

TGGS Careers Notices Bulletin –

Week Ending – 18/07/2025



Welcome to the career's notices bulletin! As always lots of information for you. If you are in year 10 and above, please note carefully the procedure for applying for Work Experience.

Please note that it is really important that you must ensure that you only apply for events / experiences if they are relevant for your age group.

Any questions about future careers, please drop me an **email** or **message in Teams** and I can then arrange a meeting with you. I am more than happy to help you look at a variety of different options.

Many thanks,

G. Neighbour

Mr G. A. Neighbour FGS
Careers Leader

Important Reminder for students applying for InvestIN courses.

As we are a partner school if you apply for one of the events you can now gain a 10% discount on the cost – you will need to apply the code, which is given on the **Careers SharePoint News** site which is across any of their programmes. To apply the discount, the code simply needs to be entered at checkout.

All students

You will all at some point have a one-to-one Careers Meeting with Miss Morgan who is a Qualified Careers Advisor. She will notify you via MS Teams when you have a careers appointment. (All students will receive at least one Careers Meeting). When you know the time / date of your meeting it is important that you complete the Pre 1-1 Careers Meeting Questionnaire before the meeting.

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=EWSL9vASo0iK-8kz7xSXI-RC4Rj77sFOh2Vm3yUHrHVUNVA3U1A1TERONVBFV1RKODMzTFRRVFNUVi4u>

After the meeting we will ask you to also completed the following 1-1 Careers Meeting Feedback Questionnaire:

<https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=EWSL9vASo0iK-8kz7xSXI-RC4Rj77sFOh2Vm3yUHrHVUQINGSEZEN1JOSFg4Q0QMSTk3NIJNQU1RRI4u>

Any questions please contact either Miss Morgan (lmorgan@tggsacademy.org) or Mr Neighbour (gneighbour@tggsacademy.org)

IMPORTANT – Sometimes organisations (Employers and Universities) send me information with only a day or two notice of events or deadlines – As before this will be shared with you via the TGGS Careers MS Teams pages.



**Saturday 23rd
August 2025**



Be a Geologist!



**- with the South Wales
Geologists' Association**

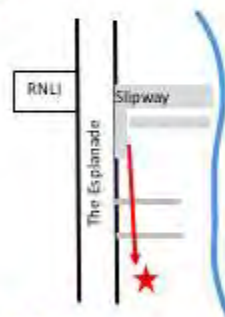


**Free, family geology day with experts on hand to
help with rock and fossil finding, identification, and
explaining the local geology.**

**All welcome: just turn up any time from 11am to 2.00pm
and stay as long as you wish**

**On Penarth beach, past the
Lifeboat Station and just beyond
the last breakwater.**

what3words [///notice.gather.slides](https://www.what3words.com/noticegather/slides)



**No experience, or hammers, necessary,
but please wear sensible footwear, and dress as
appropriate for the weather. Bring your own food and
drink, and a bag for your fossil finds.**



**For further details: 029 2057 3354
cindy.howells@museumwales.ac.uk**



Online Masterclass

World Class Project Management

This Masterclass will be run by an Industry Professional with over 30 years International Project Management experience. They will share the basic principles used in successful businesses that manage projects well.



What is Project Management?

What is World Class?

Projects or Operations?

What is best practice?

How does this apply to you?

When: Thursday 7th August at 2-4pm on Zoom

Cost: £20 - This cost includes the Live Zoom session, a copy of the slides used by the presenter and a certificate of attendance for your portfolio. Important: To take advantage of this opportunity simply click on the link below to create an account and make payment via Paypal,

Places are limited so act quickly to avoid disappointment!

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Visit us online
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Online Masterclass

Relationship Building & Interview Preparation

This Masterclass will be run by an Industry Professional who specialises in training students, graduates, or new employees so that they are better prepared for the world of work. Equipping them with the skills to excel in their job, forge long lasting relationships, prepare for successful interviews and then ultimately provide immediate value back to their employer.

Classic Interview Questions and how to answer them

Elevator Pitch

New Relationship Building

Stakeholder Analysis

Maintaining Relationships

STAR Questioning Technique

Logging & Using Achievements


When: Thursday 31st July at 11am-12:30pm on Zoom

Cost: £20 - This cost includes the Live Zoom session, a copy of the slides used by the presenter and a certificate of attendance for your portfolio. Important: To take advantage of this opportunity simply click on the link below to create an account and make payment via Paypal,

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Online Masterclass

Presentation Skills

This Masterclass will be delivered by a Chartered Mechanical Engineer with over 10 years industry experience who will provide you with a roadmap to follow when embarking on creating a Presentation whether Virtual or In-person, some key skills and techniques to aid the delivery of Presentations and generally improving Presenters experience delivering their message - whatever it may be!

Identifying the Purpose

Knowing your Audience

Organising and Planning your Presentation

Structing your Presentation

Hook Techniques

How to make the biggest Impact

Managing your nerves

When: Wednesday 20th August at 1-2:30pm on Zoom

Cost: £20 - This cost includes the Live Zoom session, a copy of the slides used by the presenter and a certificate of attendance for your portfolio. Important: To take advantage of this opportunity simply click on the link below to create an account and make payment via Paypal,

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Online Masterclass

A Career as an Engineer

This inspiring and insightful Masterclass will be delivered by a Chartered Mechanical Engineer who will share with you his 30 plus years Global Experience of Engineering and Programme Management. He will talk through his own development, the various roles and positions that he has held, and the locations where he has worked, giving you a fantastic insight into what a career as an Engineer could look like. You will also get the opportunity to ask questions.

Getting into Engineering

Why consider Engineering?

Types of Engineering

What transferable skills do Engineers have?

Functional & Programme Management

Would you want to work abroad?

When: Thursday 14th August at 2:30-4pm on Zoom

Cost: £20 - This cost includes the Live Zoom session, a copy of the slides used by the presenter and a certificate of attendance for your portfolio. Important: To take advantage of this opportunity simply click on the link below to create an account and make payment via Paypal,

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Face-to-Face Routes into STEM (16+)

Routes into STEM is an experience that provides an amazing opportunity to help students understand the different routes to further STEM education and career pathways.

What is involved?

- A chance to explore STEM at university and a range of STEM companies in person over four days
- Network with STEM professionals and students, including apprentices, graduates and more experienced experts about their experiences and the different routes into a STEM career
- Gain key examples to add to your CV or university application to show your interest in STEM and proactive approach
- Develop key skills including team working, problem solving, presentation skills, communication and confidence
- Take part in hands-on activities in STEM in order to explore what is involved in STEM courses and careers
- Become an Industrial Cadets Silver Cadet



London dates & locations

- Tuesday 29th July 2025 - QA, E1W 1UN
- Wednesday 30th July 2025 - Kingston University, KT1 2EE
- Thursday 31st July 2025 - Bechtel, W4 5HR
- Friday 1st August 2025 - Ramboll, SE1 8NW

Cost

This course costs £225.

Bursary places are available for eligible students.

How to apply?

To apply, please visit our website [here](https://www.etrust.org.uk) or scan the QR code!



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Newcastle dates & locations

- Tuesday 29th July 2025 - University of Newcastle, NE1 7RU
- Wednesday 30th July 2025 - Northumbria University, NE1 2SU
- Thursday 31st July 2025 - Accenture, NE27 0QQ
- Friday 1st August 2025 - Virtual Day

Cost

Free fully funded places available for your school (usually £225 per student)

How to apply?

To apply, please visit our website [here](https://www.etrust.org.uk) or scan the QR code!

SCAN ME



Virtual Insight into University



Insight into University is a comprehensive virtual experience allowing students to explore STEM studies at university including degree apprenticeships and the career opportunities that these subjects lead to. It provides access to information on university and student life, STEM projects and activities set by leading UK universities and global STEM companies, first year undergraduate lectures, live interactive sessions with academics, admissions tutors, apprentices, employers and current students.

Every year EDT partner up with leading Universities across the UK including: **Abertay University, Aston University, Kingston University, Lancaster University, Northumbria University, Solent University, UCL, University of Birmingham, University of Cambridge, University of Edinburgh, University of Hertfordshire, University of Liverpool, University of Oxford, University of Roehampton, University of Sheffield, University of Strathclyde, Sheffield Hallam University and University of Warwick** to give students an insight into STEM courses.

Course topics

- Hear from STEM professionals in top UK STEM companies such as Balfour Beatty, Innovate UK, GSK, GE, GFG Alliance, Murphys group and more, from those in early careers including apprentices, graduates and interns to those who have established STEM careers and those who do the hiring about how they got there, what inspired them and what exciting projects they get to work on.
- Our exclusive live sessions allow young people to ask questions of STEM professionals, admission officers, current students and professors in a safe and transparent environment.
- Get advice from experienced university admission teams on how to make a strong application, student finance, student support, interviews, admissions tests and more.
- An option to take part in practical activities to take you away from your screen such as bridge building, creating ice cream on a chemical level and experimenting with flight.

100%

of students increased their awareness of STEM opportunities available to them

92%

of students felt the skills and knowledge gained from the course would have a positive impact on their future studies or career.

What our students say

"I absolutely loved the course. It has helped me discover my true passion, and love which I hope to pursue in the future."

"I really enjoyed the course; I liked the flexibility of choosing which parts I was most interested in and how I could do it whenever it fitted my own schedule."

"I would really recommend this course to anyone wanting to pursue a career in STEM."

Course requirements and registering your interest

This course is open to all students aged 16+ who have a genuine interest in STEM subjects and is suitable for all abilities. To apply, please visit our website [here](#).



Speakers for Schools have a new portal for their **Virtual work experience opportunities** – this will replace the long list of work experience opportunities that used to be included in the newsletter.

The new website address for this portal is here –

<https://www.speakersforschools.org/experience-2/work-experience/>

This Week's Work Experience Spotlight!



Work Experience Programmes for Students

Students in Years 10-13 can complete these programmes at their own pace, fitting them around their schedules. Upon completion, they'll receive a certificate that's perfect for enhancing CVs, cover letters, and interview applications.

[You can explore all of our February programmes here](#)



National Technology Competition for Students

We're excited to invite your students to take part in the launch of Tech Mentor – a new national no-code Hackathon competition designed to inspire the next generation of tech leaders. This competition aligns with the government's drive to upskill young people in tech, and gives students a practical, exciting and career-relevant experience, while also helping your school shine on the national stage.

On Saturday 14th September 2025, we kick off the first of several high-energy online Tech Mentor events, giving students the chance to build their own app, solve real-world challenges, and compete for a place in the national finals.

What is Tech Mentor?

Tech Mentor (part of Mentorverse) is a national no-code Hackathon series where students work in teams to create an app in response to a surprise challenge revealed on the day. No coding experience needed – just enthusiasm, creativity and access to a computer.

Open to students aged 14 - 18

Fully online

Team-based format

£15 entry per student per event (students may participate in more than one)

Pre-event video briefing provided

Prizes & Progression

1st Place: £1,000 cash prize for the winning team and £100 to each winning team member's school

2nd & 3rd Place: £1,000 too, for each team

Finalists will progress to the in-person National Final on 11th July 2026

We will endeavour to put students from the same schools in the same teams as far as we possibly can. The more students participating in the competition - the higher the chances of your school winning the competition!

How to Register

Spaces are limited, so we recommend early registration.

Register your students now: <https://medicmentor.org/national-tech-mentor-hackthon-competition/>



Clearing Starts Here

A successful career starts here – and Clearing is now open. For Year 13 students rethinking their university options, [Clearing](#) offers a fantastic opportunity to discover the degree that's right for them – even if it feels a bit overwhelming. Whether they're still searching for a place this September, applying for the first time, or considering a change, our Admissions team is here to support them every step of the way as they take their next step with The University of Law.

At The University of Law, our practically focused degrees are built to prepare your students for the real world. With a wide range of courses – including [law](#), [business](#), [criminology](#), [psychology](#) and [computer science](#), we equip students with the skills and knowledge employers value, setting them on a clear path to a successful career. Students' employability is the primary focus of all our courses, and our award-winning [Employability Service](#) supports students through every step of their journey.

Clearing isn't just for when things don't go to plan – it's also for when plans evolve. Students can get ahead by visiting our [Clearing Hub](#), which includes helpful resources, FAQs, and guidance on what to expect. While we know Clearing might not be front of mind during exam season, it's a valuable opportunity—and being informed now can help them feel more confident and prepared ahead of A-Level Results Day.

[Clearing Hub](#)



How to make a Clearing phone call

We understand that calling a Clearing hotline and speaking to someone new can feel a bit daunting, but it's an important part of the process. It allows the Admissions team to confirm a student's eligibility for their chosen course and check availability.

To help students feel more prepared and confident, we've created a dedicated resource that explains exactly what to expect when they call. Once they dial [0800 009 3375](tel:08000093375), they'll be connected to a member of our friendly Clearing team, who is there to support them. The call is usually quick and straightforward – and we've included helpful tips to ensure students feel ready and able to make the most of the opportunity.

[Find out more](#)



Parent and Student Clearing Q&A | 30th July

We'd love for your students and their parents/guardians to join our interactive live online session for clear, practical advice on the Clearing process. This informative Q&A will cover key timeframes, what to expect on results day, and the steps students can take next – whether they're waiting for results on 14 August or didn't apply during the main UCAS cycle. Led by our Admissions and Recruitment Teams, the session is designed to help students feel confident, informed, and ready to explore the opportunities Clearing can offer.

[Join our event](#)



Clearing Q&A – Virtual Event | 12th August

This online session is designed to give Year 13 students clear, practical advice on the Clearing process. Covering everything from key dates and what to expect on results day to the steps students can take if they haven't applied through the main UCAS cycle, the session is ideal for those considering university this autumn. Led by our Admissions and Recruitment Teams, the Q&A will help students feel confident and prepared to explore their options and take the next step through Clearing.

[Book now](#)



Undergraduate Open Days – On Campus and Online

Students are invited to explore what life at The University of Law is really like by attending one of our Undergraduate Open Days, held both on campus and virtually throughout the year. These events offer the chance to tour our campuses, meet current students, hear from academic staff, and connect with our support teams – all designed to help students discover how we can support their ambitions and future goals.

[Book an Open Day](#)

Practical Alternatives to University

UKSA

Beyond the Horizon

Oceans of Opportunity with UK Sailing Academy

Discover a real alternative to University for graduates this year. For almost 40 years UKSA have been delivering lifechanging education, training and experiences to thousands of students, that open doors to thriving maritime careers.

The maritime industry depends on a highly skilled, diverse and dynamic workforce and we ensure our students gain the qualifications to progress into fulfilling and lasting careers in the maritime industry, whether that is as Watersports Instructors, Skippers, Deckhands or Engineers.

Superyacht Cadetship

UKSA's Superyacht Cadetship is a unique, structured training programme designed to take students from aspiring seafarer to qualified Officer of the Watch (Yachts <3000gt) in just 5 years.

Cadets split their time between intensive on and offshore training at UKSA, and extended periods of paid work onboard Superyachts around the world, starting as Deckhands and progressing through the industry to Bosun, Officers and Captains.

[Find Out More](#)





Watersports Instructor Training

UKSA's Watersports Instructor Training is a customised and action packed 11 week training package equipping students with all the skills needed to begin a career in as a multi-disciplined instructor in the watersports industry.

Funded options are available, as well as the opportunity to work for UKSA for 2 seasons upon completion of the course.

[Find Out More](#)

Professional Yachtmaster Offshore

Delivered by our globally renowned yachting team, this premium qualification is a carefully tailored 16 week course combining essential theory with intensive hands-on training.

Graduates will enter the maritime industry able to take command at sea with confidence and skipper flotillas, charters, deliveries or even pursue roles on superyachts or in the Merchant Navy.

[Find Out More](#)





UNIVERSITY OF
PLYMOUTH



Confirmation and Clearing

REGISTER FOR CLEARING

Clearing could be a great opportunity to find their place at the University of Plymouth. Students can register their interest in advance for Clearing right now, and on results day access a priority phone line to discuss their options and answer any questions they may have.

[Register now](#)

CLEARING CALL CENTRE

Our Confirmation and Clearing call centre will be open from 8am until 9pm on Thursday 14 August. Students will be able to call the number below, where a friendly member of our team will be happy to help.

[0330 241 6929](tel:03302416929)

GOOD TO KNOW

Students may also find our Clearing podcast episode useful in considering their next steps. We talk to students about what Clearing is, their experience with it, and how it can help if you don't quite get the grades that were expected.

[Listen here](#)

CAREERS IN HEALTHCARE WITH THE NHS

TAKE A LOOK



Final Reminder:

Live NHS Pharmacy Event – Support Your Students' Next Steps

Ever wondered what it's *really* like to work in pharmacy? From helping patients on the front line to playing a vital role in NHS healthcare teams - pharmacy is more than just prescriptions.

Join us this Tuesday 22nd July from 6–7pm for a *LIVE* virtual event with NHS South West where you'll get an exclusive behind-the-scenes look at careers in pharmacy and the chance to ask all your questions!

Whether you're just curious or already keen on a healthcare career, this session is a brilliant way to explore your next steps.



Step into Pharmacy with NHS South West Insight Event

 Tuesday 22nd July |  6–7pm |  Online

What's in it for you?

- 👁️ A day in the life of NHS pharmacy staff
- 🧪 Roles of pharmacists and pharmacy technicians
- 🧠 Skills & qualifications you'll need
- 💬 Real career stories from professionals in the South West
- ✅ Top tips on how to explore pharmacy as a career right now!

[Sign Up Now](#)

🚫 **Don't miss out – register now to save your spot!**



[View in Browser](#)



Courses Still Available for September 2025

Swansea University have a [range of courses still available](#) for September 2025 enrolment for your students. With over 300 courses available in clearing, we're confident that we can find the perfect choice for your students.

[Clearing 2025 >](#)

At Swansea, our Admissions team are on hand to answer any questions your students might have. We also offer foundation courses as well as academic support for when they join.

Please encourage students who have questions to [get in touch](#) with us particularly if they are concerned about their offer.

5 Things To Note About Clearing

With more than 50,000 students using this route to accept their university place in 2024, understanding the Clearing process can be crucial in helping and reassuring your students on results day. With this in mind, we've picked our top 5 tips on navigating this part of the UCAS journey.

[Read more >](#)

Missed Out On Medicine?

With competition for spaces at medical schools so fierce in the first place, it's rare for spaces to become available through Clearing. Swansea University offers an alternative study option for medicine, with places available through Clearing on our '[Pathways to Medicine](#)'.

[Pathways to Medicine >](#)



Lloyds Banking Group

Law Summer Virtual Work Experience

Tuesday 29th – Wednesday 30th July 2025 | 10am – 2pm |

FAO Careers & Law / Finance Are you considering a career in **law** or **finance**? Want to understand what lawyers do **inside some of the world's top businesses**?

Join us for this **virtual two-day insight programme** with **Lloyds Banking Group (LBG)** to gain an exclusive look into the world of **in-house legal teams**, take part in workshops, develop your skills, and hear real-life career stories from legal professionals working in a leading FTSE 100 company.

What You'll Gain:

- Insight into the **legal profession** and how law works in large businesses.
- An understanding of **career pathways** and entry routes into law.
- The chance to meet and hear from lawyers working in teams such as Finance, Legal, Business and HR
- Practical advice on **CVs, interviews, and applications**.
- Skills sessions on **negotiation, communication, and problem-solving**.
- Discussions on **AI, ethics, and the future of law**.

Event Details:

- **Event:** Explore Law – Lloyds Banking Group Legal Virtual Work Experience
- **Dates:** Tuesday 29th – Wednesday 30th July 2025
- **Time:** 10am – 2pm each day
- **Location:** Online (Virtual)
- **Who Can Attend:** All students especially Years 11, 12, 13 and at University

Why Attend?

Lloyds Banking Group's Legal Division plays a crucial role in the bank's work with individuals, small businesses, and major corporations across the UK. This is your opportunity to understand what it's really like to be a lawyer working in-house—and discover a rewarding career path you may not have considered before.

Spaces Are Limited – Register Today!

👉 Register here: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/LBG_Legal_WEX

We look forward to welcoming you to this inspirational legal careers event!

How to use Extra



To understand how to use Extra in detail, please follow this link:

<https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/after-you-apply/types-offer/extra-choices>