



### ECO CLUB NEWS ...

It has been a busy couple of weeks for the Eco Club as we are getting closer to completing our tree planting in celebration of the Queen's Green Canopy. The hard work and dedication from those involved has been tremendous!

The Eco Club also staged a recycling playground intervention on the Year 8 playground on Monday and Tuesday to encourage recycling in the College! A huge well done to everyone that took part.

This Big Battery Hunt has also got under way with some forms collecting almost 1000 batteries already. A shout out to Miss Taylor and 8C who look to be the form to beat! Just a reminder that we are only collecting AAA,AA,C and D batteries (NOT CAR BATTERIES).



Lasty, the Love My Bike Shop in Camberley are offering free bike health checks to Collingwood students. All students need to do is take their bike and College ID card and a member of staff at the shop will carry out a health check. 19-21 Park Street, Camberley Surrey, GU153PQ.

Have a great Easter!

Mr Ballard - Environmental Sustainability Coordinator / English Department

## FROM THE ACTING PRINCIPAL ...

### **Year 11 Assembly**

Yesterday, I led the Year 11 assembly and encouraged Year 11 to reflect on their two PPE performances by opening their second envelope. The students were encouraged to reflect on their subjects and to analyse what subjects had gone well and which subjects still needed some more revision. Furthermore, I discussed the 'Power of Yet' where I challenged the students to have a growth mindset and that with the College values of 'aspiration and perseverance' the students could still make an impact on their results in the summer. I also reminded the students that there are still several learning opportunities that I would encourage them to utilise in the lead up to their forthcoming examinations such as:

- Be punctual and engage in all lessons up until the final exam in the subject
- Attend before and after College revision sessions
- Engage with the external motivational speaker on study skills and revision
- Sign up for the 'Power Up Days' on 3 and 4 April
- Attend Academic Review Day revision and coursework catch-up
- Booster breakfasts before external examinations.

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### **DATES FOR YOUR DIARY - DON'T MISS OUT!**

**Thursday 30 March:** Academic Review Day

End of Term for Students

Sunday 2 April-

Wednesday 5 April: DofE Gold Expedition, Brecon Beacons

Monday 17 April: Start of Term for all Students

## 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.

# YOUTUBE CHANNEL TO SUPPORT STUDENTS' SCIENCE KNOWLEDGE

Is your child struggling to engage or revise for their Science Assessment in Years 7 and 8 (KS3) or in Years 9-11 (GCSE)?

Do you think they have gaps in knowledge? - then they would benefit from **SUBSCRIBING** to **YOUTUBE channel PURE SCIENCE EDUCATION** to support them.

The channel has been created for Collingwood students for the above purpose and students using the site regularly are increasing their grades. They will also automatically receive 1 **FREE video** a week, if they subscribe.

https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCYDeVqnWJimN6BtnbPkqdCQ

Mrs Puri-Science Department



### FROM THE ACTING PRINCIPAL ...

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The Pastoral team also introduced the 'Passport to the Prom' criteria which will be an exciting event in June to look forward to after all the hard work! It would be a good idea if you could discuss these opportunities and to reiterate the messages in our pursuit of excellence.

### **Academic Review Day (ARD)**

A reminder that ARD is on **Thursday 30 March** where you are invited to sign up to a 15-minute appointment which can be face to face or a remote meeting using the Parents' Evening Booking System to discuss your child's progress with their Form Tutor or Mentor. All work for students will be set on OneNote for them. The booking system will remain open until 5.00pm today. If you are unable to book an appointment, please contact Barossa or Kingston Office who will be able to make an appointment on your behalf.

### **Last Day of Term**

Please note the last day of term is on **Thursday 30 March** and students should only attend College for their Academic Review appointment or if they have been invited to attend for revision or coursework catch-up.

Have a lovely Easter holiday.

Miss Watling - Acting Principal

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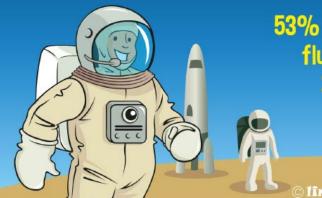


# Why Learn Languages?



## Reason #1: Tomorrow's World

In many countries it is quite normal for most people to be able to use three languages. Speaking more than one language helps build a sense of global citizenship - you feel like you are part of a community that extends far beyond your country's borders.



53% of Europeans are fluent in at least 2 languages.



@ linguascope



### MORE DEBATING NEWS!!

Congratulations to Ellie Bean for winning Durham Schools Debating competition on Sunday 26 March.

This was a whole weekend event and is the largest residential debating competition in the world.

Ellie competed with her England team mate from St Paul's Girls School and as you can see from the photo won the grand final.

The team was taken to the competition by the England coach so unfortunately I was not able to witness what will be one of the rare occasions when a major Debating competition was won by a state school student!

Mr Baird - Debating Team Co-ordinator



# YEARS 7/8 GIRLS' FOOTBALL TEAM THROUGH TO DISTRICT FINAL

On Tuesday 28 March our outstanding Years 7/8 girls squad travelled to All Hallows School to play in the district semi-final.

In a hard fought match they won through on penalties. If you view our <u>Instagram</u> post you will see some of the successful (and outstanding) penalties and all of Amelie Hannah's three saves. A full report of the match will appear in the newsletter after Easter.

The district final will be played against Weydon School at Aldershot FC - details to follow.

Our girls have been tremendous this year; please see the full squad list below.



**Squad:** Amelie Hannah, Olivia Kendall, Lucie Haslett, Lucy Mallon, Skyla Hayes, Ella Terry, Ruby Davies, Maisie Graham, Sophia Lally, Lyla Thompson, Sophie Evans, Chloe Edwards, Keeleigh Tate, Ida Cook, Zoe Lampard, Lottie Kemp, Tilly Collins, Aoife Hollis, Eden Jolly, Elizabeth Hardy, Shauna Kavanagh, Lily Bond

Mr Cleary - Girls Football Manager / Senior Assistant Principal



### YEAR 7 FOOTBALL NEWS ...

### **Another District Win for the Boys**

On Monday 27 March the Year 7 boys football team travelled to Eggars School in Alton to play in the District Cup semi-final.

On a difficult pitch the boys were very motivated to leave nothing in the tank. Eggars game plan was simple – big kick and flood the forward areas. It was clear it was going to be a long afternoon.

Great football was being played by our lads despite the conditions, with Freddie Hoare proving to be the driving force from the centre of the park.



10 minutes after the start, a break on the left saw Aston Dempsey fouled in the box with the subsequent penalty calmly dispatched by Freddie. He then followed that up 7 minutes later with a forceful run ending with a powerful shot into the roof of the net.

The second half was difficult. Our defence, Eli Loveday, Leon Jessop, marshalled by Harry Phillips (with Christian Higgs in goal) were superb.

Constant pressure, a scrappy home goal all created a heated game with some heavy challenges from both sides. In what was without doubt an 'ugly' game, the boys showed fantastic resilience and character to run out winners 2-1.

The final will be at Aldershot FC, date to be confirmed, against Tomlinscote.

**Squad:** Will Harris, Harry Phillips, Freddie Hoare (2 goals), Jacob Sturt, Aston Dempsey, Leon Jessop, Adam Robson, Christian Higgs, Bradley McKinnon, Eli Loveday, Josh Mears

### League Decider to be Played Against Calthorpe Park

The boys also played against All Hallows in the league on Friday 24 March running out comfortable winners 3-1 with goals from Jacob Sturt (2) and Leon Jessop.

This now sets up a winner takes all league decider against Calthorpe Park after Easter.

By the time this newsletter is issued training for this season will have been completed, but will resume in September where as always all are welcome.

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



## IMPORTANT INFORMATION REGARDING STUDENTS TRAVELLING ON DIAMOND BUS ROUTES 83 AND 87 (HALLMARK)

The Transport Team at Surrey County Council has advised us that there will be a change to the operator of routes 83 and 87 following complaints they have received regarding the service.

From 17 April 2023 the 83 will be operated by Cardinal Buses. The timetable is unchanged. The 87 will be operated by Stagecoach and the morning timetable into College is unchanged. There will however be a slight adjustment to the timings in the afternoon at the Chobham stops with students being dropped off approximately 2 minutes later.

Surrey has also advised us that there may be fare increases so please contact Cardinal Buses on 01932 820666 for route 83 and Stagecoach on 0345 121 0190 for route 87 regarding this.

Surrey has also advised us that Diamond Bus sold weekly tickets for their routes. If any parent/carer has any ticket disputes they should contact Diamond Buses direct on 01784 425621.

For any student who has a free bus pass, these passes are transferrable to the new services.

As Surrey County Council provide transport for students to Collingwood, we are unable to answer any queries you may have regarding these changes. For further information please contact Surrey on 0300 200 1004 between 09:00 – 17:00 or email them via passenger.transport@surreycc.gov.uk.

# CAREERS PUBLICATION - MAKE THE FUTURE YOURS! ISSUE 7 OUT NOW

In this issue, featured careers are Health, Project Management, Construction, plus why work experience is important. There is an explanation of what a Training Provider is, how to make the most of your hobbies and advice on starting your own business. Please click on the image to the right to view.

If you missed Issue 6 or any of the previous issues, you can find them at:

www.makethefutureyours.uk/mtfy-archive







### LANGUAGES WALL OF ACHIEVEMENT

Congratulations to the following students whose name has been added to the Languages Wall of Achievement for Spring Half Term 2. Well done to each and every one of you!

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Hannah Aldous Annabelle Allen Riley Andrew Lilia Bawn Chloe Beestin Kendra Belchamber Savain Caldera Brooklynn Dewhurst Grace Harris Evie Hunter Owen Kelly Ollie O'Brien Luv Pursun Sam Scott Megan Shields Keira Venables

### Year 8

Daria Albu **Emily Attfield** Lily-May Burke Olivia Crane Harley Coster Jack Cummings George Evans Téa Mynott Vinay Pothuri Zoe Ruske Cameron Sandhu Alicja Slezak **Grace Smith** Amelie Tearle Cameron Walls Rhys Wilson

#### Year 9

Dylan Allpress
Harley Berridge
Alfie Diggins-Barnes
Ella Ewington
Evalyn Haine
Jay Harindranath
Evie Jesson
Ellie Jones
Liv Nolan

### Year 10

Owen Flude Layla Harrison Teegan Markwell Emily Simmons

### Year 11

Archie Baker
Lowell Brimson
Chloe Burrows
Jasmine Byrne
Henry Chandler
Adam Cox
Ryan de Ruijter
Cecilia Goodchild
Carlota Lucas Vinuela
Fikunore Odumosu
Isabelle Talbot
Roberta Virlan
Connie Vooght

Mrs Walker - Languages Department

### **EXAM CERTIFICATES**

Exam certificate postage payment is available on ParentPay. Please ensure payment is made as soon as possible to ensure your child receives their exam certificates for the Summer 2023 season. This is of particular importance for those students in Years 11 and 13 who are leaving the College.

To avoid certificates being lost in transit or left crumpled at the bottom of a school bag, we encourage payment to be made for Years 9 and 10 too.

For those that make payment for postage, exam certificates are usually despatched in December using Royal Mail's 'Signed For' service.

Certificates will be required by future employers and further education institutes. If you don't have your certificates when you need them in later life, the exam boards can provide a replacement statement of results but it is very costly.

Collingwood Exams Team











# 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!





THURSDAY 27 APRIL | 6 - 6.30PM

HEAR LIVE FROM LEADING FINANCIAL SERVICES ORGANISATION



This series aims to help parents, carers, teachers, career leads and students understand;

- Levels of apprenticeships and what they mean
- When to apply and what the process might look like
- What an apprenticeship might offer and the various careers it can lead into















# Now with classes at two locations

**Heatherside Community Centre** 

Camberley

Mondays 8:00 - 9:15pm

Thursdays 6:30 - 7:45pm

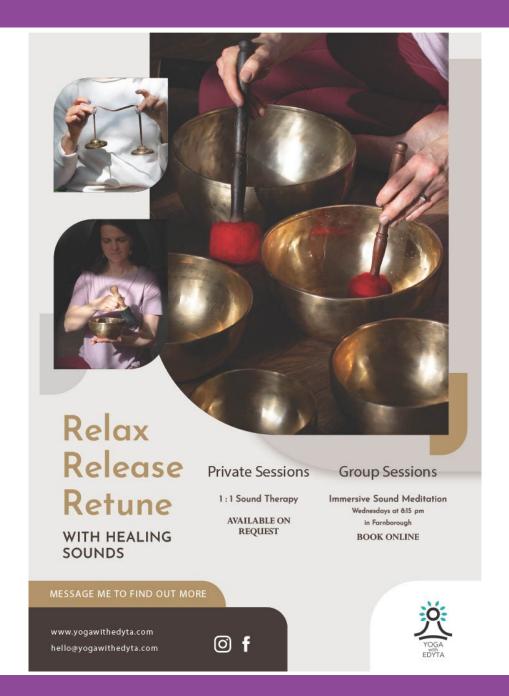
St. Francis Church Hall Frimley

Wednesdays 9:15 - 10:30am

£12 per session

No drop-ins. Pre-book and pre-pay your place online.

For more information and booking, please visit www.yogawithedyta.com or email hello@yogawithedyta.com for inquiries.







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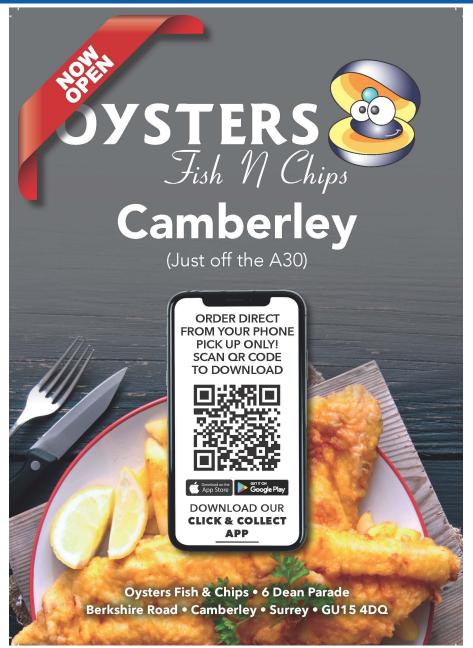
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Find us on Facebook!

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## Carwarden House Outreach Training



# Emotional Intelligence and Communication – Strategies to support students

Date: Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> May 2023

**Time:** 4.30pm - 6.00pm

Venue: Carwarden House School, 118 Upper Chobham Road,

Camberley, GU15 1EJ

Cost: £20 per person

This training is intended for professionals working with and parents of young people who struggle to express and cope with their emotions

TO BOOK GO TO https://www.carwarden.surrey.sch.uk/outreach

#### What Are The Blobs? A Feelosophy

The Blobs are simple. They deal with deep issues using the primary languages we learn from infancy – feelings and body language. This is why they are used with children as young as 4, all the way through to the elderly.



### The key objectives of the course -

- How to recognise your emotions and communicate these to others
- How to cope with emotions
- Strategies to support students who are struggling to cope with their emotional intelligence
- demonstrate a wide range of tools for use in schools as well as curriculum scales for self-assessment.

"Ian Long is the co-creator of the Blob Tree visual tools. He has been a teacher for 17 years, a youth worker for 6 years and is currently a full time Blob illustrator/author/trainer.

The Blobs are accessible by all ages as there are no words. They are a simple discussion tool to enable deep conversations about feelings.

There will be a range of Blob books and cards available to be viewed, as well as free resources provided."



# Frimley Health and Care



### CAREERS NEWSLETTER

### **April 2023**

Frimley Health and Care Integrated Care System (ICS) – is a partnership of NHS, social care, local authorities and other sectors working together, for the benefit of the communities we serve. Including:

Frimley Health **NHS Foundation** 

9 Local **Authorities** Surrey & Borders

16 Primary Care **Networks** 

Berkshire Healthcare **Foundation Trust** 

Ambulance **Partnership** 

Our ambition is to improve access to high quality learning opportunities for all. Ensuring schools and colleges in the region are aware of the work we do and the resources available to you to promote careers in Health and Social Care.

**Welcome** to the April newsletter. Each month will highlight a variety of topics including, events, health promotion and careers. April recognises several events in the calendar:

- World Health Day 7/4/23
- · Stress Awareness Month
- On Your Feet Britain 26/4/23
- World Autism Awareness Day 2/4/23
- World Day for Safety & Health at Work 28/4/23



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On the 7th April 2023, World Health Day will observe its 75th birthday. This year's theme is Health for All.

### Key messages:

- Health for all envisions that all people have good health for a fulfilling life in a peaceful, prosperous, and sustainable world.
- The right to health is a basic human right. Everyone must have access to the health services they need when and where they need without financial hardship.
- 30% of the global population is not able to access essential health services.
- To make health for all a reality, we need: individuals and communities who have access to high quality health services so that they can take care of their own health and that of their families; skilled health workers providing quality care; and policy makers committed to investing in universal health coverage.
- Watch the following video. Health for all: 75 years of improving public health 75 years of improving public health

Inspired by this video!! Did you know there are over 350 different roles in Health & Social Care, so you can make a vital contribution whatever your skills and experience



## Frimley Health and Care



Not sure about the variety of roles in the NHS? Why not check out the 'Career Mapper', take the test, and discover what jobs might suit you! Step Into The NHS:: Take the test

With so many different roles/careers on offer, there is something for everyone. You don't have to work in a clinical role to help save lives!!

**You can make a big contribution whatever your academic background.** The NHS offers apprenticeship routes into many of the 350 careers, so why not earn, learn and make a difference. Watch this video on NHS Apprenticeships – The Hidden Gems: <a href="https://www.NHS apprenticeships">NHS apprenticeships</a>



**World Autism Awareness Day** is an annual celebration of autistic people to raise awareness of developmental disorders and neurodivergence. This year marks the 16<sup>th</sup> annual celebration. Did you know that wearing something the colour blue is a simple activity to get involved and promote autism awareness. So why not wear a blue t-shirt or some blue socks to show your support. To learn more about autism, watch this video: <u>Fast Facts About Autism For Kids (World Autism Awareness Day)</u> - YouTube

Work Experience and Work-Related Learning - present opportunities for people to experience what it is like to work in health and care. They provide unique insights into careers – the interactions, schedules, emotions, sensations and outcomes associated with a range of roles on offer. Work experience: takes place in the workplace and allows people to experience what it is like to undertake a job supervised by staff who already work in the environment. Duration can last between 1 day up to 2 weeks, depending on the organisation. Work-Related Learning: (online or in person). Provides a deeper understanding of the skills and knowledge required in the workplace through curated content, with clear learning outcomes. Check out the below programmes and find out more:

**Allied Health Professions**: <a href="https://www.springpod.com/virtual-work-experience/allied-health-professional-online">www.springpod.com/virtual-work-experience/allied-health-professional-online</a>

**Medicine:** <u>www.springpod.com/virtual-work-experience/health-education-england-medicine-online-work-related-learning</u>

**Nursing:** www.springpod.com/virtual-work-experience/health-education-england-nursing-online-work-related-learning

Not sure about the variety of roles! **Frimley Health** provides a 5 day programme which aims to give an oversight of what a career in healthcare can offer. To find out more or to enrol, please contact <a href="mailto:fhft.learningandod@nhs.net">fhft.learningandod@nhs.net</a>

### **Useful links to explore careers information:**

Frimley Health Career Centre: www.frimleyhealthcareercentre.org.uk

Health and Care Careers: <u>www.healthcareers.nhs.uk</u>

Step Into The NHS: www.stepintothenhs.nhs.uk

Any questions please email Nikki at N.morgan@nhs.net



# 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 <u>underlined</u>.

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

# **OPPORTUNITIES**



Tech Juniors is a niche jobs board for junior tech roles worldwide. They are due to launch soon and you can join the waitlist <u>here</u>. Also check out their <u>Instagram</u> page for CV advice, give aways and insights to the Tech industry.



University of Leicester's summer schools are back! Taking place on Wednesday 26 July – Friday 28 July 2023, their three-day residential summer school programme is available for students in years 10 and 11, and is completely free to attend. <u>Apply here</u> - applications close on Friday 31st March.



Make your mark by spending eight weeks between July 3rd – August 25th 2023 working with the best at one of the largest publishers in the world. You'll work on a paid independent project made especially for the internship programme – making decisions for yourself and contributing to our shared mission. Applications for the 2023 cohort will be open between midday on March 24th and 5pm on April 7th. Read more here.



Do you live within 30 minutes of an LNER station? Want to take part in paid virtual work experience? <u>Check out the Super Squad opportunity here!</u>



You are invited to attend a range of virtual sessions put on by the Schools and Colleges Team at ARU. Whether you are Year 13 and still thinking about applying to University, or want more information about Degree Apprenticeships, or you're a parent who just needs to understand Student Finance bettercome and join us for an informative chat and remember, no question is a silly question! Register here.

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

### JOB OF THE WEEK



Commissioning editors request or buy authors, book titles and ideas to publish them. The annual salary is £25,000 to £50,000 and expect to work 37 to 39 hours a week. There will be 3.3% more Commissioning editor jobs in 2027. Click here to read more.

## LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION FACT

In December 2022 to February 2023, the estimated number of vacancies fell by 51,000 on the quarter to 1,124,000. This reflects uncertainty across industries, as survey respondents continue to cite economic pressures as a factor in holding back on recruitment.

Read more here



# **CAREERS NEWSLETTER**

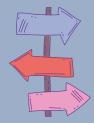
# **OPPORTUNITIES**



The Queer Student Awards recognise inspirational young LGBTQ+ people in the U.K. and the individuals, organisations and educational institutions that provide them with the support and safe spaces they need to thrive and reach their potential in education and the workplace regardless of their sexuality and gender identity. Nominations close on 30th March. Submit yours here.



Free virtual "Meet the Russell Group" Webinars are taking place on April 25th, 26th & 27th. Each webinar will run either during an afternoon (12:00 - 13:30 pm) or evening session (18:00 - 19:30 pm) and cover topics such as Personal Statements & Applying to a RG University, Researching University Options and Student life, as well as a special session for International Students. This is an incredible opportunity for students considering applying for Cambridge, Oxford, LSE, Bristol or any of the 24 Russell Group Universities. You can register here.



The Aspire programme created by upReach, is a collection of free careers, university and further education resources designed to give students the tools and knowledge they need to make more informed decisions about their future, with free resources including:

- <u>The Aspire Guide</u> a 64-page guide providing in-depth information on different career pathways, university options, student finance, gap years and more.
- <u>The Aspire Webinar Series</u> Since launching in September 2021, our free-to-attend Aspire Webinars have had 2000+ registrations from 500+ schools, with 99% saying they would recommend these sessions to another student.



Did you know that A student from a underserved background who gains a first class degree from a top university is less likely to secure an elite job than a more privileged student with a 2.2? UpReach exists to create the conditions for undergraduates from less-advantaged backgrounds to access and sustain top graduate jobs. They have three programmes that you can join whilst at university. Read more about them here.



The Student Social Mobility Awards are organised by upReach to showcase the incredible achievements of undergraduates from lower socio-economic backgrounds from across the UK. Read more here.

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

# EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT



"innocent started with our three founders and a simple mission: to help make it easy for people to do themselves some good. 21 years on, there are over 600 of us around the world and that mission has grown into something much bigger. We need more brilliant people who share our ambition to join the next (and most exciting) stage of our journey."

You can read more about their careers here.

### **UNI SPOTLIGHT**



# University of Dundee

"With a student-friendly population and a self-contained campus, you'll find that Dundee is one of the best places in the United Kingdom to live, work, and study. Dundee is also one of the safest cities in the UK, ranked 2nd safest city in Scotland the Complete University Guide 2022."

You can read more about University of Dundee's courses <u>here</u>.