

INFORMATION SHEET – MONDAY 2nd OCTOBER 2023

Careers Information

Accountancy/Business Advising

Please see the link below to sign up for the for the next Johnston Carmichael 'JC Futures open evening' which is being run in its Dundee office (to cover its three Tayside offices) next Wednesday, 4th October 2023.

https://www.eventbrite.com/cc/johnston-carmichael-open-evenings-october-2023-2621089

Also, here is a link offering a brief overview of the JC Futures programme itself:

https://johnstoncarmichael.com/careers/starting-out/school-leavers

Army challenge for senior pupils

The Army, 7SCOTS, is offering our pupils what promises to be a fantastic opportunity to do some activities with the Army for a day. The activities are at 7SCOTS premises in Stirling and features hands-on experience in STEM, leadership and teamworking as well as developing resilience, communication, and decision-making skills. Pupils should give their names to their Guidance Teacher or to Mr. Letford (room 19A) ASAP.

Christmas leavers

We will be conducting mock interviews next term to prepare pupils for when they leave school and attend a job interview. Full details soon.

Career insight sessions (held virtually)

The following career insight sessions are available:

NHS Scotland Nursing:

Do you know about the wide range of nursing careers in both acute (hospital), schools and community settings? Are you curious about the qualities that are important in all nursing roles? Would you like to explore how a career in nursing can develop over time? (Closing date 11th October 2023). Age: 14+.

Join this Virtual Insight Session on the 25th of October 2023 from 1:30-3.00pm to find out if a career in nursing could be the perfect fit for you:

- Find out how you can get started in a healthcare career.
- Learn what key skills are needed as a nurse.
- Hear from NHS nurses who have experience of working in hospital, schools, and community.

Construction:

A four-day <u>virtual work experience placement</u> with Murphy. Students will get a fantastic insight into Engineering, Quantity Surveying, Estimating, Procurement and Planning/Project Goals, with each day focusing on a different area within the business. The dates are 23rd – 26th October 2023 from 10:00-3:00pm daily. (Closing date 5th October 2023). Age: 14+.

Publishing:

A five-day <u>virtual work experience placement</u> with Springer Nature from 23rd to 27th October 2023, from 10:00-3:00pm daily. You'll learn about publishing in a global company; meet our people in editorial, communications, marketing, and HR to understand their jobs and how it all comes together. (Closing date 2nd October 2023). Age: 14+.

- Explore Publishing types of publishing and the roles within publishing.
- Career Conversations Hear from our people and get advice for success.
- 'Lightning Talk' on a global hot topic and how we're tackling this as a business.
- Business Challenge work in teams to deliver a project.

Design and Coding:

Join us on the 25th of October from 9:30-12:30 for an exciting morning of Design Thinking Challenges and informative conversation to get your creative juices flowing and see if you'd like to enter our 2023 Creative Design Challenge Hackathon. (Closing date: 11th October 2023). Age: 14+.

Version 1 is holding its second annual design challenge for students and community groups. It will be welcoming teams of up to six to tackle a real-world challenge with tech driven solutions.

Equestrian – British Dressage:

Join this workshop on the 18th of October 2023 from 10:00-11:00 where you will explore the following themes:

- What skills and qualifications are required.
- Why is a BD Apprenticeship different from an Equine Apprenticeship.
- The day-to-day life of an apprentice on an equine yard.
- Working in the equine industry and the different options available.
- Career pathways rider, coach, judge, nutritionist, saddle fitter.

(Closing date: 2nd October 2023).

Computing & IT

Join this workshop on the 24th of October 2023 from 11:30-12:30 to meet the team from Academic Fish, an app used all over the world. Listen to how it makes the magic happen and find out about our job roles in this new and exciting start-up tech business. (Closing date: 10th October 2023).

Creative Careers

From the 13th to 17th November 2023 we have virtual sessions available covering Creative Careers, including Film production, museum careers, craft & design, art, gaming, architecture, graphic design, advertising, fashion, music, Sky TV, tech in theatre, visual effects and more!

October online open days at Scotland's rural college

The following career areas will feature next month at Scotland's Rural College's Elmwood campus. For those considering enrolling on a course there in future, Elmwod is in northeast Fife, only nine miles from St Andrews. It is easily accessed by car, bus and rail.

- Gamekeeping (3rd of October from 4:00-5:00pm)
- Greenkeeping (4th of October from 10:00-11:00am)
- Professional Golf (4th of October from 3:00-4:00pm)
- Horticulture (5th of October from 3:00-4:00pm)
- Food and Drink (10th of October from 10:00-11:00am)
- Wildlife and Conservation Management (10th of October from 3:00-4:00pm)
- Rural Skills and Land-based (12th of October from 10:00-11:00am)
- Animal Care (12th of October from 3:00-4:00pm)

All events can be booked via www.sruc.ac.uk/opendays

Mr. Letford, DYW







Adolescent Brain Development Bitesize Session

This session is to help parents & carers to understand changes in the adolescent brain and how this relates to risk taking.

Where: Glenearn Community Campus When: Thursday 9th November 2023

Time: 5pm-7pm

The Session aims to:

- Reflect on the nature of risk and development.
- Identify how young people's risk-taking behaviour may be influenced by brain development.
- Identify what parents and carers can do to support young people during these changes.

This session is aimed at parents/carers of children and young people aged 10 years and above.



To book a place please fill out the attached form or scan the QR code





