## Northampton School for Boys





Dear Parents/Carers

As the summer holidays approach, we wanted to let you know about some more careers related opportunities that may be of interest. Finding out about the huge variety of online webinars, experiences and resources has been a real eye opener and we hope that you feel better informed regarding what is available. As always do keep an eye on NSB Careers twitter @NSBCareeradvice, and for all careers related enquiries you can email Miss Shaeffer at <a href="mailto:careers@nsb.northants.sch.uk">careers@nsb.northants.sch.uk</a>

## Activities, webinars and competitions.

**The National Citizenship Service** are offering students in year 11 the chance to get involved in a social action project this summer. The programme is free of charge, and a great way to make a difference in the community. Please visit the link for details and how to book.

https://wearencs.com/keep-doing-good

**The institute of Engineering and Technology** are running a competition in partnership with Airbus called the Faraday Challenge. Deadline for entries 31<sup>st</sup> July.

https://education.theiet.org/faraday-challenge-days/virtual-faraday-challenge/

Interested in technology, science or engineering. See what is on offer from Teen Tech.

https://www.teentech.com/innovation-days-at-home/

For information about careers in the RAF, this event is taking place on Thursday this week.

https://learnliveuk.com/raf-live-south/

Online opportunities for those interested in film and filmmaking.

https://screennorthants.wordpress.com/2020/05/19/fancy-some-remote-volunteering/

**Starting Off** are a local organisation that specialise in helping young people to find their first office based apprenticeship. For details of their job vacancies you can visit

www.startingoff.co.uk

They will also be holding a free webinar for students and parents to find out all about apprenticeships on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> July. To book just click on the link https://protect-eu.mimecast.com/s/8GGvC46gwcJ9RwSO-OaV

For local apprenticeship opportunities in digital marketing, cyber security and other IT related careers visit **JBC training.** 

https://www.jbctraining.co.uk/for-businesses.html

**NITAL** is a local training provider specialising in engineering apprenticeships.

www.nital.co.uk

Try **UCAS Explore Careers** to find out about a huge variety of career possibilities.

https://www.ucas.com/ucas/after-gcses/find-career-ideas/explore-jobs#js=on

As we have previously mentioned, now is a great time for students to reflect on the question

## What did you do during lock down?

They can think about what they have learned from new hobbies or interests, how they have helped others, stayed motivated or begun to plan for the future. We hope that they will begin to realise how much they have developed as young people.

Wishing you all a very happy and safe summer.

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