

Careers News

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Junior 6th Form Work Placements

We will shortly be publishing the list of those Junior 6th pupils who will need to be available over the reserve days. If you haven't returned one of the forms and do not have other School-organised trips to attend, please make sure that you make a note of the days and times you are required.

J6 HOW TO RESEARCH HIGHER EDUCATION & UNIVERSITY COURSES

Every J6 tutor group is allocated a session with a Careers Adviser to show them how to navigate their way through the plethora of literature/websites now available on Higher Education/University. Please ensure that you attend your session and arrive promptly, - the correct choice of university/course is very important and you must take this matter seriously. The CLS guide to HE Resources will be distributed at these sessions. All sessions are at 1.10pm on Tuesdays or Thursdays in the Careers Centre. Date/tutor groups for this term are given below.

Thursday 4 th February	RFD/DRE
Tuesday 9 th February	RE/WER
Thursday 11 th February	AJH/HRSJ
Tuesday 23 rd February	JEJ/JBK
Tuesday 2 nd March	KK/ATL
Thursday 4 th March	NOM/AJM
Thursday 11 th March	PCM/NPM
Tuesday 16 th March	GP/RGP
Thursday 18 th March	LMR/KPR
Tuesday 23 rd March	CSS/HMS
Thursday 25 th March	JTS/MJW

Careers Events Soon

Date	Event
Tuesday 2 nd February	Architecture (All)
Tuesday 2 nd February	Coursefinder (J6 th)
Thursday 11 th February	Fees, Loans & Accommodation (S6 th)
Tuesday 23 rd February	GAP Year (All)
Thursday 25 th February	Army Interviews
Tuesday 2 nd March	PR & Marketing (All)
Thursday 4 th March	Journalism (All)
Tuesday 9 th March	Higher Education Forum
Monday 15 th March	US University Forum (All)
Thursday 18 th March	Science (All)

In addition, a careers advisor will be present at both the 5th and J6th Parents' evenings.

The Royal Society of Medicine Events: So you want to be a doctor? Wednesday 10 March.
Easter Lecture for Young People: Robotic Surgery in the 21st Century Monday 22 March.
Both RSM London. Phone 0207 290 3919 or visit www.rsm.ac.uk/medicalcareer/ Both **FREE!**

J6 HAVE YOU BOOKED A TASTER COURSE?

For details of the University of London Taster Course Programme for 2010 visit www.london.ac.uk/tasters These are **SUPERB** and **FREE**. They run for half a day to one week and are available between February and August 2010. There are 161 courses but some are very popular indeed and early booking is essential. Please apply by visiting www.london.ac.uk/tasters

Please also read the information sent out on Student Day.

Are you interested in studying PPE at University next year?

If so **Debate Chamber** are running a PPE half term school from February 18th - 21st 2010 which offers an in depth examination of each of the subjects and would be a good headstart for your application. For more information visit www.debatechamber.com or see the flier in the Careers centre."

Thinking of **Architecture**? Don't miss ...

.....the lunchtime talk given by senior architects from **Gensler** on Tuesday 2nd February 1.10 – 1.50pm in the Science Lecture Room

J6 Interviews

Interviews will continue this week for the Junior Sixth. You will be notified by letter of the date/time of your interview and a list is published weekly in Careers News. All interviews are in the Careers Centre. Please courteously inform your teacher that you will be missing their lesson and take steps to catch up any missed work/homework.

Tuesday 2nd February Mrs M Gray

Name	Form	Time	Period
Jared Rood	J6HMS	9.10	1
Alexander Watson	J6HMS	9.50	2
Fred Hill	J6HRSJ	10.30	3
Kirtiman Singh	J6CSS	2.00	6
Atsuhide Miyagi	J6HRSJ	2.40	7
Saad Syed	J6HRSJ	3.20	8

Thursday 4th February Mr B Orcese

Name	Form	Time	Period
Anujan Thiagaraja	J6HRSJ	9.10	1
Steven Wang	J6HRSJ	9.50	2
Archy Bates	J6JBK	10.30	3
Samuel Collins	J6JBK	11.30	4
Adam Jones	J6JBK	2.00	6
Neel Sood	J6JBK	2.40	7

The Lord Mayor's Awards Trust

Grants are available for **Travel overseas**, **Special training**, or **Adventure training** for young people aged 17-25. Several CLS students have successfully applied in the past. Please see Mr Baglin if you wish to find out more.

Friday Talks for J6th Medics at CLSG 1.00-1.30pm

February 5 Tom Whyte – ex World Service – AIDS in Botswana and South Africa

March 12 Prof Sir Michael Rawlings Chair of NICE – work of NICE

If you're interested, please advise Mrs Read – **do not attend without doing so!!**

The *Smallpeice Trust* – short courses scheduled for 2010

The Smallpeice Trust is an independent charity providing exciting programmes to promote **engineering** careers to young people. The courses shown below are run at various universities in July and may be also be a good opportunity to have a look at the university you are considering. For more details as to how to apply, see Miss Read.

Mining & Minerals	University of Exeter	19 th – 22 nd July	£145
Sports Materials	University of Manchester	20 th – 23 rd July	£145
Naval Architecture	University of Plymouth	26 th – 29 th July	£175
Nanotechnology	University of Leeds	5 th – 8 th July	£325
Supercomputing in Engineering	University of Southampton	6 th – 9 th July	£325
Power Engineering	Aston University	12 th – 15 th July	£175

Prices include accommodation, meals, course materials and social

J6th Coursefinder Session is next Tuesday

4pm Science Lecture Room – Don't be late!!

As part of our programme to help you decide on your university destination, we will be organising applications to *COURSEFINDER*. This helps reduce the amount of research required by you to manageable proportions. It is helpful to those who can identify their specific course interests and is of immense value to those who are less sure. Details have already been distributed to all J6 formers via tutors on Student Day. The cost is just £2 (heavily subsidised) and requires you to attend a session at 4.00pm on Tuesday 2nd February in the Science Lecture Theatre to complete a questionnaire. It will take about 45 minutes to complete the questionnaire. The questionnaire is then sent away for processing and you then receive a written report. You then discuss your report with a Careers Advisor.

Cheques payable to City of London School ASAP.