, the programme ensures students don't just watch procedures, but also understand the broader roles in the medical and dental fields.

What makes the programme unique is the chance for students to schedule 15-minute one-on-one appointments with a doctor or medical student at no extra cost. This personal touch lets you dive deeper into your virtual experiences, ask questions, and really enhance your understanding.

Covering everything from ethics to procedures and broader team roles, this virtual work experience gives a crucial overview of desired career paths and the skills that medical and dental schools are looking for, enhancing your UCAS applications.

Signing up is easy – you just need to fill out the free online application form below:-

<https://airtable.com/appuQX2ouadvjQUSU/shrroljLczgdg9uLw>

## **Women Making Their Mark in the Army – 23<sup>rd</sup> January 2024**

**SPEAKERS**  
for schools

**ARMY**

**EXPERIENCE**

**FULLY FUNDED**  
Taster Session

**Women making their mark in the Army**

In this session your students will:

- Have the chance to find out how women make a difference in the Army
- Hear real insights into a typical day as a women in the Army
- Ask questions to the panel and grow their knowledge of the Army
- Improve skills through a live, unique and interactive session

**SIGN UP...**  
Discovery Workshop  
23rd January, 11:00am-12:00pm  
Apply by 5th January  
Age: 16-19

## **Attention Year 13 Pupils!!! - Nuffield Research Placements**

The NRP programme provides engaging, hands-on research projects, where Year 13 students have the opportunity to make a meaningful contribution towards the work of a host organisation through a well-supervised but independent research collaboration relating to an area of science, quantitative social science, computing, technology, engineering or maths (or a combination!).

Students can apply via the button below but please make sure you've checked your eligibility requirements

**[Check eligibility requirements here](#)**

### Which placement?

Students can participate in Research Placements or Experiences. Both offer a rewarding experience for enthusiastic and curious young people.

### Nuffield Research Placements

Nuffield Research Placements (NRPs) are 2-week collaborations with a STEM-related knowledge expert on a live research question or area of development. While producing a scientific or technical report and poster, this opportunity ensures that students contribute meaningfully to the host organisation's current work.

### Nuffield Experience Placements

Nuffield Experience Placements (NEPs) are 5-day explorations with industry experts to identify essential skills needed for employment in STEM sectors. While producing a workbook and reflective report, students gain insight into working in professional environments as well as knowledge of the challenges for different sectors, in turn preparing them for employment.

