



Kings Langley School
Unlocking Potential for Life

Student Opportunities

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Free Career Tasters for Students

Online workshops dedicated to giving students a snapshot of their future career



Ahead of National Careers Week, we are delighted to announce that we will be hosting another series of free online career tasters for students aged 12-18. These interactive sessions serve as a great introduction to a range of industries, while giving students an opportunity to hear from a professional and participate in an interactive career simulation.

Please encourage your students to bring any questions they may have to the webinars - we're here to help them on every step of their career journey.

If students are unable to join live, they can still register to receive the recording and our follow up resources.

[Sign Up Here](#)

Career Taster Schedule

Not sure which webinar to choose? Signing up to multiple webinars is a great way for students to explore different careers and find out where their interests lie!

12th March – 6pm

[Breaking into Creative Arts](#)

[Breaking into Psychology](#)

13th March – 6pm

[Breaking into Engineering](#)

[Breaking into Law](#)

14th March – 6pm

[Breaking into Medicine](#)

[Breaking into Banking](#)

All webinars will take place online via Zoom at 6pm UK time.

THE SMALLPEICE TRUST NEWSLETTER

Unlock Your Child's Potential This Summer!

We thought you might like an update on the latest paid places across all our Summer 2024 Engineering Course Programme. So, let's dive straight in:

Aerospace Engineering (Non-residential)



The promotional graphic features a purple and white color scheme. On the left, three circular inset images show a student in a flight simulator, two students looking at a model of an aircraft, and a student interacting with an instructor. The background shows a large aircraft on a tarmac. The text is arranged in a clean, modern layout with bold headings and descriptive paragraphs.

AEROSPACE ENGINEERING

**29 - 31 May 2024 (non-residential)
Kingston University**

Immerse your child in this uplifting course, where interactive learning meets the excitement of a university setting.

With exclusive access to cutting-edge facilities such as the wind tunnel and flight simulation, students will unravel the secrets of aircraft flight.

This course is open to students in Year 10 in England and Wales, S4 in Scotland, and Year 11 in Northern Ireland.

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Girls into Engineering (Residential)

GIRLS INTO ENGINEERING

13 - 15 August 2024
Loughborough University

Inspire and empower your future female engineer with a three-day residential course led by experienced mentors. Through hands-on activities, this program builds technical skills, fosters confidence, and provides a unique opportunity for exploration and connection with like-minded peers.

Open to Years 8 and 9 in England and Wales, S2 and S3 in Scotland and Years 9 and 10 in Northern Ireland



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Explore Engineering (Residential)

EXPLORE ENGINEERING

13 to 15 August 2024
University of Bath

This course offers a tailored introduction to electrical, chemical, and civil engineering, ensuring students grasp key concepts through hands-on activities. Students will also benefit from connecting with fellow STEM enthusiasts, creating a supportive environment, and get a glimpse into vibrant university life.

This course is open to students in Year 10 in England, S4 in Scotland, and Year 11 in Northern Ireland.



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Human Habitat on Mars (Virtual)

HUMAN HABITAT ON MARS

28 - 30 AUGUST 2024

Virtual

*Open to students
currently in Year 10*



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The above engineering courses offer an array of unique opportunities for young students to study alongside peers who share the same enthusiasm for STEM. With the guidance of industry-leading experts in engineering, cyber, electrical, aerospace and space disciplines, our courses are hosted at prestigious universities across the UK. No matter which STEM subject ignites your child's curiosity, we are confident that our broad range of courses will cater to their interests. Explore the exciting options across our **IGNITION** and **MOMENTUM** courses this summer!



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Get Your Grades- GCSE revision online

Not just for potential vets/science students! Everyone studying GCSE science is welcome



- 5 week **FREE** live online revision course.
- Tuesdays 4-5pm; you can join after the start if necessary
- February 27th - March 26th
- Science career inspiration followed by exam subject knowledge
- Ideal for GCSE however other year groups welcome to attend
- Webinar format- you can type anonymous questions but won't be seen on screen



Opportunity for Aspiring Medics in Year 12 - Applications Open for London Med Summer School Programme 2024

The applications for the free **online** London Med Schools Summer Programme 2024 are now open. This programme is for **Year 12** students living in England (outside of Greater London), who have only attended non-selective state schools since age 11 and are currently studying A-level biology and chemistry. For more details on student eligibility, you can [visit our website](#) or access [the application form here](#).

Funded by Health Education England, the London Med Schools Summer Programme brings together four of London's medical schools (King's College London, Queen Mary University of London, St George's University of London, and University College London) to give 75 Year 12 students from across England an opportunity to find out what it is like to study medicine in London.

Working with patients and student ambassadors, participants will gain a greater understanding of the realities of being a doctor and the skills needed to succeed.

The main summer school programme takes place from Monday 15th July to Friday 19th July on Zoom. There will also be additional events delivered in conjunction with the summer school which are detailed on the website and application form.

For more information and to apply, [students should follow this link](#).

Following the success of the first **Virtual Open Day** session for 2023/24, another one will be running on Wednesday 13th March at 4pm.

What is EDT's Placement scheme?

EDT's, The Year in Industry (YINI) Placement scheme, helps place Year 13 school-leaving students into paid 12-month long placements into **all areas of engineering, science (particularly physics), technology/electronics, business, marketing and finance** across the UK.

Invitation to the next webinar: You are invited to join our EDT Placements Open Day webinar on Wednesday 13th March 2024 – please see below for details and link to register:

Webinar: EDT Year in Industry Placements Open Day

Content: YINI offers students a free resource when searching for a year out paid placement and has been helping students for over 37 years. Find out how the scheme can help you in searching for a paid placement, as well as how we support each student during their placement. Plus, hear from our Placement Team and currently placed/Alumni YINI Placement students talk about their placement experiences

Date/Time: Wednesday 13th March 2024 at 4pm - 5pm.

Register in advance for this webinar:

https://us06web.zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_7igSW52iR6yGfp2Nec4E-Q



Think that technology lies at the heart of banking? So do we

Whether you've tinkered with tech or have no previous experience with it doesn't really concern us. We're looking for curious, open-minded and motivated people to help us create a digital-first bank that provides great experiences for our customers and colleagues.

Our **Technology Degree Apprenticeship** is now open for applications and is open to all, whether you have just finished college or are someone looking to change or re-start their career.

Start your application to **join us in 2024** and find out more [here](#)

Application Deadline: 11/03/2024

[Apply Now](#)

THE PARENTS' GUIDE TO

We hope you've enjoyed half term. This month, we're including support for your parents on:

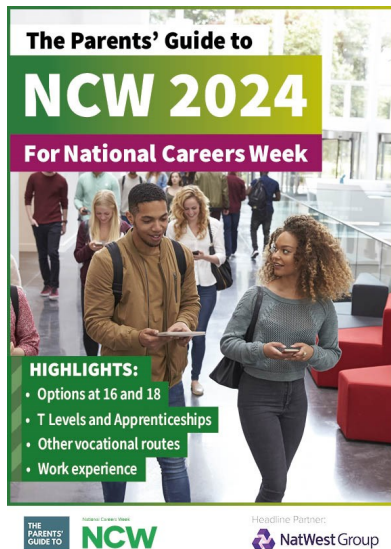
1. National Careers Week (4-9 March) – our free guide for parents in partnership with NCW
2. How parents can support their teens with revision

It's National Careers Week – 4-9 March (Years 10-13)

It's [National Careers Week](#) 4-9 March and we're thrilled to continue our partnership with NCW to create *The Parents' Guide to National Careers Week*, a free guide outlining vocational options after GCSE and sixth form. It's a really useful resource for parents to give more information about your children's non-academic routes to careers.

National Careers Week is a celebration of careers guidance in education across the UK.

[Click here to download your copy.](#)



Social media focus: careers

Because it's National Careers Week 4-9 March, every day throughout March we're giving daily tips and videos on how parents can help their teen look ahead and plan for their future. Please follow us on



Supporting teens with revision (Years 10-13)

Years 11 and 13 will be taking their finals this summer, and Years 10 and 12 will sit mocks. Parents can't revise for their teens, but they can help them develop a good system that works well for them, as well as providing support at home to keep them strong, both mentally and physically. Do share some of our articles with your parents on how they can help:

[The Parents' Guide to making study easier](#)

[The Parents' Guide to teaching your teen to revise well](#)

[The Parents' Guide to creating a revision timetable](#)

[The Parents' Guide to making study interesting](#)

Tesco- Stronger Starts Retail Apprenticeship Programme

Launching our New Retail Apprenticeship.



We're delighted to announce the launch of our new Stronger Starts Retail Apprenticeship programme, as part of our commitment to help young people achieve a stronger start in life.

This is one of the few apprenticeship programmes that doesn't require the young people to have any qualifications or experience when they start. After completing the programme, they will gain a Level 2 National Standard in Retail which is the equivalent of 5 GCSE passes .

The apprenticeship is delivered by our partner Lifetime Training and will take a minimum of 12 months to complete. The programme will include a blend of learning activities and hands-on experience on the shop floor. Those joining without a GCSE grade pass or equivalent in maths and English, will gain these during the programme.

We know that the transition from education to the world of work can be a daunting, so we have a network of people to support them every step of the way, this includes expert 1-1 pastoral support from the Prince's Trust, a dedicate Lifetime apprenticeship coach as well as our store team.

Applications for the Stronger Starts Retail Apprenticeship open in June but to mark National Apprenticeship Week, young people can register their interest [here](#) to find out more.



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Welcome to your latest newsletter!

This month, we're thrilled to present a diverse mix of exciting updates and inspiring stories.

Become a confident [solo female traveller](#) with our latest blog, explore our [new project in Tanzania](#) for aspiring lawyers, and discover the [story of seasoned volunteers](#) (11 trips and counting!) as they share their tales of friendship and adventure.

Together, let's continue our journey of discovery and transformation!



Did you know? A staggering **84% of solo travellers are women!**

This reflects a growing trend of independent female exploration. Join the movement, empower yourself, and unlock the world's wonders.

[Dive into our latest blog post](#), where we unravel the secrets of staying safe, forging friendships, and embracing the adventure of solo exploration.

Discover **practical tips** and **inspiring anecdotes** tailored for women adventurers. Your journey of self-discovery starts here.

[Read the blog >](#)

[New Project for Teens: Law & Human Rights in Tanzania](#)



Exciting news for aspiring lawyers!

Our new High School Special – [Law & Human Rights in Tanzania](#) – is designed for teens aged 15 to 18. This project offers a unique opportunity to enter the world of justice and make a difference in the vibrant city of Arusha.

Alongside local lawyers, you'll work on real legal cases, empowering women to defend their rights. You'll also campaign for critical issues such as illiteracy and domestic violence.

Living with fellow teenagers, you'll prepare presentations, conduct interviews, and attend court hearings. This provides unbeatable hands-on experience while actively contributing to human rights in Tanzania.

A monumental **3.8 million travellers** visited Tanzania last year. Join the trend by visiting this endearing East African nation!

Interview with Veteran Volunteers



Discover a heartwarming story of friendship and fearless exploration in [our latest interview](#)

Meet Joan and Carolyn, two inspiring volunteers who met via Projects Abroad and formed a lifelong friendship.

In an interview conducted during their reunion in Cambodia, Joan and Carolyn share their experiences and insights from multiple volunteer projects, spanning Public Health to Conservation.

According to Squaremouth, over 60s now make up the largest demographic of travellers again, re-establishing a trend from before the pandemic.

Join us as we delve into the stories of two older volunteers, showcasing the transformative power of travel and the bonds forged through shared adventures.

[Read the interview >](#)

[Book your free consultation >](#)