

Enniskillen Royal Grammar School – CEIAG BULLETIN Week Beginning Monday 13th January 2025

Ulster University - Computing, GenAI & Engineering Workshop

The School of Computing, Engineering and Intelligent Systems are hosting a two-day workshop on 23 & 24 January 2025 at their Derry~Londonderry campus. The workshop is targeted at Year 13 students who will have the opportunity to undertake activities in Mobile App development and GenAI models. Bridge and Tower Building challenges make up the engineering day. Speak to Mrs Magee asap if you are interested in this.

https://www.ulster.ac.uk/edlink/computing,-genai-and-engineering-workshop

Solicitor Apprenticeship Application Masterclass -- Virtual Event for Year 13 & 14 Students - Thursday 16th January with 9 top law firms

It features early talent teams from nine leading law firms: A&O Shearman, Bates Wells, Burges Salmon, Freshfields, Hogan Lovells, Linklaters, Pinsent Masons, Taylor Wessing and Watson Farley & Williams.

The session is free and open to all Year 13 & 14 students/Sixth formers. The sign up link is here: https://www.legalcheek.com/event/virtual-event-series-for-sixth-formers-considering-solicitor-apprenticeships/

KPMG Apprentice Programme 2025

KPMG are delighted to launch the third year of their Get Set Degree

Apprenticeship for KPMG Belfast. This is a unique opportunity for a small number of high performing students that are looking to get into employment after their A Levels and want an alternative to university. The programme will start in September 2025. An **Insight Event for students and parents** will take place on Wednesday 5 February 2025 when students and parents can come into the office and get a feel for what it is like to work for KPMG, spend time with some of their apprentices and staff and get their questions answered. Students can find out more information and <u>register to attend here</u>. For more information on this apprenticeship visit the following link <u>www.kpmg.ie/getsetapprenticeship</u>

<u>Ulster University Accommodation</u> to parents/guardians of students applying to the University for September 2025 entry – see attached

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For more information about accommodation at Ulster, virtual tours, how to apply and more, please visit www.ulster.ac.uk/accommodation

Registration for Applicants Undertaking the MSAT in Ulster University

Ulster University has launched a dedicated **MSAT Ulster website** that includes all relevant information for those undertaking the test, including timelines, assessment, and process for those with additional needs.

The test host, ACER, have also launched their **MSAT Ulster portal**, where applicants can now register for the exam and download the MSAT Ulster information booklet, which I have attached for your convenience.

<u>Registration for MSAT will close on Monday 5 February 2025</u>. There is a late registration deadline of 12 February with a late fee applicable.

The MSAT Ulster is a mandatory test for those applying to the following:

- Diagnostic Radiography and Imaging
- Occupational Therapy
- Physiotherapy
- Podiatry
- Radiotherapy and Oncology
- Speech and Language Therapy

<u>Ulster University - Degree Apprenticeships</u>

Students can now visit the dedicated online Degree Apprenticeship Hub where they can find out more Apprenticeships, view current opportunities, and be added to mailing list to receive updates.

https://www.ulster.ac.uk/apprenticeships/advice-for-applicants

Year 13 - Build UK - Open Doors Initiative

Are you interested in studying Structural, Architectural or Civil Engineering, Sustainable Building, or any other aspect of the Construction Industry? To help showcase the Construction Industry in Northern Ireland, developers are opening their sites in locations across NI to invite school groups in for a tour and informative session on what it's like to work within the construction industry.

Tracey Brothers are hosting an event here in Enniskillen and I have reserved 10 places for this visit.

Event information - Drumgarrow Village, Coa Road, Enniskillen.

Thursday 20th March

11am – 1pm

https://opendoors.construction/sites/drumgarrow-village/

If you would like to attend, please give your name to Mrs Magee asap

BDO Northern Ireland – Higher Level Apprenticeship Opportunity

BDO Northern Ireland, are offering exciting Accounting Technicians opportunities starting in Autumn 2025, through their bespoke Higher-Level Apprenticeship Programme. Join their Audit or Tax teams, where students can immerse themselves in a professional setting, learn from experienced accountants and business advisors, and contribute to real client projects. Visit the website to learn more about these opportunities!

https://www.bdoni.com/en-gb/careers-23f5c8088b2de242299efa35b0dce780/students-internships/higher-level-apprenticeship-programme-2025

Medic Mentor FREE National NHS Virtual Work Experience Programme

This will offer a variety of medical specialties, with a focus this month on palliative care. This enables you to gain a well-rounded perspective of working within the NHS. Developed in collaboration with Birmingham Universities Hospitals Trust, this Virtual Work Experience has proven to be transformative for thousands of secondary school students over the past year. It also provides a strong foundation of knowledge for students who are preparing to undertake future in-person placements. Medic Mentor have devised a 6-month medical e-learning work experience programme, focusing on one specialty each month, allowing students to set their own pace of learning. From structured teaching to direct interaction with doctors and healthcare professionals, the programme ensures students not only observe procedures but also gain a broader understanding of roles within the medical field. Covering everything from confidentiality and ethics workshops delivered by the GMC to clinical procedures, this virtual work experience provides a crucial overview, thereby enhancing your UCAS applications.

Signing up is easy — students simply need to fill out the free online application form: https://medicmentor.org/university-hospitals-birmingham-trust-virtual-work-experience/

NI Water – Upcoming Work Experience Opportunities

NI Water are excited to announce the launch of their new Work Experience Programme, designed specifically for students aged 15-19. This initiative aims to give young people a deeper understanding of the world of water, while highlighting the diverse career opportunities available at their multi-award-winning organisation. They are doing things a bit different going forward and can no longer accept individual work experience opportunities but they believe their new programme provides an exciting deep dive into the many exciting opportunities available across NI Water. In partnership with 'Speakers for Schools', the UK's leading social mobility charity, NIW have three fantastic work experience opportunities coming up —

- **Engineering** (scheduled to take place February 2025)
- **Finance** (scheduled to take place June 2025)

To apply* for this exciting opportunity, please visit the following link: <u>results | Speakers for Schools</u> (*limited spaces apply)

