# NSG PROSPECTS

### 'BUILDING A BRIDGE TO YOUR FUTURE'



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### **NSG PROSPECTS**

Welcome to the sixth edition of Prospects. This edition will focus on the current local offers and opportunities from local employers and providers.

After a busy and successful end to the summer term with a range of visiting speakers and a fun and insightful 'Step up to Sixth' day for our Year 10 students, we are focusing on next steps for students in Year 11 and Post 16.

This week Year 11 will be visited by Moulton college and Northampton college and Post 16 will be visited by ASK apprenticeships to start exploring their future pathways. Students will also have the opportunity to meet with a careers adviser over the coming months to look at their plans and aspirations in more detail.

To support our Key stage 4 and 5 students we highly recommend them using Unifrog to aid in this decision making process and to explore the different careers and opportunities available.



## **UPCOMING OPPORTUNITIES**

## NHS VIRTUAL WORK Experience

NHS Virtual Work Experience Programme. This programme is suitable for students in years 10, 11, 12, and 13 who are interested in the following careers:

Nursing - Midwifery - Paramedicine -Physiotherapy - Occupational Therapy -Dietetics - Radiography - Prosthetics and Orthotics - Speech and Language Therapy -Pharmacy

During the work experience day, students will follow 2 patients from their initial presentation to recovery. They will gain a unique insight into how patients interact with a variety of healthcare professionals and what it's like to work in an NHS multidisciplinary team.

Students will have the opportunity to interact with healthcare professionals throughout each day. This will empower students to make an informed career decision and demonstrate their commitment to healthcare in their UCAS applications in Year 13. Students will receive certificates as evidence of having participated in the work experience programme. Those that complete the full 5-month programme will also be awarded Highly Commended References.

Students can register individually at any time throughout the 5-month programme using the link below. We recommend booking early to gain as much out of this programme as possible. Places are £10 a session to cover administrative and technological costs.



The latest issue of Careermag for Parents is here to help parents, carers and guardians to support their young people along the way!

This issue covers lots of tips for post 16 and 18 options, the UCAS application key dates, talking careers with your children and much more!





## UNIVERSITY OF HERTFORDSHIRE VIRTUAL EVENTS

University of Hertfordshire

Join the University of Hertfordshire to have your questions answered. Be inspired by taster lectures, industry talks, masterclasses.

- Philosophy Masterclass: Meditations on Descartes 13 October 2022, 17:00 18:00
- Parent/Guardian information evening: Application & student finance 20 October 2022, 19:00 19:45
- Study skills: Academic writing and referencing 27 October 2022, 16:30 17:15
- Nutrition & Dietetics: How do you know you are healthy? 02 November 2022, 17:00 18:00
- Geography & Environment: Green Belts 03 November 2022, 17:00 18:00
- Study skills: Research Methods 10 November 2022, 16:30 17:15



MOULTON COLLEGE ARE HOSTING A SELECTION OF OPEN DAYS AND TASTER SESSIONS FOR STUDENTS CURRENTLY IN YEAR 11. PLEASE CLICK ON THE LINK TO EXPLORE YOUR CHILDS OPTIONS AT MOULTON COLLEGE NEXT YEAR.

Seeing the facilities at NORTHAMPTON COLLEGE in-person is the best way to get a taste of college life. Follow the link to join them for an open event, campus tour or advice session.

## brownejacobson

#### Parent & Guardian Session 6:00pm - 7pm

Browne Jacobson are running a parent / guardian session. This will follow on from the student day time event they are running. The parent / guardian event will discuss the kinds of careers within the legal industry, legal apprenticeships and where to find them and a Q&A to wrap things up.

Click on the link above to register for the Parent & Guardian Session.

#### Browne Jacobson Law Work Experience

Tuesday 25th October 9:00am - 4:30pm

Browne Jacobson are hosting the biggest online student legal work experience of the year.

Learn how to stand out from the crowd, Get insider information on what law school doesn't teach you, Know what in-house legal teams value most (from their own teams and from their law firm supply chain!)

Decide what the best route is for you (LPC, SQE, Pupillage, Apprenticeship, etc.) Know where to look for (and how to access) work experience opportunities in the legal profession.



SPEAKERS FOR SCHOOLS LOTS OF EXCITING SESSIONS AND OPPORTUNITIES AVAILABLE FOR STUDENTS. INCLUDING...

CREATIVE OPPORTUNITIES

INSIGHT SESSIONS WITH SANTANDER AND NHS

WORLD CUP OF CAREERS - NOVEMBER 2022

NATIONAL TEEN BOOK CLUB - THE NEXT COHORT!

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## **OOKING FOR MO**

Find out more here. Quote PL-4203 when booking.

CHECK OUR OUR PROSECTUS' BELOW TO FIND MORE OPPORTUNITIES WITH BUSINESSES, INSPIRATIONAL TALKS AND ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES...



EVERY WEDNESDAY FROM THE 9TH -30TH NOVEMBER OUR NATIONAL TEEN BOOK CLUB IS READING ONE OF US IS LYING, A BOOK BY KAREN M.MCMANUS AND NOW A MAJOR NETFLIX SERIES.

CLICK HERE TO SIGN UP A GROUP OF STUDENTS OR FOR MORE INFORMATION ON OUR BOOK CLUBS!



UCATION PROSPECTUS



STUDENT/PARENT PROSPECTUS



### <u>UNIFROG</u> Parent access

Parent log ins for Unifrog are now available and can be accessed and set up. To access <u>Unifrog</u> as a parent, please click <u>here</u> and use the code

#### NRSGParents

Year 7 will be issued with their Unifrog log ins this term and will use Unifrog in the their PSHE lessons. This will enable them to explore careers and jobs that they are interested in knowing more about.



As a school, we are delighted to be using Unifrog for careers across the school.

Unifrog is the complete destinations platform – a one-stop-shop for students across KS3, KS4 and KS5 regardless of their interests or academic ability.

It has a wealth of resources for all students to access and can be used to search for university courses, apprenticeships, summer schools and much more. This is an excellent addition to our careers provision at NSG and one which is being used widely across the school.

## ASPIRE HIGHER



As a school we work closely with the Aspire Higher Programme at the University of Northampton which connects local schools and colleges with universities and employers, helping students and parents to access opportunities.

#### Coming Soon...

### The Saturday Creative Writing Club (Y9 & Y10)

Date and time: Saturday's October – May during term time only, 10am-1pm Location: Waterside Campus

The Creative Writing Club gives students an opportunity to experience creative writing with University academics. Students will have the opportunity to explore a variety of genres and how to express their ideas in writing. Once the applications for this club are open, these will be shared with parents via Edulink. If your child is interested in creative writing, this is a fantastic opportunity and well worth applying for!



#### LEVEL UP IN LIFE

Welcome to ASPIRE HIGHERS exciting, new edutainment game, Level Up In Life. Take a journey from Level 3 qualifications (A levels and BTEC) through choosing a University course, completing a degree and getting started in a graduate career. Along the way, practise avoiding distractions (and practise your concentration at the same time!), solve dilemmas you might come across in student life and find out about a wide range of possible careers you might never have considered.

Once you have lots of ideas from playing Level up in Life, check out your own possible journey to find out what works best for you.

## CyberFirst Girls Competition

The CyberFirst Girls Competition aims to support girls interested in a career in cyber security. The competition is a team event, with each team made up of 4 students from Year 8.

If you are interested in this event and have a team of 4 friends, please email mmartin@nsg.northants.sch.uk

### More info can be found here.



## Post 16 Dates

UCAS: Year 13 students are currently refining their personal statements for UCAS. The internal deadline for UCAS applications is 1st December to enable forms to be submitted before Christmas. Tutors are in the process of writing students' references to support these applications.

Medic Mentor events are being shared by Mrs Ashton regularly to support students interested in medicine, dentistry or allied healthcare professions. Please email Mrs Ashton with any questions yashton@nsg.northants.sch.uk

## NSG CAREERS Hub



For a wealth of information on careers, opportunities, apprenticeships, T levels and much more... visit the <u>NSG Careers Hub</u>

