

CAREERS & PROGRESSION NEWSLETTER

THIS ISSUE

27th April 2026

Welcome to another edition of the Careers Newsletter!

In this edition, we're featuring work experience opportunities with Young Professionals, Northeast Lincolnshire Council, Springpod, and The Coliseum Picture Theatre. We also have apprenticeship opportunities available with Weelsby View Pharmacy, Healing Surgery, Barton Dental Care, and Morrisons. Plus, explore a range of masterclasses with Gresham College and the University of Lincoln. You can also discover Sheffield through UCAS or take part in a Psychology taster lecture with the University of East Anglia. We also have university information available from the University of Salford, the University of Hull, the University of Lincoln, and Universities UK.

Be sure to complete the Google Form to be in with the chance of winning a £10 Amazon voucher!

Many thanks,

The Careers Team

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PROFESSIONAL DEVELOPMENT

Fancy being in with the chance of winning a £10 Amazon voucher?

Complete [this](#) short feedback survey to be in the draw!

Work Experience

If you are looking for or are interested in work experience opportunities, please email emma.heard@franklin.ac.uk for further information on how to apply or visit the CFPD office.

Careers Appointments

If you are unsure of your next steps or want some advice and guidance about courses, training, employment, or apprenticeships – please make a careers appointment.

If you need any help, please follow the guide on the next page, or email zofia.ciopcinski@franklin.ac.uk

Foundation Art Prize with The Northern School of Art

Entries for this year's Foundation Art Prize close on Friday 1 May, so there is still a short window for students to submit their work.

The Foundation Art Prize is a fantastic opportunity to celebrate emerging creative talent and recognise outstanding young artists:

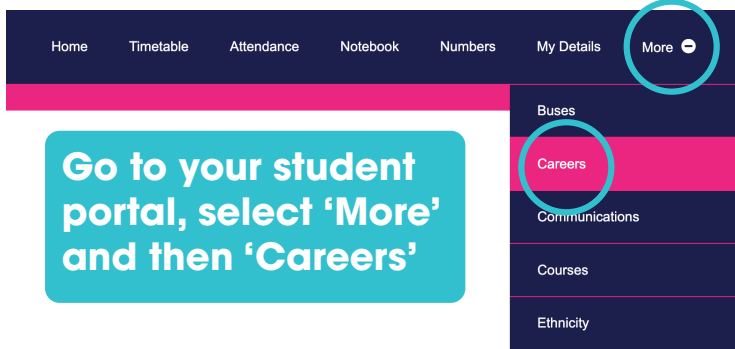
Years 12–13 (16–18)

- £300 cash prize for the winner
- Two runners-up will each receive £50 vouchers for creative materials
- The winner's school or college will receive a £100 contribution towards art materials

We would be delighted to see entries from students. Full details, eligibility information and how to enter can be found here:

<https://northernart.ac.uk/call-for-entries-as-expanded-foundation-art-prize-2026-launches/>

How to book a Careers Appointment



Go to your student portal, select 'More' and then 'Careers'



Careers Appointment

Careers Appointment Booking

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?

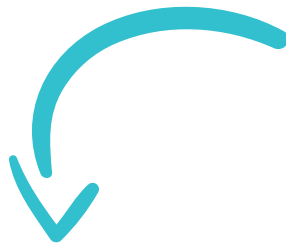
Please tell me how I can help you.

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

Fill in the information on the Careers Appointment Booking page



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).

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3. Book the selected appointment.

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Select the available appointment slot most convenient to you and book it!

Key info

Launch

Feb 2026

Deadline

1st May 2026,
11:59pm

**Award ceremony at the School's
Middlesbrough campus:**

18th June, 5:30pm

Digital image or video submissions of original work. Not GCSE/A Level final work.

Ts&Cs and How To Enter:
visit northernart.ac.uk

WORK

EXPERIENCE



Work Experience Day in London with Young Professionals

The Young Professionals Summer Conference in London, taking place on Saturday, 18th July 2026. Students will get to meet with 30 of the world's biggest brands, take part in workshops, skills sessions, and hear / network with senior leaders from across the industry!

Event Details: Date: Saturday 18th July

Location: Friends House, London, Euston (right opposite Euston Train Station)

Time: 2pm - 6pm

Who can attend? All students at school/university

Please click [here](#) to book your place.

A Level Internships with North East Lincolnshire Council

There are several vacancies available within the Council. This is a fantastic opportunity to gain hands-on experience. Below are the links for the vacancies be sure to check them out and apply as they close very soon.

Project Management Intern- Click [here](#) for more information and to apply

Culture and Heritage Intern- Click [here](#) for more information and to apply

Tourism Intern- Click [here](#) for more information and to apply

Kitchen staff at the Coliseum Picture Theatre Cleethorpes

We're looking for fun, enthusiastic, passionate people to join our hard-working teams. No experience is needed, just a good attitude, a willingness to learn and a calm head under pressure. As a UK Top Employer with an award-winning training programme, we know that we can teach you the skills you'll need to succeed.

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

RAF Pilot (Combat Air) Virtual Work Experience with Springpod

This course introduces the role of an RAF Pilot specialising in Combat Air and what the career involves. You'll explore a pilot's day-to-day responsibilities, learn about the Typhoon aircraft, and discover the skills needed to operate it effectively. The course also covers entry requirements, training, and how your career could progress within the RAF. Through interactive activities and a mission scenario, you'll apply your learning and reflect on whether the role suits your strengths. Finally, you'll explore the challenges, rewards, and benefits of the career, and learn the next steps if you decide to apply.

Click [here](#) to complete.

APPRENTICESHIPS

Apprentice Pharmacy Assistant with Weelsby View Pharmacy Grimsby

We are seeking to recruit a new member to join our pharmacy family in our innovative small team of qualified professionals, as an apprentice Pharmacy Assistant. For the right person, there is the opportunity to secure full-time employment and progress to a higher-level qualification.

Applications close Sunday 3rd May – click [here](#) to apply.

Customer Service / Admin Apprentice with Healing Surgery

Healing Health Centre has an excellent opportunity for a Customer Service/Administration Apprentice to work within their busy office department. The role will include communicating with patients in person and via the telephone and assisting with day-to-day tasks and enquiries.

Closing Friday 15th May click [here](#) to apply.

Dental Nursing Apprenticeship with Barton Dental Care

We have an exciting opportunity for an apprentice dental nurse to join our friendly practice based in Barton Upon Humber. The role will involve providing chairside support and a high level of oral health care to patients. We would love you to join us as an apprentice dental nurse and start your exciting career in dental nursing.

During the Dental Nurse Apprenticeship, you will receive ongoing support, development and training to equip you with the skills and knowledge required to qualify and have a successful career in dental nursing.

Click [here](#) to apply.

Retail Degree Apprenticeships with Morrisons

Our teams at those stores love providing over 9 million customers every week with good quality fresh food and a great shopping experience they won't find anywhere else. They deliver a friendly, fresh-focused shopping experience to our customers from across the store. Whether that's from our counters to our customer assistants, and from our night colleagues to our home delivery pickers.

On our 3-year programme, you'll need to think quickly on your feet as you'll be right at the heart of the action. It's all about helping to keep our store running smoothly as you learn what's involved in store operations, serving our customers, alongside your studies.

Click [here](#) for more information.

MASTERCLASSES

Unifrog Law Personal Statement Webinar with University of Lincoln

The University of Lincoln is bringing you another Unifrog collaboration, this time for students seeking advice on how to write their Law personal statement. This webinar brings together the University of Lincoln and several guest universities for an in-depth discussion on personal statements, covering what they are, how universities use them, how to craft a compelling one, and the key dos and don'ts to help applicants stand out.

Wednesday 29th April 4.30pm-5.15pm, Click [here](#) to sign up.

The Sky at Night, Tonight: A New View of the Changing Sky With Gresham College

On a remote mountain top in Chile, scanning the sky with the largest astronomical camera ever built, the Vera Rubin Observatory is conducting the deepest and most sensitive survey of the sky yet. This lecture will cover whatever it's found in the previous week, from supernovae to asteroids, giving us a glimpse of science in action.

This will take place on Wednesday 29th April at 7pm – click [here](#) to register.

Psychology Taster Lecture Webinar with University of East Anglia

In this insight4me Psychology online event for schools and colleges, University of East Anglia and a second university (tbc) will each have roughly 30 minutes to deliver a punchy, interactive topic based 'micro' talk. Within an overall session theme of Minority Influence, the universities have the freedom to choose their own focus and use the time to convey the key points of the case studies for the students.

This will take place on Tuesday 5th May – click [here](#) to book your ticket.

Discover Sheffield 2026 with UCAS

These practical, local events bring universities, employers and expert advisers to your area, helping you explore university applications and apprenticeships. Whether you're in Year 11 just starting to think about your options or Year 13 making final decisions, you'll get straight answers from over 100 institutions and employers, plus personalised guidance to match your interests with realistic pathways – all without travelling far from home.

Click [here](#) for more information.



A SPOTLIGHT

ON...

Data Scientist Role

In today's data-driven world, the role of a Data Scientist has quickly become one of the most exciting and in-demand careers.

What does a Data Scientist do?

Data Scientists analyse large amounts of data to uncover patterns, trends, and insights that help organisations make better decisions. This could mean anything from predicting customer behaviour to improving healthcare outcomes or designing smarter apps.

Skills you'll need

Strong maths and statistics skills, Programming knowledge (Python, R), Problem-solving and critical thinking and Communication skills to explain findings clearly.

What should you study?

Most Data Scientists have degrees in:

Computer Science, Mathematics, Data Science and Engineering

Some also complete postgraduate study or online certifications.

Where can this career take you?

Data Scientists are needed in almost every industry:

Technology

Finance

Healthcare

Sports

Marketing

Salary & demand

This career offers strong earning potential and excellent job security due to high demand. Entry-level roles are well-paid, and salaries increase significantly with experience.

Why consider this career?

If you enjoy solving puzzles, working with technology, and making an impact, Data Science could be a great fit. It's a career that combines creativity with logic—and it's shaping the future.

UNIVERSITY INFORMATION



Arts and Media Taster Days with University of Salford

We're pleased to confirm the dates of two Arts and Media taster days taking place in April and May at the University of Salford. These annual taster days are energetic, interactive, and offer first year students a unique insight into our thriving Arts and Media course portfolio at Salford.

Tuesday 28th April 11.30am- 3pm Media City Campus- Creative Writing and Media based courses

Wednesday 6th May 10.30am- 3pm Peel Park Campus- Art, Design and Fashion courses

Click [here](#) to book your place.

Open Days with the University of Hull

If students are interested in studying Medicine or just want to find out more about what's involved in a career as a doctor, we'd be delighted to welcome them to our Hull campus! Join us for an Open Day this year and discover what it's really like to study at Hull: rated Gold in the Teaching Excellence Framework (TEF). Everything you need is on one green and leafy campus. So, you can tour our facilities and visit our accommodation, chat to our lecturers and students, and get answers to all your UCAS application, student finance and support questions all in one day. Plus, take our city tour and explore Hull's hidden gems while you're here, like the Old Town, The Marina, Humber Street, and The Avenues: our buzzing student quarter.

Saturday 11th July, Saturday 10th October and Saturday 28th November all taking place at 10am.

Click [here](#) to book.

The University Transformation and Efficiency Summit 2026 with Universities UK

We are excited to update you on the agenda for, The University Transformation and Efficiency Summit 2026, taking place on Thursday 7 May 2026 in London and online.

This year's programme brings together leaders, policymakers, and sector partners to explore how mission driven collaboration can enhance long-term sustainability across the sector.

This will take place on Thursday 7th May - click [here](#) for more information.

Medicine Open Evening with University of Lincoln

Following on from the Teachers' and Advisers' Conference during the day, we would like to invite students and their parents/guardians to our Medicine Open Evening. It's an opportunity for students in Years 11-13 to explore our cutting-edge facilities, chat to our friendly staff and students, and find out what makes University of Lincoln's Medical School a standout choice for aspiring medicine students.

Wednesday 6th May 3.30pm- 7pm at the Brayford Pool Campus sign up [here](#).



Questions? Email us at students@stem.org.uk

DESTINATION

STEM

[Click here to find out more and check your eligibility.](#)

The **RESEARCH PLACEMENTS AND EXPERIENCES** programme offers students invaluable hands-on, real-world experience, enhancing employability and academic prospects.

Benefits include improved skills, increased confidence, professional networking, and better understanding of career pathways.








Are you available for 2 weeks from 20th July 2026?

Destination STEM are offering multiple exciting 2-week summer placements at the University of Lincoln.

Analysis of financial data in stock markets.	How scientists predict climate change impacts	Using drone technology to study environmental and agricultural changes.
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This programme gives Year 12 students the opportunity to:

-  Take part in a supervised research project in a STEM subject.
-  Gain hands-on experience working with university researchers
-  Experience what studying and conducting research at university level is really like
-  Strengthen your personal statement, CV, and future university applications
-  Receive £135 per week whilst on placement.

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Leeds Trinity
University



POST-16 SUMMER SCHOOL

Are you a post-16 student who is interested in
studying at Leeds Trinity University?

Do you want to get a taste of life at university?



Leeds Trinity University Post-16 Summer School:

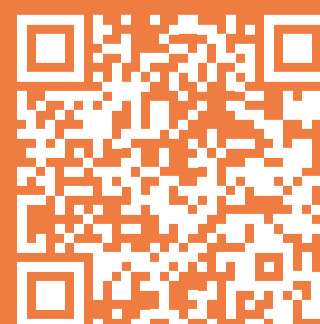
- **Wednesday 8 July – Thursday 9 July 2026**
- For students in their first year of a Level 3 qualification
e.g., Year 12s, Year 1 College students
- Free university accommodation, travel, food and entertainment
- Engage with current students
- To see if you are eligible and register your interest for the
residential, please scan the QR code below or email
SROhello@leedstrinity.ac.uk

**Hear what last year's attendees said about our
Post-16 Summer School:**

“Not just information but fun”.

“The people are pretty incredible and unique”.

“Really topped all expectations - I loved it”.



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LEARN ALTERNATIVE



OPEN DAYS



**Academy
of Live
Technology**

Saturday 11th April - 12pm - 4pm

Saturday 20th June - 12pm - 4pm

Saturday 18th July - 12pm - 4pm

Academyoflivetechology.com