

“THE SIXTH”

“THIS WEEK...
*‘Progress 1
& ATL*”

13th – 17th November 2023

YEAR 12

NOTTINGHAM TRENT CAMPUS VISIT

There are still spaces available for this visit on 7th December, please see Mrs Knox in the office for a letter if you would like to go.

YEAR 12 & 13

SIGNING IN

You may have noticed that the signing in process at main reception has changed, this is a temporary situation as we will be installing a 6th form turnstile gate near the main carpark. This should be in use after the Christmas break.

YEAR 12

All year 12 are expected to be on site all day every day – this is either at Rushden or Huxlow depending on where your lessons are. You are not permitted to go home or elsewhere during the school day.

YEAR 13



DEADLINE: 14th December

We have now had 9 applications sent and many offers received. Please make sure you are talking to your tutor about your references and personal statements

**LANYARDS MUST BE WORN AT ALL
TIMES by ALL 6TH FORM STUDENTS**

You will be stopped and questioned if you are not wearing it. There is a £5 charge for lost lanyards and ID cards

Reporting Absence

If your child is absent then please email Mrs Knox. Students are responsible for contacting their teachers to get the missed work

Mrs Owen

Assistant Principal & Director of 6th Form

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WHATS ON THIS WEEK

CALENDAR

DAY	YEAR 12	YEAR 13	OTHER EVENTS
MONDAY	MOOC Mondays Photography trip 9am – 1pm	Send UCAS applications (see Mrs Owen) when you have your reference completed	Reading buddy & subject Guru continues
TUESDAY	Careers interviews check your email for your time		
WEDNESDAY	MOOC Wednesday's IT rooms for form time		
THURSDAY	PSHE 9 – 11am Public Speaking	GLOVERS KITCHEN 13MR UCAS applications	Year 12 Careers interviews check your email for your time
FRIDAY			

REMINDERS

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UNIFROG - CAREERS

Each week we will be highlighting careers via the Unifrog platform.

This week we will be looking at the **BUSINESS & FINANCE** pathways and careers. Unifrog details day to day duties, typical working hours and environments, skills and entry requirements, career progression and typical salaries. Within each link there are different pathways for you to explore and many different vocations that you may not have considered.

Please click this link to find out about the different career paths available, then click 'read the profile' to find out more:

<https://www.unifrog.org/student/careers/business-and-finance>

ACCESS ALL THE TOOLS BELOW

Exploring pathways

Interests profile

✕ Quiz not taken

Start >

Personality profile

✕ Quiz not taken

Start >

Careers library

✕ Careers favourited

Go to tool >

Subjects library

✕ Subjects favourited

Go to tool >

Know-how library

✕ Guides favourited

Go to tool >

MOOC

You have 1 shortlist

Start >

Webinars

Hear directly from the experts

Go to tool >

Read, Watch, Listen

✕ Profiles favourited

Start >

NEWS

GLOVERS KITCHEN

Please make sure you bring a container when it is your turn for Glovers Kitchen, without this you will not be permitted to take part

Thank you

CAREERS INTERVIEWS

All year 12 have been timetabled a 1:1 independent careers interview

These appointments have been scheduled throughout November. This interview will take priority over taught lessons and students are reminded to check their time and date in advance. If they miss a lesson they must contact the teacher for any missed work.



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'rushdenacademy6thform'

Creative Expo trip

24th November 2023

All students studying creative and performing subjects (Art, Photography, DT, Performing Arts and Drama) have been invited to take part in the creative expo. During this visit they will get the opportunity to find out about the creative industries and possible career paths open to them. There will also be the opportunity to talk to business and employers and take part in practical workshops. This is a free trip and if your child is interested they will need to collect a letter from the 6th form office.

PROGRESS 1 & ATL 2

This week all subject teachers will be finalising Progress 1 data based on internal assessments. This data will enable us to see how your child is progressing through their curriculum and to put extra support in place where necessary. This data will be sent to you next week via email.

Please make sure you contact us if your email address has changed.

FUTURES

OPPORTUNITIES

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SPECIAL OPPORTUNITIES

What's the point of this Special opportunities tool? Find stuff that'll help you get in to your next step after school or college, and get paid for it too.

1. Scholarships

One-off scholarships mean you get the money all in one go.

Renewable scholarships and bursaries mean you get some money every year of your degree - you might have to reapply, or it might be automatic.

2. Activities

Summer schools and residentials give you a taste of university life and study before you start.

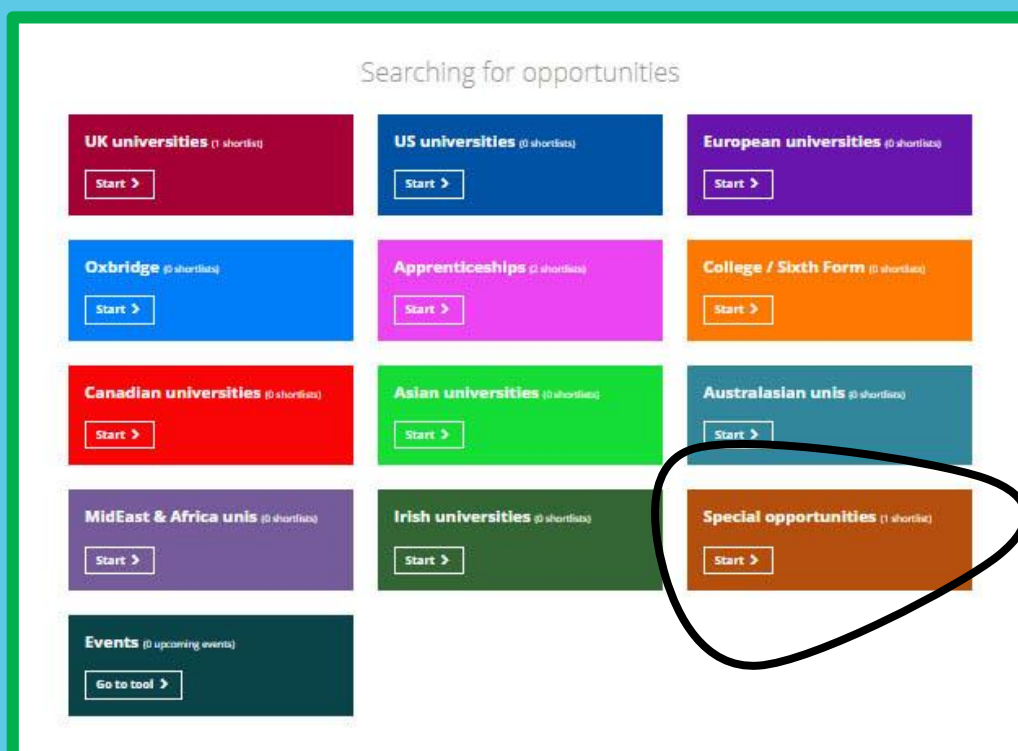
Mentoring and advice sessions help with your application.

You can write about the competitions you enter in any of your applications to show you put time into your studies outside of the classroom. Plus, if you win, you'll get a prize which is often money!

Contextual offers are those where universities lower their entry requirements for students who have met certain criteria.

Gap years give you a break to experience different activities before you decide on or start your next step.

Virtual work experience gives you some real-life experience of work, without going anywhere.



Scroll down to 'searching for opportunities', then 'Special opportunities'.

NEWS



UoN University of Northampton

Last week year 12 students visited the University and Apprenticeship Search Fair at Northampton University. They had the opportunity to talk to different universities about courses and pathways as well as collecting lots of freebies!

As always they were impeccably behaved ambassadors for the Academy

