



Your monthly careers news!

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Visit Zena and Tina in Careers Room 166 Monday for Friday if you have any questions or want to book an interview.

Don't miss the best opportunities now!



Looking for an apprenticeship for next year? The bigger companies have started their recruitment campaigns for school and college leavers. Make sure you are registered on for vacancies and set up a text alert on [apprenticeships.gov.uk](https://www.apprenticeships.gov.uk). UCAS and many other commercial sites publicise vacancies too. Click here for a selection of vacancies advertised this [week](#).

Maximising your chances of getting an apprenticeship....

Many apprenticeship schemes are more competitive than getting a university place - so how do you improve your chances of getting one? If you have not had any work experience some of these companies offer opportunities and insight days so you get the "insider track" knowledge of what they are looking for as well getting "known" by the recruitment team to improve your chances. See PWC and Dentons Open Events below and see Careers for more information about other opportunities that are regularly sent.

PWC and Dentons Insight Events

Weighing up your post A-level options can be a confusing time, with so many choices to make and factors to consider. Much is made of the debate as to whether to start work straight away or go to Uni but which path is right for you?

PWC are hosting an Office Open Evening at our Gatwick Office on Thursday 5th December from 6-7.30pm aimed at Years 11-13 students, and their parents. Attending one of their office based events will give you the chance to pick up lots of information about PwC and which of our career options interests you most. You'll find out where a career with PwC can take you – and how far you could go – and you'll be able to ask questions face-to-face to get a better grasp of their business. To sign up to attend please visit our website [here](#).

Fancy a career in **Law** but looking for the apprenticeship route. Register [here](#) for the **Dentons** Insight Day to find out more about the Degree Apprenticeship in law.



Google apprenticeships are open!

Google have announced their apprenticeships are open for students interested in Computer Science and Marketing/Advertising.

Roles available

[1. Software Engineering: Level 4](#)

[2. Digital Marketing: Level 3](#)

[3. Infrastructure Technician: Level 3](#) Application deadline: 17 January 2020 start Oct 2020

You can read more about their programmes on [this page](#)

Top 3 sites to help with CVs, interviews and tests

The Careers Team can help you with any of these but check these web sites if you want to help from the web:

Coulsdon College Moodle – [UCAS and Careers section](#)

[Barclays Lifeskills](#)

[PWC Employability Hub](#)

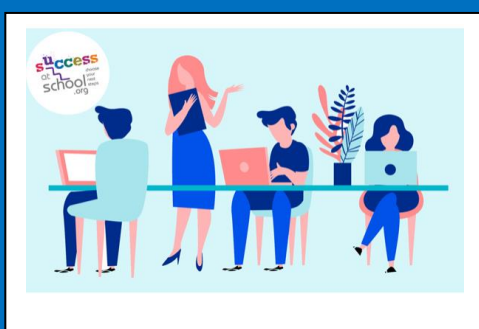
Nursing Associates Open Day



Nursing Associates are key players in the NHS. Find out more at the open day click [here](#) for further information.

Spaces are filling up fast, so please register here or scan the QR Code if you would like to attend.

We look forward to seeing you there!



Got your five UCAS choices but still struggling with the statement get some advice right [here](#) with Successatschool.

Important Notice

Although the UCAS deadline is officially the 15 January we need three weeks to process any application in college which happens AFTER you press "SEND". Application and places are already being awarded to people who have applied by the college deadline. If you have any issues or problems please come and see the Careers Team and we try help you with any issues you may have.