

Twyford C of E High School Careers IAG Bulletin - April



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Oxplore FOR 11-18 year olds

Oxplore is an engaging digital resource from the University of Oxford, aimed to challenge 11 to 18 year olds with debates and ideas that go beyond what is covered in the classroom.

'Big Questions' tackle complex ideas across a wide range of subjects and reflect the kind of critical thinking students undertake at university.

Their goal is to raise aspirations, promote broader thinking and encourage intellectual curiosity, so everything you see is underpinned by the latest discoveries and research from the University of Oxford.

To learn more, click here





Have a 'Big
Question' that
you want to
ask? Don't keep
it to yourself!
Click here



Each question has a series of learning resources (articles, quizzes, podcasts, videos, and image galleries) which draw upon some of the cutting-edge research led at Oxford. With over 50 Big Questions on Oxplore, there should be something to make every mind curious!

Is knowledge dangerous?





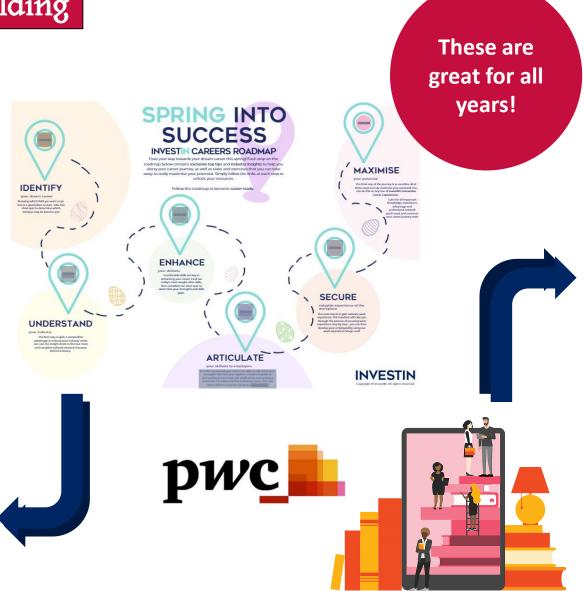


Careers Skills Building

Spring into Success is a free interactive Careers Roadmap created by InvestIN to help students figure out which career is right for them.

Each stop on the roadmap contains exclusive top tips and industry insights to help you along your career journey, as well as tasks and exercises that you can take away to really maximise your potential over the spring break.

<u>Click here</u> to access their interactive road map



Designed for secondary school students, **PWC's New World. New Skills – Virtual School Series** aims to support students in developing their skills for the future and making the most of their potential in their chosen career.

They've developed two programmes, aimed at different age groups, covering topics to help students develop key employability skills such as teamwork and problem solving. The learning materials have been designed for use by teachers and careers leaders in the classroom and include short prerecorded videos as well as materials to assist with further learning on the topics covered. Each programme consists of six sessions, designed to be delivered over a period of six weeks.

<u>Click here</u> for Years 7-9 programme <u>Click here</u> for Years 10-13 programme



Girls Into Physics

For more information and to book onto this course, please click here

A free virtual event aimed at encouraging Y10 girls to pursue a career in engineering.

If you're passionate about STEM subjects, but you're not sure how to make a career out of your passion, then take part in this event!

Run by expert academics from the University of Birmingham, each day of this course will have a new theme and be led by a team of specialist researchers in that area.

There will be online lectures and workshops, opening a world of possibilities for future study and careers in the fields of physics and engineering.

25th – 27th July 9.30am – 4pm







Summer Programmes

FY Foundation's Smart Futures is a 10month programme, which includes paid work experience, interactive employability skills training and mentoring for **Year 12** students. The program takes place during school holidays and gives students a first step into professional working life. The Smart Futures programme is formally recognised and accredited by the Institute of Leadership and Management, and will help you develop key skills that are essential in the workplace.

Click here to find out more

Institute of Economic Affairs (IEA) Future thought leaders' internship programme (18th – 22nd July/ 25th-29th July)

Aimed at **sixth form students** interested in gaining experience discussing economic ideas and concepts. The week will include lectures, discussions, and debates with expert economists. Hear from people in academia and politics about career opportunities, and at the end of the week the interns will debate on current affairs.

To look at all their internships and how to apply, please <u>click here</u>

BAE System's Engineering Taster Week offers students aged 14- 18 the opportunity to gain real-world experience as an engineer and first-hand insight into the aerospace and defence industry. Taster Week's take place virtually in July.







EY Foundation







HURRY! Application deadline for **IEA** is April 1st



Forage Virtual Internships



Forage offers bite-sized virtual work experience programs that give students a genuine career advantage with Fortune 500 companies.

Build the skills and confidence that will set you up for success as you move from the world of study to the world of work.

Click here to browse their virtual experience programs

Programs can be done in your own time and at your own pace! They take on average 5-6hrs to complete.

These virtual internships are designed to give you the same tasks and work that you would do in a company.

Once you have completed a Virtual Work Experience Program you can add the experience to your CV. But make sure to look over their referencing policy!

Virtual Work Experience Programs are completely free and do not need any previous work experience











O 4-5 hours







LATHAM & WATKINS White Collar Defense & Investigations Virtual Experience Program

O 5-6 hours





Work Experience Opportunities for Post 16 & 18

Student Stream aims to give young people the best possible start by providing free higher education and apprenticeships fairs, services and websites.

They promote work experience placements from a range of industries including, Architecture, Banking, Law and Digital Technology.

<u>Click here</u> to have a look at their list of free virtual placements.





Check out their video content featuring advice, help, and expert knowledge from universities





Nuffield Research Placement supports post-16 students to engage in real life research working alongside STEM professionals. Students can work on a range of cutting-edge projects from machine learning for obstacle detection and collision avoidance in robot boats, to investigating the onset of cognitive deficits in rat models for Alzheimer's disease and exploring the environment of supernova remnants.

To find out more information and see if you are eligible to apply, please <u>click here</u>.



Post 16 & Post 18 Apprenticeships



All About Leavers help school leavers get jobs and understand the career paths available to them. On their website, you'll find information on the different levels of apprenticeship—Intermediate, Advanced, Higher and Degree—as well as the latest school leaver job news and advice to help guide you on your career journey.

To see their full list of apprenticeships, please click here



Take this test

to find out

which career

is right for

you!

UX Experience Designed Degree Apprentice with BT

As a User Experience Designer Degree Apprentice, you'll study toward a Digital User Experience (UX) degree from Manchester Metropolitan University, receiving a full level 6 BSc (hons) degree in UX.

The degree course runs for four years and is a work-based learning degree. You'll spend a minimum of 20% of your time learning and studying.

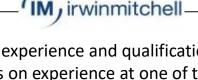
Click here for more information

Paralegal Apprenticeship with Irwin Mitchell

This 24-month apprenticeship gives you the knowledge, experience and qualification you need to start a career as a paralegal. You'll get hands on experience at one of the UK's most successful law firms. You'll also learn essential skills through an academic study program.

Click here for more information







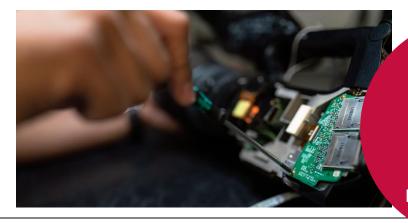
Post 18 Engineering Course with NMITE

An engineering degree, but not as you know it.

NMITE an Engineering degree that will give you a wide range of opportunities to work directly with employers to explore and understand where you want to go in the world of engineering.



NEW ENGINEERS
FOR A CHANGING WORLD



Every successful applicant for September 2022 will also receive a £2000 bursary, regardless of household income

Master's Integrated Engineering (MEng)

Real-world learning – hands-on experience from day one with real employers, solving real problems.

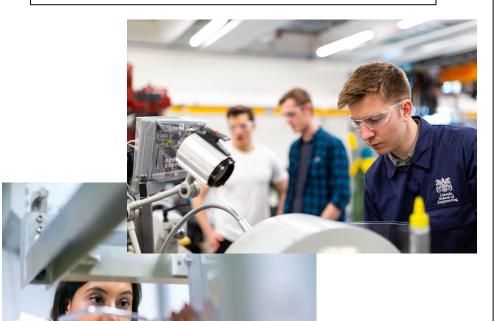
No traditional exams – instead, you'll have your own personal learning portfolio that will live on with you after graduation.

Learn 9-5, Monday-Friday - modelling the real workplace. Your own time is just that, undisturbed for you to enjoy.

Course fees are currently just £7,200 per year – bursaries available now.

Applications welcomed from a variety of backgrounds - no need for Maths or Physics at A level, they'll teach you what you need to know!

For further information and to apply, please <u>click here</u>





Career Support Sessions











Year 10

Drop in sessions for Work Experience & Post 16:

- ☐ Tuesday 22nd March 1:30-2:00pm in M9
- ☐ Thursday 24th March 1:30-2:00pm in M9
- ☐ Friday 25th March 1:30-2:00pm in M9
- ☐ Tuesday 29th March 1:30-2:00pm in M9

Plus: Apprenticeships assembly for Y10 on

Tuesday 29th March 2022

Year 11

- ☐ Thursday AM registration (invite only) in Sixth Form Study Centre with Miss Adams for 1:1 support with Post 16 options
- ☐ Support with Post 16
 applications and
 interviews

Year 12 & 13

- ☐ 1:1 CIAG meetings with tutor will continue each half term
- ☐ Email

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 if you would like a further

 1:1 session.