

Europa School Careers Department

Opening the minds of all students to know their skills and value their opportunities



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What a wonderful and busy time we have had over the past few months. We have so much to report and many many opportunities to be explored.

It is a proud and sad moment as we prepare to say farewell to our S7 students and we look forward to welcoming them into our new 'Culhamni' Network.

We hope that everyone enjoys the last of the summer term and all the fun that is coming up.

Mrs Powell

We have added new ways for you to keep in touch so please do connect with us.

You can keep up to date with the Careers Department on

Twitter @EuropaCareers

Instagram @europa.careers

LinkedIn @EuropaCareersDepartment

Europa School website

Careers Department - What have we been up to?

It was very exciting to receive a nomination for the Oxford Apprenticeship Awards 2021 - Schools Award. We look forward to continuing to build on the work we have done over the years and continue to open the minds of all of our students to the many opportunities out there.

The first of the 'Your Introduction to the World of Business' sessions ran on Friday 14th May 2021. This follows on from the pilot which was trialled on Europa School students. This is an opportunity for students of all ages to learn more about the world of business and to understand the different businesses in Oxfordshire. Keep an eye on our social media platforms for more information about the next Live session.

We have also been planning Skills Week for S5, signing up S7 as our Alumni and helping them to get started on LinkedIn with the help of Emma Wyatt, a LinkedIn specialist.

Also as part of our link with B4, one of our S5 students was invited to speak to their members as part of their 'House Meet'. She did a super presentation and we are all so proud of her and grateful to B4 for the opportunity.

S6 have been working hard on their UCAS knowledge recently and this week they have their UCAS Day and will start the process of applying to University. S4 have been working on their study skills and you can see their feedback below.



RSE Lessons and Careers

This year has seen the introduction of RSE lessons which take place once a week for S1, S2 and S3 and when needed, for S4 and S5. We have been excited to be able to incorporate elements of Careers Education into the RSE lessons, including sessions that are delivered by outside agencies. We have had sessions delivered by Oxford University, and BMW as well as very informative sessions on Apprenticeships. This is a new subject to Europa School and we are excited to see how it will grow; we are already planning more changes and developments for next year.

OXFORD BROOKES UNIVERSITY

S4 Study Conference

Our S4 students thoroughly enjoyed and fully engaged in the 'Study Conference' organised by Oxford Brookes University on Thursday 29th April 2021. This was a motivational and exciting experience. In the morning, the focus was on subject sessions that boosted confidence and gave a taste of learning at university level (but accessible for all).

Then, in an interactive live session, students learned how to build a bank of revision tips and strategies delivered in conjunction with the award-winning "MADE Training". In the afternoon students had the chance to explore sessions on study skills and whether the university is right for them. At the end of the day, students had a chance to submit questions to current Oxford Brookes students in a live Q+A session.

What pupils said about their experience, just a few comments to share with you:



'Asking questions to the students at Oxford Brookes university because it was very useful to know their personal answers to the questions'

'Career cause it made me think more about my future'

'When they talked about life at uni because it gave an idea of what it might be like for us'

'The Marketing and social media part, which I think was really interesting.'

"The built environment because we had lots of fun"

"I really liked the studying techniques the most, and I plan to use them in the future."

University. Apprenticeships. Gap years.

UCAS/Discovery Days was a series of exciting online events designed to help our S6 students to choose their next adventure organised by UCAS on 21st and 22nd April 2021. They had an opportunity to attend webinars on various topics regarding their

UCAS application as well as visit universities' booths and ask questions directly.



S5 Skills Week

Plans for Skills Week are progressing well. We are now contacting all those who have kindly offered their time. We have some absolutely fantastic sessions lined up for the students and I am looking forward to sharing the whole

programme with you as soon as we have it. Please do connect with us on our different social media platforms to share in the fun of skills week.

If the urge to take part suddenly strikes you we can still fit you in so please get in touch.



Opportunities from OxLEP

OxLEP have launched a new resource called 'Find Your Future'. This is set up like a Careers fair and looks very much like you are wandering around the London Olympia. It has many large and small organisations both employers and education providers.

Log on and have an explore!

[Click here](#)

Also have a look at the Your Fabulous Future video whilst you're there.

How are we doing? We would appreciate your feedback

As we conduct our review of this academic year and plan for 2021-22 we would really appreciate feedback from all students, parents, staff and the local community. With

your support and feedback we can continue to help our students to prepare for the best future. We would really appreciate you completing this questionnaire.

Opportunities



UK University Search Virtual Fair

Wednesday 26th May 2021

[Register here](#)



The Parent Perspective Podcasts

Amazing Apprenticeships and NGTU have teamed up to arm parents with knowledge, keep them informed and make sure they are best placed to help their child with their next steps.

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Interested in Medicine and in S6?

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Virtual Work Experience in Medicine, Vet Science or Dentistry

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Careers In Government and Politics

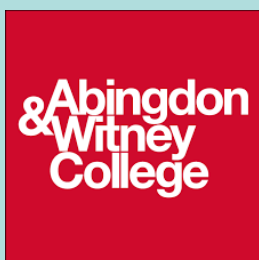
Key Details:

- Tuesday 25th May 2021, 5pm - 6pm
- Insight to Government & Politics
- Gaining inside knowledge on how to secure jobs in this sector
- Focus on international relations and what it is like working in Brussels
- Opportunity to ask lots of questions
- Open to all students in Y11 , Y12 & Y13 (S3, S4 & S5 in Scotland & Y14 in NI)

Application Link

Virtual Apprenticeship Week - w/c 24th May

[More information here](#)



Opportunities



Subject Master Classes - University of Cambridge

Subject Masterclasses are subject-specific events that offer academically able students in Year 12 (or equivalent) the chance to experience typical undergraduate teaching at the University of Cambridge, and to get a flavour of what it is like to be a student here.

The Masterclasses cover a range of subjects and provide students with an opportunity to explore topics of interest beyond what is covered within the school curriculum.

[Click here](#)



STEM and Summer Internships

[Summer Internships](#) in London offer students aged 12-18 a dynamic, 360-degree experience of 8 STEM & Medicine-related industries.

Morgan Stanley

Morgan Stanley Insight Day

Step In, Step Up: An Insight to Technology is a one-day programme for Year 12/13 (S6/S7) female students which takes place virtually on 30th July 2021. They will get an overview of technology programmes available at Morgan Stanley and partake in interactive challenges, panel sessions and career workshops. The deadline for application is 9th June 2021.

[Click here.](#)

★ RATEMY APPRENTICESHIP

Spotlight on L2 and L3 Apprenticeships

'A spotlight on level 2 & 3 apprenticeships' on the 26th May 2021 2:00 - 2:45pm. This is a great opportunity to inspire year 10 & 11 (S4 & S5) students to take the first steps in their career.

[Register here](#)



Study Away: International University Fair

June 17th 2021 at 4:30PM

[Tickets here](#)



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TO THE WORLD
OF BUSINESS**



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Your Introduction to the World of Business gives businesses the opportunity to broaden the horizons of their future employees, and for students to learn more and ask questions about the world of business.

**WED 26TH MAY 2021
6.00PM - 6.30PM**



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TODAY**



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**During this
30 minute
session you
will hear
from:**



Melissa Noton
Founder
4Thought

Emma Easton
Chief Bolloxologist
Business Bollox®



Clara
Student
Europa School UK