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Dear Parents and Carers,

Virtual Careers Events

During the next two weeks there will be a number of virtual sessions providing valuable advice about building a suitable career plan, apprenticeships and the world of work, choosing appropriate post-16 subjects as well as higher education life and opportunities.

- **Wednesday, 3rd February (4.00 pm-5.15 pm): The importance of post-16 subject choices.**
This session from Christ's College, Cambridge helps check suitability of subject choices at sixth form college to achieve desired career objectives and is aimed at all Years 10 & 11 students considering applying to UK universities.
Webinar registration form link:
https://chris-cam-ac-uk.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_a7TZgQAxRVus051hXkJ_yQ
- **Monday, 8th – Friday 12th February: National Apprenticeship Week Greater Manchester 2021.**
This year's theme is 'Build The Future' putting a spotlight on GM's apprentices, employers and training providers. The programme includes a daily schedule of events and resources, including *Building Your Career Plan*, *Tips from Employers* and *Search Live Apprenticeships*.
Sign up for the programme by the deadline of this **Friday (5th February)**:
<https://gmacs.co.uk/news/national-apprenticeship-week-2021>
You can then register for the sessions of your choice taking place the following week.
- **Wednesday, 10th February (11.00 am-6.00 pm): National Apprenticeship Show.**
An opportunity to chat with over 50 exhibitors (employers and providers) by voice or text. Also, a pre-recorded workshop schedule with live Q&A sessions is available.
Registration: www.nas.vfairs.com
- **Wednesday, 10th February (12.00 noon-7.00 pm): The Russell Group.**
A virtual event in association with 'UK University Search' to explore all 24 Russell Group universities (i.e. UK's leading universities). The event will include information and videos about each university as well as enabling participation in 13 live webinars in the virtual auditorium.
Webinar registration form link: <https://russellgroup.vfairs.com/>

Please encourage your son to make use of the information provided during the events but also ensure that he has completed any work set by his teachers before taking part in the day sessions.

Yours sincerely,

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