

# CAREERS & PROGRESSION NEWSLETTER

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## THIS ISSUE

28<sup>th</sup> April 2025

Welcome to another edition of the Careers Newsletter!

This week, we have local and virtual work experience opportunities, and apprenticeship information with Wilkin Chapman, the Centre for Research into Communities and E-Learning Systems and SYSTRA UK. We have a spotlight on Science and Research and have plenty of masterclasses available with Unifrog, Next Tech Girls, Lincolnshire Training Hub and Pathway CTM. Lastly, we have university information from Apply: Cambridge, the University of Strathclyde Glasgow, University of Sheffield and University of East Anglia.

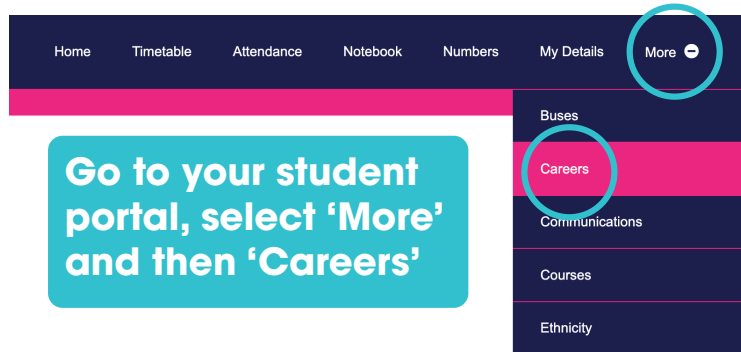
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Many thanks,

The Careers Team

**#SEEYOURFUTURE**

# How to book a Careers Appointment



Fill in the information on the Careers Appointment Booking page

## Careers Appointment

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Drop in advice sessions may be available - please contact College Services.

If you would like a careers appointment please complete all of the following fields:

What work history or work experience have you had?

Do you have any medical condition or other factor which may affect your career choice?

☒ No ☐ Yes

If yes then please give details:

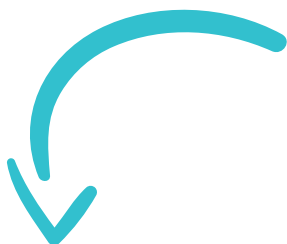
What are your interests / what do you do in your spare time?

Please tell me how I can help you.

Examples: I want to be an accountant; I am interested in doing a course in nursing.

Finally, what type of interview would you prefer?

Please Select



## Book an appointment (not during lessons)

1. Select a date to see a list of available appointments (not today, at the weekend or in the past).

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2. Select one of the available appointments (Red text represent slots where careers are available, but you are not).

-- Select Time --

3. Book the selected appointment.

Book Appointment

You will receive a confirmation email and an appointment will be created in your Outlook Calendar.

If College has your mobile number you will also receive a reminder text on the morning of your appointment.

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# WORK

# EXPERIENCE

## **Culture and Tourism A Level Internship with NELC**

North East Lincolnshire Council and Our Big Picture are offering a blended internship to support delivery of the Creativity Strategy Action Plan. They are seeking an intern to be part of our teams to contribute to the cultural and heritage offer in North East Lincolnshire.

The role is flexible to cover a variety of activities such as:

- Discussions about programme delivery
- Young Persons Advisory Board member
- Research and Development on cultural and heritage topics
  - Social media and content creation
  - Installing and taking down exhibitions

The ideal candidate will be someone with an interest in the creative industries who wants to develop skills and find out about opportunities available locally.

Click [here](#) to apply!

## **Shop Assistant at Today's Extra, Grimsby**

Today's Extra are looking for a dedicated and enthusiastic Shop Assistant to join their team. The ideal candidate will play a crucial role in ensuring the smooth operation of their shop, providing excellent customer service, and maintaining an organised environment. This position is perfect for individuals who enjoy working in a dynamic setting and have a passion for helping others. With the nature of this role, it is suitable for 18+ applicants only.

Click [here](#) to apply.

## **BBC 'Get In' Taster Programme**

As you come to the end of your time in education, it can be tricky to know what steps to take next. This BBC 'Get In' taster day is designed to help you find out a bit more about the variety of career paths on offer and give you a first-hand feel of what the BBC is like as a place to work in your local area.

You will get the chance to spend the day with us at BBC East Yorkshire and Lincolnshire and see in person what it's really like working in a media environment. It's also an opportunity find out about a variety of jobs across the BBC and hear from people who do some of those roles in the area in and around where you live.

Click [here](#) to apply – applications close on 18<sup>th</sup> May, with the event taking place on Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> June.



# APPRENTICESHIPS

## **Wilkin Chapman Paralegal Apprenticeship Scheme**

Looking to start a career in law and eager to get hands-on experience but don't want to go to university? The Wilkin Chapman Paralegal Apprenticeship Scheme could be the perfect opportunity for you. As an apprentice, you'll have the chance to earn while you learn, gaining valuable experience and skills as you work alongside our experienced professionals in a real-life legal environment with the leading law firm in Lincolnshire and East Yorkshire.

After successfully completing the programme, you'll gain a recognised qualification and be ready to move into a paralegal role within the business, with the potential to continue your studies to become a qualified chartered legal executive or solicitor.

Click [here](#) for more information.

## **Affective Game Technology Apprentice with the Centre for Research into Communities and E-Learning Systems, Gloucester**

Join the Centre for Research into Communities and E-Learning Systems as an Affective Game Technology Apprentice and develop emotionally intelligent game software. You'll work with cutting-edge tech, including Azure servers and legacy devices, while earning a degree. Ideal for tech-savvy creatives with a passion for psychology, gaming, and inclusive design.

Your duties will include:

- Develop, test, and debug affective game software using C#, Python, or C++ on Azure and Toughbook platforms.
- Assist in integrating biometric and emotional data into interactive game systems.
- Support deployment and compatibility testing on both legacy and contemporary devices.

And so much more! Click [here](#) to apply.

## **BEng Railway Engineering Degree Apprenticeship with SYSTRA UK, York**

SYSTRA UK are recruiting our next apprentice to support their growing portfolio of work. This is an opportunity to achieve a degree and build your knowledge of the rail sector, while specialising in one of the Mechanical & Electrical discipline.

The primary role of the apprenticeship is to provide technical support to project teams by undertaking specialist and technical tasks that support the overall objectives set by the Lead engineer, which include supporting proposal development, assisting with on-site inspections and surveys and more.

Click [here](#) for more information or to apply.





**CATCH**

APPRENTICESHIPS

# Y10 & Y12 TRADE TASTER DAYS

*Join us at CATCH as we host our Trade Taster Days!*

*Y10 and Y12 students will have the opportunity to explore and experience our practical workshops, in order to help them make an informed decision surrounding engineering apprenticeships.*

*Students will be able to join for **one** of the two days.*

*Spaces are limited and on a first come, first serve basis.*

*To register please email [outreach@catchuk.org](mailto:outreach@catchuk.org)*

**TUESDAY 22ND JULY**

**WEDNESDAY 23RD JULY**

*Taught by industry professionals, students will experience:*

- **Mechanical**
- **Electrical**
- **Welding**
- **Pipefitting**
- **Process Operations**

# MASTERCLASSES

## **Managing your Wellbeing during Exams and Tests with Unifrog**

Exams and tests are important for opening doors to your next steps, but you need to manage your wellbeing to get the best results. In this webinar, hear from the University of Lincoln and one of Unifrog's mental health champions about their top tips for managing exam and test stress, help you to find your best revision style, and signpost you to some useful resources for accessing support.

This will take place on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> May at 4:30pm. Sign up [here](#).

## **Cybersecurity Career Conversation with Tenable and Next Tech Girls**

This engaging session will feature inspiring women working in tech and cybersecurity at global cyber security leader, Tenable! They will share their personal career journeys, insights into the industry, and practical advice young women considering pursuing tech careers.

This will take place on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> May from 9am – 10am – click [here](#) to register.

## **Chemistry and Biology Revision Sessions with Lincolnshire Training Hub**

### **Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> May: Biology – Liver, Kidney + The Heart:**

Learn about three of the body's organs, their function, how they can go wrong, and major marking points. Also including medicine links to the content, including common diseases, to help you remember the content more by applying it to real life.

### **Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> May: Chemistry – Analysis Techniques:**

Including Infrared Spectroscopy, Mass Spectroscopy, Proton NMR, Carbon NMR and how to tackle those big mark questions at the end of the organic paper. Including links to how we use these techniques within medicine.

Click [here](#) to register.

## **Teach the Nation to Code: DevOps with PathwayCTM**

DevOps is a software development and IT methodology that integrates and automates the work of software development and IT operations. Join this webinar for an introduction to DevOps and learn some of the techniques used to build modern applications.

This will take place on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> May from 10am – 2pm.

Click [here](#) to register.





**IntoUniversity** is a leading education charity providing local learning centres where young people are inspired to achieve.

## **FREE Secondary Academic Support for Y7-13:**

- ✓ Focus on homework and revision
- ✓ Access laptops, books and other resources
- ✓ Get help with essay writing and exam technique
- ✓ Seek support for your UCAS application
- ✓ Win rewards and prizes
- ✓ 1 to 1 mentoring with a University student
- ✓ Student enrichment opportunities

**Monday and Thursday (school term)**

**4:00 - 5:30pm**

**IntoUniversity Grimsby, The Neighbourhood Centre,  
289a Weelsby Street, Grimsby, DN32 7JW**

*As we are funded to work with the young people who need us the most, we will use criteria requirements to assess eligibility to join.*

**Phone us on 01472 403370 or email us at  
[grimsby@intouniversity.org](mailto:grimsby@intouniversity.org) to speak to a  
member of staff and book a registration  
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# A SPOTLIGHT

ON...

## Science and Research

Invent, experiment and push the boundaries of discovery with a career in science and research.

### What is a career in Science and Research like?

Building, creating and investigating: these are just a few of the exciting functions of a scientist. Scientists, technologists, engineers and mathematicians all use technical expertise and methodologies to test theories, invent new things and generally discover more about the world around us. Scientists develop new chemicals, foods, drugs and materials, investigate disease and the environmental impacts of pollution, develop software, help our buildings stay standing, explore the universe and even predict the weather.

### What careers are available in Science and Research?

STEM jobs can be found in labs, factories, offices or in the great outdoors. There's a huge range of options! Here are some of the main areas you can work in with science-based qualifications...

- Biology and Environmental Science
  - Biomedical Science
    - Chemistry
    - Economy
    - Engineering
    - Forensics
    - Geology
  - Mathematics
    - Physics
    - Statistics

...And so many more!

### Is a career in Science and Research for me?

People with STEM skills are in serious demand — in fact, there is currently a shortage of STEM skills. STEM skills include things like data analysis and interpreting statistics. But you might be surprised to learn that there are other very important skills to develop if you'd like a career in science and research. These include problem solving, creativity, debating and communication. So, when considering whether science is the career for you, try to answer these questions... Are you curious? Do you enjoy thinking about how things work? Do you take a creative approach to solving problems?

Scientists and mathematicians can spend a lot of time gathering evidence or testing out theories before they get a result, so you'd also have to be patient and precise, with good attention to detail. Scientists tend to be organised, analytical and logical. They need strong communication skills to explain their research and findings to others.

Click [here](#) for more information on a career in Science and Research.



# UNIVERSITY INFORMATION



## **Apply: Cambridge Programme**

Apply: Cambridge is a free online programme to support high attaining students from underrepresented backgrounds and areas make competitive applications to the University of Cambridge.

The programme includes:

- Mentoring from a University of Cambridge student
- Informational webinars with Admissions Tutors and Cambridge staff
  - Interactive admissions test workshops
  - Interactive interview workshops

And more!

Applications close on 1<sup>st</sup> May- so be quick! Click [here](#).

## **University of Strathclyde Glasgow Virtual Open Day**

The Virtual Visit will give you the opportunity to find out more about Strathclyde and explore their campus. The visit will include:

- A live presentation overview of the University – including information on their undergraduate courses
- Information about University facilities and the Strathclyde student experience
  - Chat with their Student Recruitment team and student ambassadors

This will take place on 12<sup>th</sup> May – click [here](#) for more information.

## **Materials Science & Engineering Taster Session with the University of Sheffield**

Materials are everywhere, shaping the world we live in - from aeroplanes and mobile phones to life-saving medical breakthroughs.

Materials Science and Engineering is a fast-moving field at the cutting edge of technology, perfect for curious problem-solvers who want to make a real impact.

This webinar will take place on 13<sup>th</sup> May - click [here](#) to register.

## **Film Taster Lecture (Special Effects) with the University of East Anglia**

In this live interactive Film/Media tutorial, you will be joined by Keith Johnston, Professor of Film & Television Studies at University of East Anglia, who will run an interactive tutorial on Special Effects.

This will take place on 13<sup>th</sup> May from 3:40 – 4:25pm – click [here](#) to register.



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Apply: Cambridge 2025 will run from July 2025 to January 2026. Eligibility criteria applies.

**Applications are open  
until 1 May 2025**

[www.cam.ac.uk/apply-cambridge](http://www.cam.ac.uk/apply-cambridge)

