



## Years 7 – 12 – Skills Jersey would like to have an insight into your thoughts about Higher Education and University

To help them with this project they would like to know what information both your son and you would like on this topic to help them build a more substantial offering. Please could I ask you and your son to complete the surveys below.

Survey for students - <https://survey.gov.je/s/4MIOQR>

Survey for parents - <https://survey.gov.je/s/6KKEXF/>

## Year 12 – Meet the Russell Group Webinars

This will take place on **April 25th, 26th & 27th**.

Each webinar will run either **during an afternoon (12:00 - 13:30 pm) or evening session (18:00 - 19:30 pm)** and cover topics such as Personal Statements & Applying to a RG University, Researching University Options and Student life, as well as a special session for International Students. This is an incredible opportunity for students considering **applying for Cambridge, Oxford, LSE, Bristol** or any of the **24 Russell Group Universities**.

Students, teachers and parents **can sign up for each webinar via the registration link below**. Please use the email below ([or here](#)) for further information and to let interested students know about the event. <https://www.ukuniversitysearch.com/fair-signup/meet-the-russell-group>

## Year 13 – Internship available in the Ministerial Support unit – Summer 2023

An opportunity has arisen within the Chief Ministers Office. This Ministerial Support Unit is looking to employ a summer intern – ideally a Year 13 student.

### The Role:

**The intern would be working at the heart of Jersey politics in the Chief Minister's office, carrying out a wide range of roles to support the Island's Ministers in their work. This position has unprecedented access to see the day-to-day running of our Government. For someone interested in politics, this would be a fascinating position and a great insight.**

It's a paid role with flexible start and end dates. They would take someone as soon as their exams are over. The keener they are, the more they will get to do and see. Their actual work will be at an administrative level – for further details see Mrs Job or contact Tracy Mourant – Private Secretary to the Infrastructure Minister, [t.mourant@gov.je](mailto:t.mourant@gov.je)

## Year 12 – Life in Finance (includes Law, Marketing, IT, HR, Accountancy, Funds, Trusts etc.) – Deadline 28<sup>th</sup> April

This scheme gives students the opportunity to learn more about the variety of roles available within finance and gain a valuable insight into what the industry is all about. This is a 1 – 2 week work experience scheme which can be organised for activities week or the summer holidays. **Deadline date for applications is 28<sup>th</sup> April.** Further details can be found by going to <https://www.jerseyfinance.je/working-in-finance/life-in-finance/>

## Year 12 & 13 Law – University of London Law Degree on island

Is your son interested in studying Law in Jersey with the University of London?

The Institute of Law is now offering the opportunity to study for the University of London Certificate of Higher Education in Common Law (Cert HE). This Level 4 stand alone qualification is ideal for those who are interested in obtaining a legal qualification but may not require or be able to commit to a full law degree. The Cert HE may be studied full time over 1 year or part time over 2 years or more. The Cert HE offers an opportunity to study subjects that form part of the LLB degree and those who successfully pass can continue to the second year of the Law degree or exit with the Cert HE qualification.

You must study for the Cert HE at a University of London Recognised Teaching Centre and the Institute of Law is the only Recognised Teaching Centre in the Channel Islands, we offer face to face teaching, small class sizes and a friendly approach to help and guide students through their studies. We have successfully delivered the Cert HE and LLB Law Degree for more than 10 years and many of our graduates have gone on to successful careers in the legal profession and other occupations.

The Cert HE programme particularly welcomes applications from those who may not have traditional qualifications such as A levels and the University of London has a flexible approach to the qualifications required to study the programme. Please contact the Institute of Law if you want to know if your qualifications would be suitable for the programme.

We are now accepting applications for September 2023, if you are interested, please contact us by email on [administration@lawinstitute.ac.je](mailto:administration@lawinstitute.ac.je) or call 01534 826060. More details on the programme are available on our website at <https://www.lawinstitute.ac.je/2022/certhe/>

On another note, **the Institute of Law will be holding an open event on 27<sup>th</sup> April 2023 from 16:30 to 19:00. This is our first open event; please can you inform any of your students who are interested in studying the LLB degree or CERT HE on island. There will be more information on our website soon.**

If you would like any more information on the above, please don't hesitate to contact Lisa Osborne, Registrar and Head of Administration

Institute of Law, Jersey

[www.lawinstitute.ac.je](http://www.lawinstitute.ac.je)

01534 826060

## Years 11- JACS

Year 11 received a talk this week from JACS about their employment rights. The feedback from the students was very positive as this informed them about their rights as an employee and provided them with an intermediary should they have any difficulties with zero hour contracts or under payment from an employer. Further information can be found on the JACS website <https://www.jacs.org.je/>

## All age Groups – French Language and Adventure Camps – Summer Holidays

Jersey Language Adventure combines small language classes with afternoon adventure activities. Students can practice their language all day long with our multilingual team and with our resident French students.

We'll be opening five 'Adventure Weeks' this summer through the month of August, from the 31st of July until the beginning of September.

Two options will be available, a daytime-only programme, and a fully residential programme, which includes six nights at our Adventure Camp and five full days of language and adventure with all meals and transport included.

Contact JLA to book – [david@jerseylanguageadventure.com](mailto:david@jerseylanguageadventure.com) or go to [www.jerseylanguageadventure.com](http://www.jerseylanguageadventure.com) for further details

## Years 7 – 11 – Skills Camps

### Farming and Nature Skills Camp

The new Farming and Nature Skills Camp is a one-day holiday camp for students to give a hands-on learning experience on how food is grown and, giving them a taste of agricultural life along with visiting another local farm that focuses on sustainability and nature.

They will leave with new skills, gain confidence and an appreciation for the value and importance of what we eat and how it's cultivated.

Departing from Skills Jersey on Green Street

In the morning there will be visiting Trinity Manor Farm and taking a tour around Jersey Dairy's factory. (Please ensure your child has suitable clothing and shoes as we will be walking to and from Trinity Manor Farm from the RJA&HS.)

In the afternoon we will visit BirdSong Garden to learn about sustainable farming and living

The afternoon will start with a tour of the garden with an introduction to what is special about BirdSong and how it is possible to live off the land.

Students will discuss the food chain to learn about the ecosystem and how all life forms are connected to each other, the land, the atmosphere, and the oceans.

Returning to Skills Jersey on Green Street

Tickets cost £15. If you have any questions, contact Skills Jersey at [skillsjersey@gov.je](mailto:skillsjersey@gov.je) or 01534 449440  
To book use the following links:

[Farming and Nature Skills Camp for students in Year 7 or 8](#) – 13<sup>th</sup> April from 9.30am to 3pm

[Farming and Nature Skills Camp for students in Year 9, 10 or 11](#) – 14<sup>th</sup> April from 9.30am to 3pm

**RBC** programme - there would be the opportunity to be placed permanently in the Trust team, within the Private Client Fiduciary team (usually shortened to 'Trust' team). Successful candidates would join in September 2023 and would spend the first 18 months gaining a comprehensive understanding of the business via a series of rotations into different PCFS teams. At the conclusion of the 18 month rotation Further details can be found at this link <https://jobs.rbc.com/ca/en/job/R-0000047644/School-Leaver-Trainee-Private-Client-Trust-Services-September-2023-Start>

## BDO

BDO are at the stage in their annual cycle where they are looking to build their class of trainee accountants for 2023 with them starting as a cohort in August. As always, they like to attract as many local candidates as possible and also like to have a mix of graduates and school leavers.

BDO will pay for study days and for extra exams that give one of the most prestigious professional qualifications in the world in just three years.

Training is designed and delivered to ensure it builds on-the-job training in a way which responds to the changing nature of the profession.

Where BDO may differ from other companies is that they don't force employees to take a certain number of exams at once or force them to pass first time, they take it at a pace tailored to the exam progress and the individual's needs.

## Lloyds Bank

Lloyds Bank Apprenticeships are now open with a starting salary of £34398. This will be within the Islands business which provides a unique opportunity, as it is a micro bank in its own right with c.600 colleagues across four primary locations.

As a result, this role enables a wide range of exposure unlike anywhere else within Lloyds Banking Group. About the programme:

Starting in September 2023, the Lloyds Bank Islands School Leaver Apprenticeship will provide fulfilling career opportunities for curious, and solution-focused individuals.

We'll support your study towards a Level 6 – Financial Services Professional apprenticeship. This apprenticeship programme will last for 36 months, during which time you'll gain a degree level qualification - the Chartered Banker Advanced Diploma in Banking and Leadership in a digital age.

Whilst on the Apprenticeship scheme 20% of your time will be dedicated to 'mandatory apprenticeship hours', which can include attending workshops, shadowing, reading, completing assignments etc. This means 80% of your role is applying your learning in the workplace, in a safe environment. For further details go to:

[https://lbg.wd3.myworkdayjobs.com/LBG\\_Careers/job/St-Helier/Lloyds-Bank-Islands-School-Leaver-Apprenticeship---Jersey\\_088820-4](https://lbg.wd3.myworkdayjobs.com/LBG_Careers/job/St-Helier/Lloyds-Bank-Islands-School-Leaver-Apprenticeship---Jersey_088820-4)

## Year 13 – Jersey Water Bursary

The Jersey Water Bursary Scheme 2023 is now open for applications.

The scheme is open to Jersey domiciled individuals who are enrolled on a first degree course (BSc, BEng, or BA) at a university, college or other similar institution to study a subject relevant to the supply of water.

Suitable subjects will include but are not limited to the following areas:

- **Engineering (civil, mechanical, electrical, etc.)**
- **Water resources, management and conservation**
- **Environmental sciences**
- **Chemistry**

**Year 12 – Activities Week** – All Year 12 students will be expected to organise their own week at the end of the summer term. Students will be encouraged to take up a week of work experience (which can be organised through Life in Finance or through their own contacts), take part in CCF activities, or help at school with lower school activities. Please do ask your son to start thinking and organising what he would like to do.

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## Invitation For Parents: Success Beyond School

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We are delighted to announce the first events in our *Success Beyond School* series for 2023. **These are live online seminars featuring career experts, designed to help parents amplify their children's career potential.** The events are for parents and are free to attend.

[1st February: Communicating With Confidence](#)

How to develop children to become strong communicators

15th March: Engineer Your Future

How to help your child launch a career in Engineering

Please forward this email to parents so they can register their places now.

[VIEW & REGISTER](#)

## HMC GAP YEAR SCHOLARSHIPS

### The Bulkeley-Evans HMC Scholarship Fund

[www.gap-year-the-bulkeley-evans.co.uk](http://www.gap-year-the-bulkeley-evans.co.uk)

**Administrator: Neil Mason** 24 Saxon Close, Oake, Taunton, Somerset TA4 1JA.

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Applications are invited by 31<sup>st</sup> May 2023 by email (or post, if preferred) for these prestigious awards from boys and girls from HMC schools for gap year projects for 2023-2024. The Trustees have agreed that up to 30 scholarships may be awarded of between £200 and £800.

**Candidates need to fulfill the following criteria and applications must follow headings listed on the website:**

1. **The benefit to the community of the country/countries where work is undertaken during the gap year project.** *The majority of awards go to boys and girls involved in projects in poorer countries or in the poorer areas of other countries.*
2. **The suitability of the organisation of the project in terms of duration and the gap organisation involved, if there is one.** *The project must be of sufficient length to give real benefit to a community. The Trustees usually expect that the project will be at least for three months, unless there are special circumstances.*
3. **Financial need,** *assessed from the report from the Head, the statements in the application and the breakdown of expenses and methods of raising money in the application form.*
4. **Suitable character and promise,** *assessed from the quality of the written application and the reference of the Head of the school.*

**Award winners have to write to the Administrator during their project, write a report for the Trustees at the end of their project and return to their school to talk to the Sixth Form about their experiences.**

Full details can be found on the website: [www.gap-year-the-bulkeley-evans.co.uk](http://www.gap-year-the-bulkeley-evans.co.uk)

Applicants can see the lists of previous projects that were judged to be suitable for awards.

Applications should reach the Administrator as soon as possible by email to:

[neil.mason@tauntonschool.co.uk](mailto:neil.mason@tauntonschool.co.uk) (or post if preferred to the address above), by 31<sup>st</sup> May 2022

## Year 12

### Is it too early for year 12 students to be thinking about university applications?

If students and parents are well informed about the process NOW, it means that you can put in the work required WHEN IT MATTERS. Especially for *uber-competitive* subjects like *Medicine* and *STEM subjects at Oxbridge*, as well as *US applications*.

There are some upcoming webinars for parents and guardians of students in Year 12. Please see the link below for more information. There are three mega-webinars coming up, helping to inform both parents and students about the application process for these tough subjects.

Click here to read [The Oxbridge Formula](#)

## Year 13

Students who are looking for employment after A-levels may like to keep on eye on this website [Local opportunities for student pages](#)



## Year 13

### University Bursaries

There are many bursaries available to students to undertake university study, for more information please visit

<https://www.gov.uk/working/careers/16to19yearolds/enteringhighereducation/financinghighereducationcourse/pages/trustsbursariesgiftfunds.aspx>

