

Dear All,

During Covid restrictions, access to the careers office is limited to Lower Sixth students only. However, I am still available for appointments across the year groups. This can be via Teams or in person in your year zones. Please just email me on clare.brown@caterhamschool.co.uk to make an appointment.

The [Careers](#) pages on Firefly are also a good resource for research and I would recommend spending some time looking through the many sections to see whether they might help you with some decisions or ideas.

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NEXT WEEK!



Careers in Sport – Thursday 15 October at 7pm on Zoom

Please join us for an exciting evening of talks looking at the wide range of careers available in the sporting profession. Please see the letter in the parental weekly section on Firefly for more details.

The Zoom details are:

Topic: Careers in Sport

Time: Oct 15, 2020 07:00 PM London

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89498311612?pwd=RFJXRUtUc0ZlRwY2dpdHlCeVJpZz09>

Meeting ID: 894 9831 1612

Passcode: j5KEcn

Chinese University of Hong Kong Talk – Tuesday 13 October at 4.15pm

The Office of Admissions at the Chinese University of Hong Kong will be joining us via Zoom on Tuesday 13 October next week, to talk through how the applications system works for their Hong Kong based campus, what subjects are available and to answer any questions about the application process. Please see the details of the Zoom meeting below and email me to let me know you are planning on attending.

Topic: Chinese University of Hong Kong talk

Time: Oct 13, 2020 04:00 PM London

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89584831815?pwd=dEhvUzluK2FHVDZzckxDQmIzQUhvQT09>

Meeting ID: 895 8483 1815

Passcode: gWwq7q

Coming Up After Half Term

Degree Apprenticeship Programme – Workshop 2 - Telephone, Virtual and Video Interviews (U6/L6 only)

Taking place at 4.15pm on Tuesday 3 November, the second session of the degree apprenticeship programme will take place on Zoom. The session will be run by Alice Locket OC who is a Human Resources degree apprentice at BP. She will be looking at the strategies you should be taking when asked to prepare for telephone, virtual or video interviews. Zoom details will be sent directly to the students already signed up for this programme.

Careers in Journalism (virtual) – Tuesday 17 November at 4.15pm

Join OC Luke Andrews to find out about his route to journalism. More details in next week newsletter.

Degree Apprenticeship – Workshop 3 – Assessment Days (U6/L6 only)

Taking place at 4.15pm on Tuesday 24 November, the third session of the degree apprenticeship programme will take place on Zoom. This session will be interactive and cover all aspects of how to show your best attributes in a group assessment scenario.

Careers in Medicine (virtual) – Thursday 26 November at 7pm

Further details after half term.

Degree Apprenticeships

Bank of England Degree Apprenticeships – NOW OPEN

If you are interested in a degree apprenticeship with the Bank of England, where your starting salary will be £23,000 AND they pay for you to achieve a degree, then clicking on this [link](#) might change the course of your career! There are three streams on offer, Data Science, Digital and Technology and Professional Economist.

External Events and Resources

Opening The Door To A Career In Financial Markets - Monday 12 October 2020, 6:00pm to 7:00pm

An online session for anyone interested in career in Investment Banking or Fund Management.

Do you want to know about career opportunities in financial markets? Join our [careers event](#) for Year 12 and 13s to find out more. Opening City Doors Founder & CEO Paul McCormick will be offering students an insight into financial careers and how to get a head start in securing your dream job.

This free webinar will help you hit the ground running, providing you with tips on how you can start building your CV and an insight into the expectations of industry recruiters. Paul; a Bond Trader veteran from Morgan Stanley, JP Morgan and Barclays, will be sharing his expertise, while a panel of young professionals from Morgan Stanley, Barclays, Royal Bank of Scotland, Bloomberg and Thomson Reuters will share how they achieved their career goals.

PwC Virtual Park

As you look ahead towards your career, we understand that access to employability sessions and networking events may seem more difficult than ever. But don't worry, we have good news. As we continue to respond to this rapidly changing world, we're empowering our people to learn new skills for this digital world and through the Virtual Park, we've reimagined the possible in how we connect with you. PwC's Virtual Park opens for you to virtually meet our people and find out more about PwC, the roles we're recruiting into, and where you could make a real difference at both undergraduate and graduate level for 2021.

Our [Virtual Park is a fully immersive 'online campus'](#). You'll create your own avatar, allowing you to walk around and explore the Virtual Park at your own pace, with the opportunity to engage with a range of PwC ambassadors through interactive live sessions and digital conversations. Whether you're hearing from one of our inspirational speakers in the Auditorium, having a one-on-one conversation with one of our recruiters, or learning more about our business areas in our Expo Hall - Virtual Park is designed to support you in exploring your future career options at PwC and bringing our purpose to life.

Our Virtual Park events will cover lots of different topics, allowing you to join the right event for you. You'll be joined by people from the business area, office location and Student Recruitment team to share their insights into life at PwC and what it means to work here.

To go straight to the events you'd like to sign up for, click on the links below*.

- **14 / 21 / 28 October:** National [Explore PwC](#) sessions
- **16 / 23 / 30 October:** National [Meet the Recruiter](#) sessions

We've also created further online resources for you to access from home, university, or wherever you're currently based - visit our [Employability Hub](#) and explore our new careers [website](#) for more details on the opportunities we've opened so far.

Medical Mavericks Careers TV

[Medical Mavericks](#) have a really informative MMTV channel which has lots of short videos looking at career paths in the health industry. They are suitable for all ages and free, so click on the link and see if you can find something that excites you.

University of Surrey Webinars

Click [here](#) to watch some very informative short webinars from the University of Surrey looking at student finance, personal statements, how to find work whilst at university and similar topics. These are all designed to give you an overview of what it is like to study at university.

Chinese University of Hong Kong Open Day

The Chinese University of Hong Kong (CUHK) will organise a [Virtual Information Day for Undergraduate Admissions](#) this **Saturday 10 October 2020**.

We would like to take this opportunity to remind Hong Kong students studying in the UK who are considering CUHK as a study destination to check out the following event highlights (more details available at www.cuhk.edu.hk/infoday).

Real-time Written Chatroom (from 2pm to 6pm HK time; ~7am to 11am UK time)

- There'll be a **real-time written chatroom** for local Hong Kong students pursuing international qualifications (GCE AL/ IAL/ IB, etc) to ask any questions on application and admission to CUHK (2021 entry or beyond)

Live Admission Talks / Programme Consultations (from 9am to 6pm HK time)

- Because of time differences we understand some of the live events may not be feasible
- There are still a number of live events in the morning (UK time before 11am) that students may join, and a full event schedule can be found on the website below
- **Resources will remain in the event portal** for a few weeks after the event, so students are welcome to visit it later even if they miss the sessions

Prior Registration / Event Schedule

- Participants need to register for an event account at www.cuhk.edu.hk/infoday

Happy reading!
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