



DRAMA STUDENTS ENJOY PERFORMANCE WORKSHOP

On Friday 3 March our A Level Drama students took part in a performance workshop at Reading Rep Theatre. During this workshop, our students had the opportunity to work on building tension in performance and adapting texts for a modern audience. They also had the chance to watch a production of Hedda Gabler (play written by Norwegian playwright Henrik Ibsen), starring Anna Popplewell as Hedda.

The workshop was led by experienced professionals in the performance arts industry, who challenged our students to think creatively and develop their skills in performance. The students learned about the importance of building tension in performance and were given the chance to explore techniques such as pacing, tone and body language to create a sense of anticipation in their performances.

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FROM THE ACTING PRINCIPAL ...

Snow Closure

Following heavy snow yesterday morning we unfortunately had to make the difficult decision on health and safety grounds to close the College. However, I am pleased to say that work by the site team throughout the day and rising temperatures have enabled us to clear high-traffic areas of snow and restore the site to a safe condition.

Production

Being based in Kingston building is an added bonus at this time of the year as I have been able to hear a taste of the fabulous rehearsals for our production 'SIX'. I would urge you to book your seat as soon as possible so as not to miss out on this wonderful evening of Collingwood talent. Please see our flyer at the end of the newsletter with the dates of the performances.

Industrial Action

As you will be aware, following my newsletter article on Wednesday 1 March, I have been consulting with our staff union representatives about further industrial action. There is no requirement for staff members to inform me in advance if they will be taking action on these days. Following our risk assessment analysis and modelling, assuming that similar numbers of staff who took strike action on Thursday 2 March will strike on Wednesday 15 and Thursday 16 March, then we will not be able to keep the College fully open. I have therefore made the decision that we will again need a partial closure but that we will be able to accommodate three year groups safely over these two days as outlined on Page 3.

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY - DON'T MISS OUT!

- Thursday 9 March:** Year 9 DTP/Men ACWY Immunisations, 8.00am until 2.00pm, Kingston Theatre
Year 8 Parents' Evening (Virtual), 4.15pm until 8.00pm
- Monday 13 March:** Production (Six), 7.30pm until 9.00pm, Kingston Theatre
- Tuesday 14 March:** Production (Six), 7.30pm until 9.00pm, Kingston Theatre
- Friday 17 March:** Non-uniform Day in Support of Comic Relief (Red Nose Day)
Production (Six), 7.30pm until 9.00pm, Kingston Theatre
- Saturday 18 March:** Production (Six) Matinee Performance, 2.00pm until 3.30pm, Kingston Theatre
Production (Six), 7.30pm until 9.00pm, Kingston Theatre

ATTENDANCE - LEAVE OF ABSENCE/ HOLIDAY REQUESTS

Just to remind parents/carers that if they take their children out of school without authority, they will be liable to receive a penalty notice. Currently the amount payable under a penalty notice is £60.00 per parent/carer per child if paid within 21 days. Thereafter the amount increases to £120.00 if paid between 21 and 28 days. If the penalty notice remains unpaid after 28 days, the Local Authority will consider a prosecution in the Magistrates Court. Please note that penalty notices are issued per parent/carer per child so a family of two parents and two children will receive 4 penalty notices.

Year 11 English Revision Sessions Spring Term 2023

Date	Session Spring Term Foci: Approaches to an exam question including exemplar responses	
14 March NO THEATRE	Jekyll and Hyde - Mrs Woods (Q6)	A Christmas Carol - Mrs Tidley (S1)
21 March	Language Paper 2, Section A - Mr Roberts (Kingston Theatre)	
28 March	Language Paper 2, Section B - Mr Baird (Kingston Theatre)	



Tuesdays - 3.15pm – 4.00pm
KINGSTON THEATRE



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Year Groups to Attend College on Wednesday 15 March

- ◆ Year 11
- ◆ Year 12
- ◆ Year 13

Year Groups to Attend College on Thursday 16 March

- ◆ Year 10
- ◆ Year 12
- ◆ Year 13

Year 10, Year 11 and Sixth Form students are still to attend College as outlined above and will follow their normal timetabled lessons on Wednesday 15 March and Thursday 16 March. However, striking staff do not have to set work in their absence so students will be encouraged to bring independent learning materials with them to College on this day so they can make a productive use of the time in such lessons. All coaches will be running as normal as will catering facilities.

Year Groups to Remain at Home on Wednesday 15 March

- ◆ Year 7
- ◆ Year 8
- ◆ Year 9
- ◆ Year 10

Year Groups to Remain at Home on Thursday 16 March

- ◆ Year 7
- ◆ Year 8
- ◆ Year 9
- ◆ Year 11

For Years 7-11, work will be provided via OneNote in some cases but there will be no live lessons. Given the significant number of NEU members of staff, please expect such provision to be very limited, however we will guide the students to generic work on these days to support their learning and future revision. An Edulink message will be sent to all students next week.

Again, like on Thursday 2 March and subject to capacity, we will endeavour to accommodate vulnerable students and children of critical workers on site. For us to assess demand, parents/carers of vulnerable students and those who are critical workers, are asked to click on the link below and complete the Microsoft Form by no later than midday on Monday 13 March 2023 if they are interested in utilising the on-site provision.

Industrial Action Provision - Microsoft Form

I am sorry that you have had to make alternative arrangements for yesterday and Wednesday 15 and 16 March, and I would like to reassure you that I have not taken these decisions lightly, but the health, safety and welfare of students and staff are of paramount importance to me. I am sure you understand the situation we are in, and I would again like to thank you in advance for your support.

Miss Watling - Acting Principal

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In addition to working on performance skills, our students also had the opportunity to learn about adapting texts for a modern audience. This involved understanding the context of the original text and making creative decisions about how to update it for a contemporary audience.

The students' enthusiasm and creativity were palpable throughout the workshop, and it was inspiring to see how they embraced the challenge of developing new skills and approaches to performance.

The day was made even more special by the opportunity to watch a production of Hedda Gabler, which was a fantastic showcase of the skills that the students had learned during the workshop. Anna Popplewell's performance was particularly impressive, and it was inspiring to see our students engage with such a powerful and thought-provoking piece of theatre.

We believe that this workshop was an incredible opportunity for our A Level students to expand their knowledge and develop essential skills in the performance arts. We are excited to see how they will apply these skills in their studies and beyond, and are confident that they will continue to achieve great things.

We would like to express our thanks to Reading Rep Theatre for providing our students with this incredible opportunity, and to our students for their enthusiastic participation and dedication to their studies. Our thanks must also go to Mrs Goggin for kindly agreeing to drive the minibus, enabling our students to take part.

Mr Green - Performing Arts Department

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ON BEHALF OF SURREY COUNTY COUNCIL: SAFER TRAVEL SCHOOL SURVEY

Collingwood is assisting Surrey County Council's Safer Travel Team to undertake research with parents on students' types of travel to and from school. This follows the huge success that the previous survey had, with over 170 schools taking part in last year's survey.

As a direct result of the previous surveys Surrey County Council has secured an additional £3 million funding to improve measures outside schools to make walking and cycling and scooting to school easier and safer.

The objective of the research is to develop a better understanding of the different types of travel, how frequently they're used and why that type is used. Once the Safer Travel Team has collected and analysed this information provided by parents, its goal is to obtain a better understanding of journeys to school, so it can continue encouraging safer and more active travel to school for all children in Surrey.

Please could I ask that you review and complete the survey using the link below or the QR code to the right. The deadline for completion of the survey is **11.59pm on 31 March 2023** and the survey should be completed for each child that attends Collingwood. If you have another child who attends a separate secondary school, please complete another survey which will be coming out shortly.

<https://www.surreysays.co.uk/environment-and-infrastructure/10d4f4fa>



Thank you for continuing to support Collingwood to improve students' journeys to school.

YEAR 7 DOUBLE CUP DELIGHT!

District Cup Round 1

On Monday 27 February the Year 7 boys football team travelled to the Salesian College (Farnborough) to compete in the first round of the District Cup

On a lovely 3G surface the boys were impressive in overcoming a very determined team who employed some very direct tactics.

Calm and assured play led to a thunderbolt from 25 yards from Freddie Hoare to give us a lead into half time.



Gradually our pressure told, with good hustle by Will Harris setting up Aston Dempsey to nonchalantly slot past their oncoming keeper.

Squad rotation didn't weaken the team at all with Freddie Hoare completing his hat trick just before the end.

Final score: Collingwood 4 Salesian 0



District Cup Quarter Finals

On Monday 6 March the Year 7 team travelled to Bohunt (Liphook) for the District Cup quarter finals.

The boys were after a little payback as Bohunt defeated them in the semi-finals of the District 5-a-side earlier in the year and were determined to give a better account of themselves.

Straight from the kick off the boys set about the pitch with some good quality play. Freddie Hoare was outstanding in midfield and made lots of chances for his team mates. To be fair Bohunt's keeper made some great saves and kept his team

in the game. Numerous opportunities came and went. Bohunt were proving very dangerous on the break – our defence however were very calm and assured as always (with new boy Josh Page slotting in very nicely).

With full time and no score, extra time and penalties loomed.

Up stepped Freddie with a driving run into the box, only to be brought down for a penalty which he converted. The remaining minutes were comfortably seen out by the team.

A thoroughly entertaining game against tricky opponents, with final score Collingwood 1 Bohunt 0.

Next round is against either Court Moor or Eggars. Date TBC.

Squad: Christian Higgs, Leon Jessop, Harry Phillips, Eli Loveday, Freddie Hoare, Jacob Sturt, Adam Robson, Aston Dempsey, Bradley McKinnon, Will Harris, Joshua Mears, Josh Page

Training is on Wednesdays, weather permitting. All are welcome as always.

Mr San Emeterio - Year 7 Football Manager/KS4 Progress Leader

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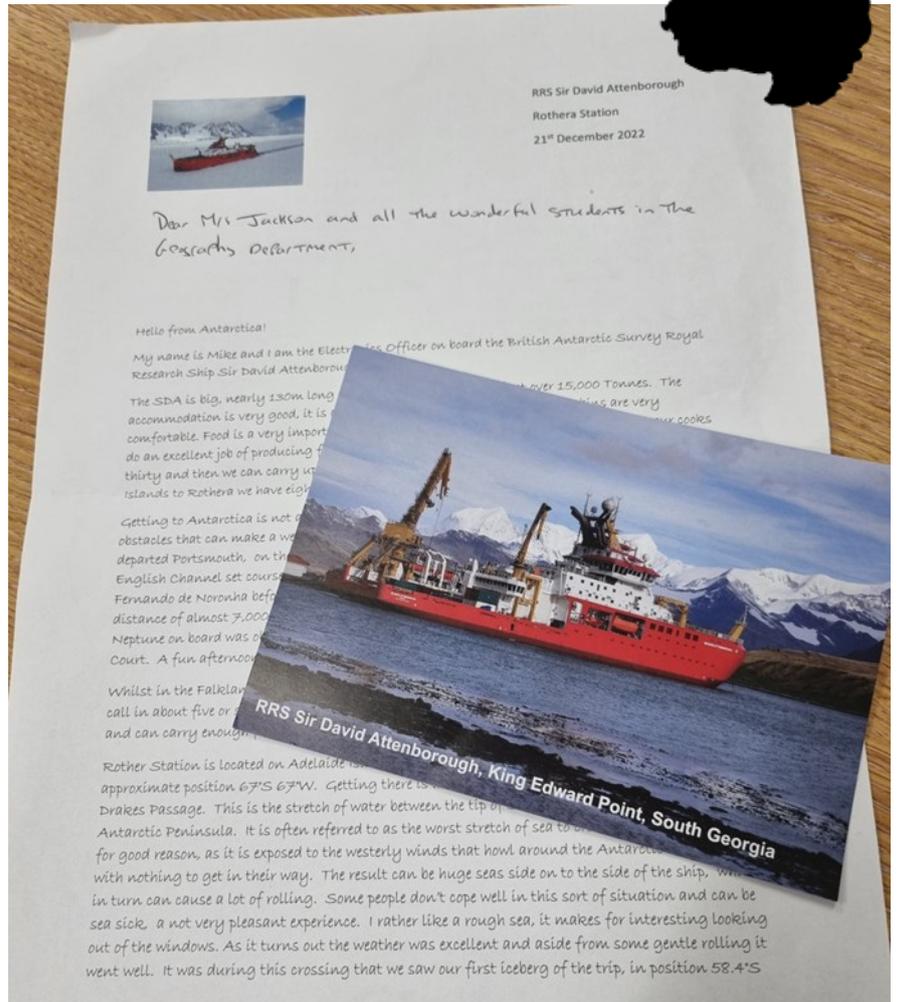


The Geography Department was again lucky to receive a letter from The RRS Sir David Attenborough Research ship as it made its way from Portsmouth to Rothera research Station in Antarctica.

Mike is the Electronics Officer on board the research ship and wrote to us to describe the journey the ship took and what life was like during the 9000 mile journey for the 82 people on board.

In the letter Mike describes the wildlife they saw along the way (flying fish, seals, penguins, birds and a humpback whale), where they saw their first iceberg and that there is an active volcano on Deception Island.

Year 7 students are using the letter in their Geography lessons to find out more about Antarctica and also investigate the range of careers linked to research in Antarctica. On board the RRS Attenborough there are more non-scientists than scientists!



If you would like to find out more about the British Antarctic Survey, visit [About British Antarctic Survey - British Antarctic Survey \(bas.ac.uk\)](http://About British Antarctic Survey - British Antarctic Survey (bas.ac.uk))

Mrs Jackson - Geography Department

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Please address payment envelopes to: 'Newsletter Adverts', c/o Kingston Office and email a copy of your advertisement to tc@collingwood.surrey.sch.uk

We are also happy to advertise goods for sale on behalf of parents and students for £4.00/week.

COMPUTING & IT AT COLLINGWOOD

OXFORD UNIVERSITY COMPUTING CHALLENGE

WHAT IS THE CHALLENGE?

The OUCC Challenge is set by Oxford University with merits and distinctions awarded by the UK Bebras.

In a 40 minute round, pupils were asked to solve as many computational problems as possible. Although the OUCC is designed, the solutions must be created using programming code, and this is where the skills required for computer science come into force.

This year we had 44 students compete in the OUCC, with Arthur Voinescu coming away with a distinction.

Rather than flexing knowledge, the challenge requires contestants to think outside the box to use problem-solving techniques such as abstraction, decomposition and pattern recognition. These are considered the basis of computer science and programming.

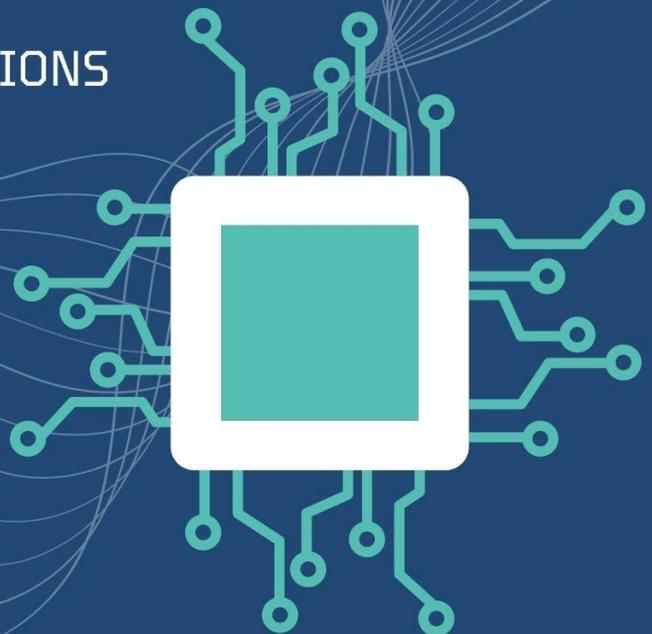


COURSEWORK & DROP IN SESSIONS

iMedia Coursework Catch up Sessions:
Mondays in H21 with Miss Jones

IT Coursework Catch up Sessions:
Mondays in H21 with Miss Jones

Computer Science Drop in sessions:
Mondays and Wednesdays in SFC 114 with
Mr Powell & Mrs Brunton





Library Newsletter



International Women's Day

On the 8 March, the world will be celebrating Women's lives, careers, discovery and achievements and in the library we are following suit.

With the help of our DofE students, we had fun creating a dress made out of book covers written by female authors. Please come and see the result, the dress is displayed on a mannequin at the entrance to the library. During this week, students will be able to complete word searches, colouring and also complete cards, "Name a woman you admire and tell us why?"



NATIONAL PET DAY

National Pet Day will be celebrated in the library during the week commencing 17 April.

Please bring a funny photo of your pet to the library before 28 March. Don't forget to include your name and name and age of the pet.

These will be displayed in the Library.

Careers Week

This week is National Careers week and we have a display of careers books that students can browse through to get ideas for their future.

Can you please encourage your son/daughter to return any overdue library books/DVDs as soon as possible to avoid possible behaviour points. If you have any issues, please email: s.blay@collingwood.surrey.sch.uk

For More Information

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WORK EXPERIENCE NEEDED CAN YOU HELP ?

WE ARE LOOKING FOR PLACEMENTS FOR OUR WORK EXPERIENCE PROGRAMME FOR STUDENTS IN YEAR 10 AND YEAR 12

Our work experience week is from Monday 3rd to Friday 7th July 2023.

We are in search of employers and organisations which will allow our students to gain practical experience and find out what it's really like in a specific field. This will help them make informed choices prior to making applications to further education, apprenticeships or employment.

We would love to hear from you!

For further information, please email Mrs Clelland - e.clelland@collingwood.surrey.sch.uk





YEAR 10 AND 12 WORK EXPERIENCE

Work Experience is a key part of Year 10 and Year 12 and will take place during the week of

Monday 3rd – Friday 7th July 2023

Students should research and apply for suitable work experience placements **NOW!**

Students enter their placement details on **Grofar** an online digital careers passport which helps them to create a careers profile, track their careers activity and skills development, and produce a valuable CV printout.

WORK EXPERIENCE ALLOWS STUDENTS TO

- ✓ Try a job they are interested in for the future
- ✓ Gain skills that will help with future job ideas
- ✓ Improve skills such as communication, team work and problem solving
- ✓ Improve confidence and become more independent



For more information or advice email
WorkExperience@collingwood.surrey.sch.uk

COLLINGWOOD PRODUCTIONS 2023

SIX

TEEN EDITION

By Toby Marlow and Lucy Moss

Monday 13 March - 7.30pm

Tuesday 14 March - 7.30pm

Friday 17 March - 7.30pm

Saturday 18 March - 2pm & 7.30pm

£5 Students

£8 Adults

Book on ParentPay

Doors open 30 minutes prior to performance. There will be no interval.
Refreshments available to purchase prior to performance. Cash only.

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Drama at Collingwood
AMBITIOUS BOLD Collaborative



Rehearsal Schedule

DATE	TIME	INFORMATION
MONDAY 06 FEB	15.05 - 16.30	WHOLE CAST PRINCIPAL CAST & DANCERS UNTIL 17.30
MONDAY 20 FEB	NO REHEARSAL	INSET DAY - NO REHEARSAL
WEDNESDAY 22 FEB	15.05 - 17.30	WHOLE CAST
MONDAY 27 FEB	15.05 - 17.30	WHOLE CAST
WEDNESDAY 01 MARCH	15.05 - 17.30	WHOLE CAST
MONDAY 06 MARCH	15.05 - 17.30	WHOLE CAST
WEDNESDAY 08 MARCH	15.05 - 17.30	WHOLE CAST
SATURDAY 11 MARCH	09.30 - 17.30	PRINCIPAL CAST & PRINCIPAL DANCERS ONLY TECH RUN
SUNDAY 12 MARCH	09.30 - 18.00	WHOLE CAST, DANCERS & ORCHESTRA FULL DRESS REHEARSAL

Please note weekend rehearsal finish times are subject to change. We will communicate via Edulink on the day.

Performing Arts at Collingwood
AMBITIOUS BOLD Collaborative



What's Inside? (Performing Arts)

Our Year 9 LAMDA & Arts Award students recently participated in a Performance Arts taster workshop as part of their options process. During this workshop, the students had an incredible opportunity to learn the song "What's Inside" from the popular musical, Waitress.

The students quickly picked up the tune, and before long, their voices filled the room with the melodic and heartfelt lyrics. In addition to singing, the students were also able to learn some dance moves to accompany the song. The choreography was a mix of contemporary and jazz styles. The students were amazed at how quickly they were able to pick up the moves, and their enthusiasm and energy were palpable throughout the workshop. We believe that this workshop was an excellent opportunity for our Year 9 students to explore their interests in performance arts and develop essential skills such as self-confidence, creativity, and teamwork. These skills will be invaluable as they navigate their options process and begin to make important decisions about their future studies.

Thank you to Miss Ingram for her choreography and Mrs Valu for musical arrangement.



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£8 Adults
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Shows close 30 minutes prior to performance. There will be no interval. Refreshments available to purchase prior to performance. Cash only.

Notices & Reminders

Word of the Week
CHAIR DUETS

Chair duets is when you sit next to a partner and use a series of improvised contact movements. In order to successfully achieve a chair duet there has to be some sort of 'call and response' sense. This means that one will make a movement and the other will follow it; either copying it or reacting to the movement to portray some sort of emotion or story.

- Extra-Curricular**
- Year 7 & 8 Drama Club - Wednesday after college - H32 - Miss Hardicre
 - Year 7 & 8 Dance Club - Wednesday after college - Barossa Studio - Miss Ingram

SIX: TEEN EDITION
CAST INFORMATION

Weds 08/03/2023

ALL CAST

Kingston Theatre

Please check the rehearsal schedule sent out by Mr Green

ROOM CHANGES



Check your Edulink messages for room changes.

FREE TASTER SESSIONS



6-8 WEEKS OF FREE SESSIONS
IN A VARIETY OF SPORTS



SPECSAVERS SURREY YOUTH GAMES IS BACK FOR 2023

Surrey Heath Borough Council is working in partnership with local clubs and coaches to host a variety of sessions which are:

- Beginner Friendly
- Fun
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- Range from ages 7 - 16



For more info and to register, visit surreyheath.gov.uk/SYG

SESSION DETAILS



The Specsavers Surrey Youth Games festival weekend is the largest annual youth sport festival in Surrey. This year the festival will take place at **Surrey Sports Park** in **Guildford** on **Saturday 17th June**.

Sport/Event	School Year	Location	Date	Time
Street Basketball	7-8	Collingwood College	Thur 11 th May - 15 th June	18:30 - 19:30
Inclusive Dance (SEN and disability dance)	3-6	Places Leisure Camberley	Fri 5 th May - 16 th June (no session 2 nd May)	18:00 - 19:00
Girls Tag Rugby	7 - 9	Camberley Rugby Club	Wed 3 rd May - 14 th June (no session 31 st May)	18:00 - 19:00
Swimming referral only	4-6	Places Leisure Camberley	TBC	TBC
Judo	3-7	Camberley Judo Club	Wed 26 th April - 14 th June	18:00 - 18:45
Go-Tri	9-11	Old Dean Youth Centre	Tues 18 th April - 14 th June	18:00 - 20:00
Tennis	7-8	London Road Rec	Sat 6 th May - 10 th June	1-2pm
Boccia	3-11	TBC	TBC	TBC

PLEASE NOTE: If you attend sessions please ensure you will be available to attend the festival day on 17th June.

In order to compete in the Judo competition at the Surrey Youth Games weekend, children are required to hold a licence and to have been graded. However, free training sessions are open to all, including those who do not hold a license or have not been graded.



For more info and to register, visit surreyheath.gov.uk/SYG



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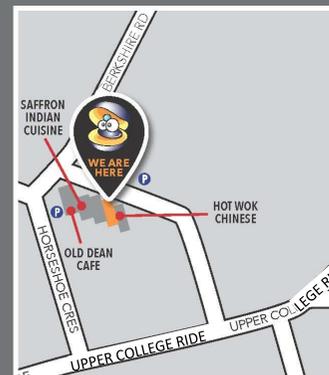
We are very proud of our reputation and tradition and the fact that the Lightwater branch has been serving the surrounding areas from Families, Church groups, Charities and Sporting events.

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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.

Remember, you can use Unifrog and Career Pilot any time to research your career options, take part in quizzes and see which jobs might suit you.

OPPORTUNITIES

March is a busy Month for national events.
Take a look below to read more...



We have International Women's Day on 8th March 2023. Imagine a gender equal world. A world free of bias, stereotypes, and discrimination. A world that's diverse, equitable, and inclusive. A world where difference is valued and celebrated. Together we can forge women's equality. Collectively we can all #EmbraceEquity. Here is a list of IWD events.



We also have National Careers Week from 6th - 11th March. National Careers Week (NCW) is a one-week celebration of careers guidance and free resources in education across the UK. Their aim is to provide a focus for careers guidance activity at an important stage in the academic calendar to help support young people develop awareness and excitement about your future pathways.

You can check out NCW TV to see lots of short films from different employers about what they can offer you. There are also a range of guides, booklets and activities available here.



10th-19th March is British Science Week. This is a ten-day celebration of science, technology, engineering and maths. This year's theme - connections! Check out the activity packs available here. Many employers have arranged events to celebrate and you can see a list of these here.



Lastly, World Book Day is taking place on Thursday 2 March 2023 and the emphasis is on making it YOUR World Book Day. Penguin Books have created some resources that you can use to learn more about being an author, illustrator and comedian.

JOB OF THE WEEK



Farmers and farm managers grow crops and raise farm animals for food production. The annual salary is £21,000 to £50,000 and expect to work 39 to 41 hours a week including evenings and weekends. There will be 4.8% more Farmer jobs in 2027. Click here to read more.

LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION FACT

You may have seen that there have been lots of industries striking recently, including rail, teachers and nurses.

There were 843,000 working days lost because of labour disputes in December 2022, which is the highest since November 2011

Read more here

If you have any questions or need support, please email careers@collingwood.surrey.sch.uk

CAREERS NEWSLETTER

OPPORTUNITIES

On 6th March, Not Going to Uni are running a webinar on "What options are available to help you into The World of Work?". They will cover:

Outlining the different options available when entering the working world (Traineeships, Apprenticeships, Gap Years, Entry Level Jobs and Courses)

Overview of our NGTU website and the best way to use it for your career search

Insight from our ambassador, Keira - Procurement Associate at Multiverse

Insight from our ambassador, Lucy - Food Science Degree Apprentice at Avara Foods

Q&A session

You can [sign up here](#). If you can't make the time, still sign up and you will receive the recording to watch at a later time/date.

BBC are running a Forces Live Lesson on Monday 13 March at 11:00am. Using your knowledge of gravity, friction and air resistance, you will be challenged to design a landing module to bring our intrepid explorer safely back down to Earth. Along the way, you'll be hearing from real-life astronauts including Dr Helen Sharman, the first British astronaut in space and American astronaut Bob Hines who's recently returned from a NASA space mission. [Click here to read more and sign up](#).

InnovateHer is bringing an exciting assembly to your classroom to celebrate International Women's Day and STEAM Week this March, focusing on the importance of embracing equity, so everyone has the opportunity to succeed whilst spotlighting careers on each day of the week. Each day will focus on a different subject: Science, Tech, Engineering, Art and Maths. [Click here to read more and register](#).

On 8th March at 7pm, Celebrate International Women's Day and join this free 50 minute online yoga class with a focus on female empowerment. Suitable for all ages and abilities. [You can register here](#).

Also, make sure you are following key career pages on Instagram like [UCAS](#) and [Not Going to Uni](#) who have events running during NAW2023.

EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT



"Automotive is an industry that is changing rapidly and moving into a new era. A car is no longer a combustion engine wrapped in metal, it is a computer capable of learning, and gift-wrapped in space age light, strong and carbon neutral technology. We need people with open minds who can embrace the future."

You can read more about their careers [here](#).

UNI SPOTLIGHT

University of Essex

"Our students and graduates have always been committed to making change, both big and small. Challenging the norm is not just encouraged, it's expected. When you're a member of the University of Essex, you will have the freedom to challenge, the confidence to speak out and the courage to share your ideas."

You can read more about University of Essex's courses [here](#).

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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.

Remember, you can use Unifrog and Career Pilot any time to research your career options, take part in quizzes and see which jobs might suit you.

OPPORTUNITIES

NCW

Happy National Careers Week!

You can check out the Virtual Careers Fair here where you can meet employers and attend online workshops.



Use the hashtag #NCW2023 on social media platform to find information on events from employers and education companies taking place this week. If you can't make the time, don't worry! Sign up anyway and you will be sent the recording.



Nationwide have now opened their apprenticeship applications for their finance and mortgage 2023 apprenticeship cohort. You can read more and apply here.



Harrods have launched their new careers website, you can read about their employment opportunities, why you might want to work for one of the biggest luxury stores in the UK and apply to their roles here.



The UCL Summer Schools are a fully immersive experience, you'll live as a student staying in accommodation overnight and meet other students from across the UK. Throughout the week you'll attend lectures, seminars, lab work and trips across London to get a taste of what it's like to study at UCL. But it's not all academic work! We have an exciting programme of social activities planned including tours, the chance to explore London and Wellness Wednesdays. There's something for everyone on our Summer School. You can read more and apply here.

JOB OF THE WEEK



Clinical scientists research and develop techniques and equipment to help prevent, diagnose and treat illness. The annual salary is £33,706 to £65,262 and expect to work 38 to 40 hours a week. There will be 3.3% more Clinical scientist jobs in 2027. Click here to read more.

LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION FACT

The most timely estimate of payrolled employees for January 2023 shows another monthly increase, up 102,000 on the revised December 2022 figures, to 30.0 million.

Read more here

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Every day this week on the NGTU [Instagram](#) and [Facebook](#) pages, they will be posting a video showcasing a different option you can take into the world of work. The idea is that by the end of the week, you will have learnt about 5 different ways you can enter the world of work, helping you to make further decisions on your future career.



The University of Essex have put together a bank of videos for National Careers Week that hope to show a range of different career options that can be studied at university. [You can watch them on demand, any time, here.](#)



Paying for university might sound daunting but fear not - there's plenty of help and support out there for you. This virtual session with Solent University, from 5.30-6.30pm on 13th March, will delve into the world of Student Finance, how to apply for funding, and how to manage your money whilst at university. [Register here.](#)



This webinar, in collaboration with ASK Apprenticeships and UCAS, will outline higher and degree apprenticeships and explain some of the key features of gaining a qualification through this route. Higher and degree apprenticeships allow students to earn a wage while studying for a higher education qualification, and they can provide a great pathway to specific career areas for students who prefer to take a practical approach to learning. 14th March 4-4:45pm. [Register here.](#)



In this webinar on 14th March 4:30-5:15pm, you'll discover our top online tools, the things you need to consider when choosing and how to compare different courses and universities. By the end of the webinar, you'll be so knowledgeable that deciding on a course will be easy. [Register here.](#)



University of Greenwich's series of twilight lectures are delivered virtually by academics via Zoom and cover a range of subject areas to complement students sixth form or college studies and to provide an insight into studying these disciplines at degree level. Subjects include: Humanities and Social Sciences, English Literature, Mathematics, Economics, Engineering, Science and Psychology. [Scroll to the bottom of this page to see subjects, dates and registration.](#)

EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT



"Dixon Wilson is one of the leading accountancy firms, specialising in providing accountancy, audit and tax advice and strategic planning to private clients, companies, entrepreneurs and their businesses. We are proactive in recruiting the best graduates and professional staff." You can read more about their careers [here.](#)

UNI SPOTLIGHT

"Sheffield is a vibrant, green, modern city with real character. Unforgettable nights out followed by gentle walks in breathtaking green spaces. Sprawling shopping centres and proud independents. Most importantly, you'll find yourself amongst friends in a busy university city that sets you up for an exciting future. We've lots of sides just waiting to be discovered." You can read more about University of Sheffield's courses [here.](#)

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