

Progression Guidance Bulletin - 20 October 2021

The Careers Department is a resource that is available to all students, offering advice and information about university, apprenticeships, and employment. We can help you with work experience, apprenticeships, university applications and can provide impartial guidance to help you make informed choices. If you would like to book a career appointment, please email progression@esher.ac.uk

TODAY - University and Apprenticeships virtual fair

UK university and apprenticeship search virtual fair on Wednesday 20 October 12:00-18:00 – to register - [UK University & Apprenticeship Search Virtual Fairs October 2021 \(vfairs.com\)](https://www.vfairs.com)

6.2 UCAS

You must get your UCAS form checked for accuracy before you submit it.

You can do this **before** you finish your personal statement or choices, as long as all the remaining sections are complete. Forms can be checked in **Progression Guidance (R105) from 9.30 - 4.30**. Just drop in to R105 - you may have to wait so if it is busy come back later.

UCAS form College deadlines

General applications – 8am Monday 8 November - we will guarantee to send to UCAS by the end of term

Final college deadline – 8am on Monday 22 November - we will guarantee to send to UCAS by their deadline in January

Later applications will be processed, and most universities will accept them.

Available Personal Statement sessions with advisers from higher education, on Teams

Tuesday 2 November

Tuesday 9 November

Tuesday 16 November
Wednesday 17 November
Thursday 18 November

Email progression@esher.ac.uk for an appointment

University Open Days

Each year, universities throw open their doors to prospective students. This term they are going to be face to face and not just virtual! Have a look at this link to book an open day visit or virtual tour. [Opendays.com - university and college open days - home page](https://opendays.com)

Virtual open days at the University of Leeds: [Undergraduate open days | University of Leeds](#)

Book live events at the University of Leeds: [School of Law - Undergraduate | School of Law | University of Leeds](#)

Uni Taster Days

Attending a Taster Day allows students to learn more about their subject of choice through a sample lecture and to gain an insight into studying at university through practical sessions. See link below for taster day schedules:

www.tasterdays.co.uk

Interested in Sport?

The Institute of Sport are pleased to offer year 12 and 13 students the opportunity to join one of our face-to-face Masterclass sessions on campus, to enhance their knowledge and experience of what it is like to study Sport at the University of Chichester.

[Institute of Sport Taster Day Tickets, Wed 1 Dec 2021 at 09:00 | Eventbrite](#)

Interested in Journalism?

On **Wednesday November 10th, at lunchtime (1245-1345)**, Lucy Dyer from News Associates will give a **journalism workshop in Y009**. This is a great opportunity for all students who are interested in a career in journalism or PR. News Associates has been ranked the number one NCTJ Journalism School for many years.

Please contact Chris Knowles (cknowles@esher.ac.uk) if you would like to attend.

There are also online masterclasses from another journalism college - The School of Journalism here: - [Free Journalism masterclasses - The School of Journalism Manchester](#)

Interested in Law?

Thinking of becoming a barrister?

The Inner Temple regularly hosts series of events that give an insight into the profession. Hear from practising barristers and judges about their journey to Bar and join them for a networking reception – for more information:

[Insight Events: Becoming a Barrister | Inner Temple](#)

Law - Clifford Chance virtual Law work experience, Tuesday 26 October. Please see link for further information:

[Clifford Chance Insight Experience Day - 26th October 9am - 4pm Survey \(surveymonkey.com\)](#)

Looking for a job?

London Job Show – 29-30 October 1am – 5pm. Join top employers at **Westfield Shepherds Bush** to find out about a wide range of employment, apprenticeship and training opportunities.

[The UK's Most Attended Careers Fair | Job Show London \(londonjobshow.co.uk\)](#)

Work Experience opportunities - if you want help with work experience, come and find Cat in R105 or email celmes@esher.ac.uk

InvestIN rebrand Autumn 2021

InvestIn announce their widest range of career experience programmes yet: featuring **28 different industries** to choose from, with a **variety of live online and in-person options** available. When a student registers for an InvestIn programme, **they will gain a 12-month membership to the state-of-the-art tech platform, AmbitionX.** This features unlimited live online weekend and evening programmes. To sign up the

Look at the programmes here [InvestIN | Ambition Beyond Education](#) and use the college's unique Partner School discount code: **ESHER2019** to get 10% off.

Speakers for Schools work experience

[Experience > View Opportunity Details \(s4snextgen.org\)](#)

Upcoming broadcasts: [Upcoming Broadcasts - Speakers for Schools](#)

Springpod

If you are interested in any type of virtual work experience on Springpod - [Take control of your future | Springpod](#) We have free and unlimited access to all Springpod programmes.

NHS Healthcare virtual work experience

[NHS Healthcare Careers Virtual Work Experience – Allied Healthcare Mentor \(alliedhealthmentor.org\)](https://alliedhealthmentor.org)

Volunteering

Princess Alice Hospice – volunteering@pah.org.uk – great opportunity for students interested in healthcare or medicine.... 3-day virtual work experience in October half term.

Royal Horticultural Society, RHS Garden Wisley – two volunteering roles available with the Education and Learning Team. Please contact schoolswisley@rhs.org.uk for further information.

Gap Year

Want to find out more about what is involved in taking a gap year – see this link for further information:

[Gap Year Company • Volunteer Programmes • Africa & Asia Venture \(AV\)](#)