Melksham Oak Community School

CAREERS NEWSLETTER

This newsletter is a collation of all the opportunities we have heard about from employers and universities. Please use the links included to read more information and apply to anything you are interested in. Links are underlined.

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OPPORTUNITIES

Use the SACU Cloud Tool to match your A-levels to degree subjects. It allows you to see where students with your A-levels were placed in previous years and view actual A-level combinations by course, by subject and by university group.

Young Enterprise is for everyone, not just the loudest in the room or the top of the class. If you're curious, creative, ambitious (or even a little unsure), there's something here for you. Through our programmes, you'll figure out how to manage money, develop employability skills and maybe even launch a business. More than that, you'll grow your confidence, discover what you're capable of and start shaping your own path.

Red Bull Wingfinder is a personality assessment that focuses on your strengths, the things that you're naturally inclined to be good at, and gives you the tools and coaching to be even better.

Panjango Online allows you to explore a gamified world of work. It gives what you're learning in the classroom context and purpose by directly linking the curriculum to real world challenges. Panjango Online features more than 3000 challenges relating to more than 400 different careers across 150 workplaces.

Welcome to Destination Nuclear - your place to explore careers across the sector. Whether you're starting out or building on your skills, you can find guidance, roles and real examples to help with your next step. This isn't a typical career – and that's the point.

The Wheel of Strengths tool helps you find out how your skills, interests and personality traits match up with a range of job roles. You may discover job roles you hadn't thought of and be surprised at where your skills could take you. You could use the worksheet to record and reflect on what you find out and even create an action plan to help you to reach your ambitions.

Up until the age of 16, most students in England study GCSEs. After that, your options become much more varied. Apprenticeships, T-levels and the International Baccalaureate are among the choices available - but the most popular options are A-levels and Btecs. In this article, you can take a closer look at each.

For further information advice and guidance, or to book a personal guidance appointment please contact careers@melkshamoak.wilts.sch.uk

JOB OF THE WEEK

Demolition Operative

A Demolition Operative safely dismantles structures, performs "soft strips" (removing internal fixtures, windows, and hazardous materials), and separates recyclable waste.

To work in the UK, you typically need a Certificate of Competence of Demolition Operatives card, a CSCS card, and an Asbestos Awareness Certificate.

LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION FACT

If the global workforce were represented by a group of 100 people, 59 are projected to require reskilling or upskilling by 2030 .

11 of the projected 59 are unlikely to receive it; this translates to over 120 million workers at medium-term risk of redundancy.
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Discover Active Formula 1 Placements, Graduate Schemes, Work Experience and Entry-Level Jobs Across Every Department. Formula Careers track live openings across all teams, helping you navigate opportunities in departments and teams throughout the industry. Stop guessing how to get hired and access expert guides, tailor your application, and secure your place on the grid.

Routes into Rail provides a single source of advice and information on careers offered in the rail industry. It aims to inspire and educate a new generation of talent – providing information to young people on the variety of entry pathways available and showcasing, through multimedia content, that rail has a job and a career for everyone.

Discover your future in engineering with This is Engineering. Whether you love sport or space, fitness or fashion, construction or computing, medicine or music, engineers are at the heart of it.

Although most people think about the NHS as being their local hospital, when you visit your dentist, your GP or even your local pharmacist you could be speaking to someone employed by the NHS. And increasingly there is more and more NHS staff whose work is not based in a hospital, but who work in local health centres, GP practices or even in patients' own homes. Learn more about roles in the NHS on the Step Into The NHS website.

Go Construct provides resources for anyone looking for a career in the construction and built environment sector. We showcase the many rewarding opportunities available and help people from all backgrounds to enter an exciting and growing industry which has a huge impact on the UK's housing, industry and infrastructure.

Tired of wasting hours hunting for internships, entry-level roles, training programmes, networking events or mentoring schemes? We've already done the hard work for you. Our team scouts the internet daily to find the best early-career opportunities and brings them all together in the ERIC app. See which creative industries we cover here.

ENJOY YOUR SUMMER BREAK!

EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT

"We are Network Rail.

We're problem solvers and solution finders. We design stations, repair tracks, code software, do finance, and so much more. We also drive career direction for people like you.

Choose a career with us and you're choosing a career with real meaning. You'll be part of a large and growing UK organisation that genuinely cares about its people and the world around us."

UNI SPOTLIGHT

"From the moment you join King's as a student, you'll also become part of one of the best student cities in the world with our campuses making us the most central university in London.

With world-class teaching facilities, a cosmopolitan student community and historic architecture, there's so much to explore. "

You can learn more about Kings College London here.

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