

Careers@Keswick: Thursday 10th June 2021

And so the last half-term of what has been a very odd school year has begun. This is my favourite term as the school corridors are less busy, the mood is lighter, the weather is warmer, and there is a real buzz, an air of excitement and anticipation.



Don't forget to head over to the school website for further information:

<https://www.keswick.cumbria.sch.uk/curriculum/careers-and-work-experience>

All the past Careers Bulletins are there, as well as a special Parents section. If you feel it is missing anything, pop me an email and I will get onto it.

I can be contacted on melanieavery@keswick.cumbria.sch.uk if you have any further questions.

Summer Reading Challenge: (Years 11 – 13)

The Summer Reading Challenge is a national initiative to maintain children's literacy levels during the school holiday break.

As part of this, Cumbria libraries are looking for volunteers aged 16 - 24 to support the programme. They are definitely short on applications in Allerdale, possibly in other areas too.

The closing date was **Friday 4th June** but they are still accepting applications.

Please contact Deborah Naylor for more information: Deborah.Naylor@inspira.org.uk

PathwayCTM Parent Event

Companies are still hiring! During this event, you will be hearing from employees and apprentices from companies such as ISE, BT, PWC and UBS on how their apprenticeship programmes and assessment days are working post-COVID.

There will be a live Q&A session at the end where you can speak to the employers about the current job market and ask any questions you have regarding your children.

Influence the Influencers - featuring ISE, BT, PWC, & UBS

Thursday, 24 June | 6pm – 7pm

Register here: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/influence-the-influencers-featuring-ise-bt-pwc-ubs-tickets-154320108599>

Leeds University Outreach Events:

Girls into Geoscience June 28th - 30th 2021

This two day, online event will introduce girls from GCSE to A level to the Geosciences through a mixture of activities such as mini lectures, workshops and virtual fieldtrips.

This event brings together women from industry, government bodies, academia and High Schools in order to highlight and promote the role Geoscience has in our society and its potential to be an exciting and worthwhile subject and career to pursue for women.

Girls into Geoscience has grown from an initial concept at the University of Plymouth, with events now present in Ireland, Wales and Scotland. It is a fantastic, supportive network that the University of Leeds is now a part of.

Janus Henderson Investment Insight Day: (Years 9 – 13)

Calling All Students – Especially Year 13s interested in a Gap Year!

Weds, 16th June 6pm – 7pm

At this virtual Insight Event students will get a chance to hear from the Janus Henderson Team and understand more about their competitive careers that are open for applications!

Sign up here: [Investment and Asset Management featuring Janus Henderson - Insight Event Tickets, Wed 16 Jun 2021 at 18:00 | Eventbrite](#)

Registration for this year's event closes on **18th June**, booking can be made by individual students [here](#)
Find out more about the event [here](#)
Students have been emailed this information.

Local Work Experience Opportunities: (Years 10 and 11)

The Centre for Leadership Performance in Cockermouth are offering 2 very exciting online work experience programmes.

ProjX Programme in General

The ProjX programme is designed and delivered in partnership with a range of local business partners and funded by Sellafield Ltd. This innovative online work awareness programme allows students the opportunity to work with a range of industry experts offering an insight into the range of roles and skills needed to deliver against any professional project.

The programme provides students with an opportunity to develop and hone a range of skills and explore different interests as it provides exposure to a range of businesses, job roles and skills sets. This will help develop a number of transferable skills, including communication, problem solving, leadership & teamwork as well as the use of online platforms which have become more relevant to the modern way of working.

ProjX Arts: Monday 21st – Friday 25th June 2021 (Year 11)

The sector focus for this ProjX will be arts and culture. The students will work with Theatre by the Lake and associated organisations including the University of Cumbria, Carnegie and independent artists to look at strategies to increase community engagement with the Theatre post Covid. They will meet a range of professionals who work in different areas within this sector.

You need to act fast for this: closing date for applications is **15th June**.

ProjX Summer: Monday 19th - Friday 23rd July 2021 (Years 10 and 11)

The Summer ProjX will focus on a real life Town Regeneration project taking place in Workington. Students will work in teams with professionals from the Borough Council and meet a range of other business partners on live video calls each morning throughout the programme.

The project culminates in the students presenting their final ideas to the business partners via an online meeting at the end of the week.

The closing date for applications is **12th July**. I have attached flyers for both programmes.

The links to apply online are embedded in the flyer but for reference:

ProjX Arts - <https://forms.gle/vt5jKV5p4L5uXfCUA>

Summer ProjX - <https://forms.gle/xw4rHx74FXqa71oN6>

My Kinda Future Virtual Work Experience: (Years 10 – 13)

TCS Digital Explorers 2021 - 28th June-1st July 2021

Tata Consultancy Services (TCS) would like to offer Year 10-12 students access to a range of live events as part of their award winning 'Digital Explorers' programme.

Students interested in the technology/digital sector will have the unique chance to attend a total of four daily live events that last between 1-1.5 hours featuring digital experts and speakers. To learn more about the events see the attached flyer

The closing date is: **Monday 21st June 2021**

Register here:

<https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSdGoqEZ5oWrb6YKsH8d4oNC3i4XD5DTArDYEPg7Gyh2XXqyw/viewform>

National Grid Virtual Work Experience 5th - 9th July 2021

Multinational energy company National Grid are offering Year 12/13 students the chance to participate in a five day virtual work experience. Focusing on sustainability, students will learn more about what National Grid are doing to help the UK reach Net-Zero by 2030, meet employees through live daily sessions and access employability skills content.

There will be two hours of live content daily (09:00-10:00 & 13:00-14:00pm) with the remaining time designed to be flexible to fit around other commitments.

The programme is open to all students including those interested in a career in the energy sector! Students can sign-up using the link below, they will then be prompted to fill in a short application form (this should take no longer than ten minutes).

Sign up here: <https://nationalgrid.connectr.co.uk/VWEX/>

Carlisle College Open Evening: (Years 10 – 12)

Carlisle College are holding a face-to-face Open Evening on **Thursday 24th June** at the college, **between 4pm and 7pm**. All courses will be available to speak to, and a chance to visit the different subject areas/workshops.

Register your interest, through this link: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/carlisle-college-open-evening-advice-session-thursday-24th-june-2021-tickets-155760540971> .

Speakers For Schools Live Broadcasts (Years 7 – 13)

WEEK STARTING MONDAY 14th June

<p>Tues 15th June 5-6pm</p> <p>LINK TO JOIN</p>	<p>Grierson Trust panel event with David DeHaney, Former Trustee and Creative Director of production company Proper Content (who made <i>The School That Tried to End Racism</i>) and Rashida Josiah, freelance Senior Researcher for TV and worked on shows like <i>First Dates</i> and <i>The Circle</i>.</p> <p>For KS4-5</p>	<p>Interested in working in TV when you're older? Want to know how to get into the industry, or hear more about how television and filmmaking can drive forward positive social change? Join us for a panel event with The Grierson Trust, a registered charity that exists to promote documentary filmmaking. The Grierson Trust celebrates the work of documentary-maker, John Grierson and runs Grierson DocLab training and mentoring programmes to help people progress in the industry. The organisation is also responsible for the annual British Documentary Awards, more fondly known as the Griersons.</p>
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HOW TO JOIN THE LIVE BROADCASTS

- Join 10 minutes before the broadcast to be ready
- You can join without needing an account – [Watch how here](#)
- For full speaker descriptions visit the [Broadcast Schedule here](#)

LIVE BROADCASTS LIBRARY & MORE

- Watch pre-recorded broadcasts from their library [here](#)

Speakers For Schools Virtual Work Experience Opportunities (Years 9 – 13)

A reminder for all students applying to put **Mrs Avery** down as their teacher reference please.

New this week are: **Featured Insight Days:**

Bentley Insight Day - Manufacturing

(Bentley Motors)

18th August 10:00 – 15:00

Age: 16 - 18

<http://www.s4snextgen.org/Opportunities/View/id/1831>

Deadline: 30th June

The Lowry – Insight Day

(The Lowry)

6th July 10:00 – 15:00

Age: 14 - 16

<http://www.s4snextgen.org/Opportunities/View/id/1822>

Deadline: 18th June

Law Insight Day - with Award Winning Horwich Cohen Coghlan Solicitors

(Horwich Cohen Solicitors)

7th July 10:00 – 15:00

Age: 14 - 16

<http://www.s4snextgen.org/Opportunities/View/id/1685>

Deadline: 11th June

Insight Day To Learn Financial Life Skills

(Keep the Cash LTD)

18th August 10:00 – 14:00

Age: 14-15

<http://www.s4snextgen.org/Opportunities/View/id/1712>

Deadline: 11th June

Featured Virtual Work Experience:

A TalkTalk Virtual Work Experience Programme - Part of Predict `21

(Talktalk)

6th – 7th July 10:00 – 15:00

Age: 14-16

<http://www.s4snextgen.org/Opportunities/View/id/1855>

Deadline: 11th June

Auto Trader Life - Discover the World of a Digital Business - Part of Predict `21

(Autotrader)

13th – 14th July 9:30 – 15:00

Age: 14-16

<https://www.s4snextgen.org/Opportunities/View/id/1771>

Deadline: 24th June

Please find attached a list of their upcoming events.

For a full list of placements - [sign in here to search and apply.](#)

Last Week or Still Open:

All details are in previous bulletins in the Careers section of the school website:

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- **Kendal College: (Years 10 – 12) Open Evening: Thursday 24 June, Y9-13**
- **Allied Healthcare Society (Years 10 – 12) Every Wednesday evening**
- **UK University & Apprenticeship Search Virtual Fair (Years 10 - 13) Wednesday 16 June 12:00-18:00**

- **My Kinda Future Summer Work Experience Opportunities (Years 9 -13)**
- **Cumbria Future Leaders (Years 11 – 13)**
- **University of Cumbria: (Years 11-13)**
Masterclasses
 - **Theatre and Performance Workshops** *11th June and 8th July*
 - **Making Mistakes to Succeed** *14th June*
 - **Time Management and Managing Procrastination** – *18th June & 6th July*
- **Amazing Apprenticeships Latest Information (Parents)**
 - **Parents' and Carers' Apprenticeship Information Pack May Issue**
<https://amazingapprenticeships.com/resource/parents-pack-may-21/>
 - **The Parent Perspective Podcast**
<https://amazingapprenticeships.com/the-parent-perspective-podcast/>
- **International University Fair (Years 10 – 13 and Parents) June 17th**
- **Apprenticeship Information Webinars (Years 10 – 13) 16th June**
- **RWE Virtual Taster Day (Years 10 – 13) 23rd June**
- **Medic Mentor Medicine, Vet and Dentistry Virtual Work Experience Days (Years 10 – 12) May/June**
- **Allied Healthcare Virtual Work Experience Day (Years 10 – 13)**