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## JUNE 2021 - CAREERS NEWS

Welcome to the June addition of the Collingwood Careers monthly newsletter where you will find information, advice and links.

### Website

This is a work in progress and information is being added all the time. Your feedback is always welcomed and if there is anything you feel should be included or you need more information email [careers@collingwood.surrey.sch.uk](mailto:careers@collingwood.surrey.sch.uk)

Founders4Schools

I am pleased to share details for you to register for our national [Virtual Careers Jam](#) on **June 8th, from 10am - 4pm**, supporting delivery of **Gatsby Benchmarks 2, 5, 6 and 7**.

Although the day is designed to hop in and out as it suits, so it is not essential to attend the whole day, it is packed with opportunities for students to explore the career options available to them, engage with prospective employers and gain confidence in taking their next steps towards employment.

You can also benefit by visiting the Educator and Parents Zone with CPD opportunities, guidance on free tools and partners to support your delivery of careers education.

On the day, students can:

- Take part in an interactive **employability workshop with Google**
- Join the Live Zone discussions with insight in to **Sustainability, AI and Cyber Security**
- Be inspired by **young innovators** who have secured funding to bring their creations to market
- Sign up for project-led, **virtual work experience placements** to enhance employability
- Learn about the various **career pathways** available to make informed decisions about next steps after school
- Visit virtual booths from **prospective universities, colleges or employers** such as **Hitachi ABB Power Grids, BT and more**.

**Students can register individually** to take their own journey around the interactive platform. Although we are publicly promoting the event to individuals aged 16-24, the event has been designed to benefit students from 14+. This will be a day packed full of careers guidance, inspiration and empowerment - plus, just by attending, you will go in to a **draw to win your class a Microsoft Surface Go 2 tablet worth £400\***.

\*Kindly donated by Kusuma Trust. Winner will be announced at random from those who attend on the day!

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**Sunday 6th June**

## **Live Virtual NHS Healthcare Work Experience**

Good afternoon

As you know some of your students are participating in our [Live Virtual NHS Work Experience for Allied Health Careers](#) this includes:

Nursing, Midwifery, Paramedicine, Physiotherapy, Occupational Therapy, Dietetics, Radiography, Prosthetics and orthotics, Speech and language therapy, Osteopathy, Pharmacy and Podiatry too!

We wanted to remind you the next work experience session date is on **Sunday 6th June**, please do remind all students taking part to register for the next session before Wednesday 3rd June. This programme is available to support all of your aspiring healthcare students as an alternative to in-person NHS work experience during the pandemic. Please inform your students who are interested in the NHS Allied Healthcare Professions.

During the work experience day, students will follow 2 patients from their initial presentation to recovery. Students will observe the healthcare professionals as they interact with the patients and also each other. Students will have an opportunity to ask questions and gain knowledge through teaching.

This will help students to make an informed career decision as well as learn about how healthcare professionals work together as part of a multidisciplinary team. Each work experience day is completely different and students will be able to build on their knowledge of NHS careers as they see different patient cases and their healthcare professionals work in a variety of settings, such as hospital and community.

You can learn more and your students can register for the programme here: <https://alliedhealthmentor.org/nhs-healthcare-careers-virtual-work-experience/>

### **We have made it easier to register**

Students will also receive certificates as evidence of having participated in the work experience programme. Students can register individually through the website link below. Places are just £10 a day to cover administrative costs and run the tech on the day.

**WORK  
SHOP**

Careers Guidance  
for 18-24 year olds  
in Surrey Heath

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# Surrey Heath

Surrey Heath Youth Hub—providing career support to young people.

The Project, in partnership with Job Centre Plus, will support young people aged between 18-24 find work and give them career advice.

The Hub WILL BE BASED IN The Square Camberley, and will bring businesses and potential employees together to discuss opportunities around Surrey Heath.

Organisations including the NHS, Gordon Murray Automotive and BAE Systems Apprentices will provide support in key skills, along with workshops, seminars and one-to-one support.



## 2021 - LOOKING FOR WORK? CAMBERLEY & DISTRICT JOB CLUB

*"We are here to help you through this difficult time".*

- 1. Help with CVs**
- 2. Job Applications**
- 3. Training Advice**
- 4. The Local Job Market**
- 5. Friendly Support**



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**[camberleycentraljobclub@gmail.com](mailto:camberleycentraljobclub@gmail.com)**

**[www.camberleydistrictjobclub.org.uk](http://www.camberleydistrictjobclub.org.uk)**

*We are an established group of supportive and friendly volunteers, with 10 years' experience helping local job seekers. We work closely with Job Centre Plus and many other local organizations. Our Work Advisors will connect with you over the telephone or Zoom until we are able to reopen our drop in sessions again – Monday mornings at High Cross Church, Camberley.*



Journalism: [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GetY1ek\\_zc8](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=GetY1ek_zc8)

Gaming: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1gX3Ym5Kfsg>

Music Business: <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=gffluUA2gBE>



Radio 1 Connects careers session - Music Industry



Radio 1 Connects careers session - Gaming Industry



Radio 1 Connects careers session - Journalism



We will help them to boost their career prospects in the creative industry -



## FREE Virtual Work Experience event!

Your students are invited to our exciting, new, two-day Virtual Work Experience. This event will be the perfect opportunity to help students stand out from the crowd and gain invaluable knowledge and skills about the creative industry.

Our programme is designed to boost their employability and start to expand their professional network, meeting industry professionals from the likes of Animator Vine FX, Industrial Light & Magic and One of Us. They will share their own experiences of breaking into the world of work and let the students in on the skills they needed to excel in their careers. Check out the programme...

### Programme Details

**Dates:** 13th - 14th July

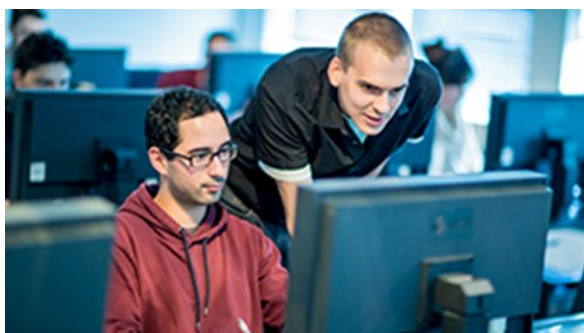
**Location:** Online

**Time:** 12pm - 4pm

**Cost:** Free

[BOOK NOW](#)

Our programme is also aligned with the [Gatsby Benchmarks](#)



### Tuesday 13th July

Gain valuable insights into the world of VFX, Animation and Games.

Hear first-hand from industry professionals including **Animator Vine FX** and **Industrial Light & Magic** on how they secured and excel in their creative roles.

Learn the top tips to getting the students foot into the industry and starting a job.

### Wednesday 14th July

Explore the different career routes into the screen industries.

Hear first-hand from industry professionals including **One of Us** and **Escape Studios** on how they secured their roles.

Learn top tips to succeed in the industry and the importance of developing their soft skills including teamwork, communication and problem solving.

# Uptree Work Experience Opportunities

STEM	
<b>Date:</b> Thu 6 May (9am-5pm) <b>Req's:</b> Year 12/13 <b>Location:</b> Online <b>No. of places:</b> 30 <i>Priority given to students in the West Midlands.</i>	

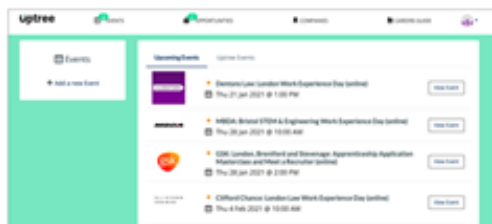
Interested in any [Uptree](#) opportunities?

Register for a FREE [Uptree](#) account here:

<https://uptree.co/a/signup/student/>

Once set up, click on 'events' and then register with a short motivation statement

Advertising & Marketing	
<b>Date:</b> Thu 11 May (10am-1pm) <b>Req's:</b> Year 12/13 <b>Location:</b> Online <b>No. of places:</b> 30 <i>Priority given to students in London.</i>	



All personal details are kept confidential in line with our privacy policy.

## Virtual Work Experience



<https://www.springpod.co.uk/virtual-work-experience>

## Year 10 only Careers Interview

During the summer term I will be offering careers interviews in college. We also have the Higher Education Outreach Team from Royal Holloway University available on Teams to offer remote interviews. They will meet virtually with a selection of our Year 10 students throughout the day to discuss individual pathways for Post 16 study. In the light of these interviews, the team will work with the College to design a programme for next academic year to help students make the right decisions for their future studies.

If your son/daughter would like to request an interview can you please ask them to complete the form available here [Link](#) or use the QR code.



# Year 7 – looking for something to do this summer – why not visit Kidzania. What is KidZania?

A scaled city replica of real life for children from 4-14 years, designed to empower and inspire. Let their minds run free as we combine play with learning through interactive role-play, in a range of job professions! From firefighters and pilots, to journalists and TV presenters, just like any other city we need these jobs to keep everything running!

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=7pkQzmmwJv0>

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## Year 11 and 12 only

Dear all – this is an amazing opportunity. A chance to get out, make friends and have fun – all at a very low cost. Don't miss out, make the most of this summer.

Have a look at the website.

<https://wearencs.com/summer>

The banner features the NCS logo in the top left corner. On the right, there is a search icon, a 'Contact us' link, and social media icons for Instagram, Snapchat, YouTube, Twitter, and Facebook. Below these is a navigation bar with links: 'THE EXPERIENCE', 'FIND A PROGRAMME', 'FAQS', 'CONNECT', 'ABOUT NCS', and 'REGISTER NOW'. The main image shows a group of diverse young people standing on a beach, with the text 'YOUR SUMMER STARTS HERE' overlaid in large white letters. At the bottom, there are three buttons: 'SUMMER 21 PROGRAMMES ON SALE', 'REGISTER NOW', and 'LIVE CHAT'.

**Speakers for Schools** is working with top UK employers to offer students more meaningful work experience opportunities. We are now recruiting for several remote work experience placements and insight days that we think will be of interest to your students.

**New Virtual Work Experience Opportunities:**

**Thames Water- Technology Revolution**

Date: 24th June 2021

Eligibility: 14 – 19 year olds.

Application Deadline: 29th May 2021

**British Army**

Dates: 22rd June 2021

Eligibility: 14 – 19 year olds interested in how technology is used in the Army.

Application Deadline: 26th May 2021

**Santander**

Dates: 30th June 2021

Eligibility: 14 -19 year olds.

Application Deadline: 30th May 2021

**NHS Improvement**

Dates: 24th June 2021

Eligibility: 14 -19 year olds.

Application Deadline: 3rd June 2021

**Turner & Townsend**

Dates: 8th July 2021

Eligibility: 14 -19 year olds

Application Deadline: 8th June 2021

**Cavendish Nuclear**

Dates: 8th July 2021

Eligibility: 14 -19 year olds

Application Deadline: 8th June 2021

**MIRA Technology Institute**

Dates: 8th July 2021

Eligibility: 14 -19 year olds

Application Deadline: 8th June 2021

**British Airways**

Dates: 29th June- 1st July 2021

Eligibility: 14 -19 year olds interested in engineering.

Application Deadline: 31st May 2021

**Digital Advantage**

Dates: 6th July 2021

Eligibility: 14 -19 year olds

Application Deadline: 11th June 2021

**FinTrU**

Dates: 21st-23rd June 2021

Eligibility: 16 -19 year olds interested in technology.

Application Deadline: 4th June 2021



## **All Year 13 and 11 students – LinkedIn**

Good luck on your next stage of life be it at Collingwood or beyond. Don't forget we will always be here for you if you need advice.

Remember to sign up with LinkedIn and include Collingwood in your education section to you join the exclusive and increasingly growing Alumni, now at over 2000.



### **COLLINGWOOD COLLEGE**

Collingwood College is a school located in Camberley, Surrey with a committed, loyal and talented staff.  
Camberley, Surrey · 1,999+ alumni · 245 followers

Please find attached links to the recent careers event and broadcasts from Surrey Heartlands Health and Care Partnership which are now available to watch on-demand.

Surrey Heartlands Virtual Careers Event held on 21/04/2021 - <https://learnliveuk.com/partner/discover-a-career-in-health-and-care/>

We also have a programme of shorter careers broadcasts that are being delivered to schools and colleges via Learn Live. Links to the broadcasts we have delivered since January 2021 are below and there are a further five planned for later this year further details to come shortly:

<https://learnliveuk.com/350-careers-in-the-nhs/>

<https://learnliveuk.com/health-careers-live-allied-health-professionals/>

<https://learnliveuk.com/health-careers-live-nursing/>

# PURE POTENTIAL

### **PERSONAL STATEMENT LIBRARY - FREE ACCESS FOR ALL**

On our website students, parents and teachers alike have free access to a personal statement library of hundreds of annotated past personal statements. While finalising their final drafts of their statement, it can be really helpful to look at others for inspiration and guidance. You can access it here (no login required) here: <http://purepotential.org/personal-statements/> for statements from Accounting to Zoology.

### **EVENTS & OPPORTUNITIES FOR SIXTH FORMERS**

Check out this page: <http://purepotential.org/events-opportunities/> for listings of events - both face-to-face and virtual - where your sixth formers can explore degree subjects through mock lectures, university life through campus visits, find out about funding, and more. We have listings from a range of universities as well as organisations such as the Sutton Trust, Prime and upReach. All of the opportunities on our page are completely free of charge.