

Work Experience Opportunities

- 29th June – 3rd July [PWC: Virtual Skills Week](#) Age: Year 14-18 **Application Deadline 19th June 2020**
- 13th July – 17th July [Brixton Finishing School: Discover the World of Advertising, Marketing, and Communications](#) Age: 14+ **Application Deadline: 19th June 2020**
- 6th July – 10th July [OFCOM: VWEX With the Office of Communications](#) Age: 16+ **Application Deadline: 12th June 2020**
- 22nd June – 26th June [I have a voice: VWEX with a social enterprise empowering young people in politics](#) Age: 16+ **Application Deadline: 12th June 2020**

Year 12&13 Careers Research

- 1) <https://ukuniversitysearch.vfairs.com/> - **UK University Search Virtual Fair – Weds 17 June** – 12.00 – 6.00 pm. Explore universities from across the UK – chat to ambassadors, download prospectuses, take part in live webinars
- 2) <https://www.ukuniversitysearch.com/blog/post/webinar-wednesdays> - **Webinar Wednesdays** - info from universities & apprenticeship reps to help with your research
- 3) <https://www.reading.ac.uk/studentrecruitment/subject-webinars.aspx> - webinars from the **University of Reading** – subject info and university life, plus Q&A sessions
- 4) <https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/live-smart> - **free online course** from the **University of Reading** to help you get ready for university
- 5) <https://www.channeltalent.co.uk/event/he-guidance-a-university-guide-to-getting-the-most-from-clearing-with-goldsmiths-university-of-london/> - **Guide to Clearing with Goldsmiths – June 12 – 2.00-2.45 pm**
- 6) <https://www.channeltalent.co.uk/event/he-guidance-tips-for-personal-statements-with-goldsmiths/> - **Personal Statements with Goldsmiths – June 18 – 1.00-1.45 pm**
- 7) <https://na.eventscloud.com/ereg/newreg.php?eventid=545197&> - register to attend a virtual open day at the **University of Reading** – Friday 19 or Saturday 20 June
- 8) <https://www.mmu.ac.uk/study/open-days/undergraduate> - book your place at the **Manchester Metropolitan University** undergraduate online open week
- 9) <https://www.manchester.ac.uk/coronavirus-response/coronavirus-home-learning/lockdown-lectures/> - **Lockdown Lectures** hosted by a range of **University of Manchester** researchers, scientists and academics beginning with Professor Brian Cox!
- 10) <https://app.geckoform.com/public/#/modern/FOEU0354WXVXwamu> - **Loughborough University online Social Sciences & Humanities Event** – explore subjects such as Psychology, Geography and Media and career paths; take a virtual tour & ask questions in a virtual webchat
- 11) <https://www.channeltalent.co.uk/event/economics-the-economics-of-climate-change-externalities-policy-response-with-professor-mike-christie-from-aberystwyth-university/> - **Economics webinar : The Economics of Climate Change with University of Aberystwyth – June 11 – 1.00-2.00 pm**
- 12) <https://www.channeltalent.co.uk/event/right4me-sports-pe-studying-sports-pe-for-a-degree-with-uea/> - **Sports/PE degrees with UEA – June 16 – 12.45-1.45 pm**
- 13) <https://www.channeltalent.co.uk/event/modern-languages-studying-abroad-with-undergraduate-language-students-from-bristol-uea/> - **Modern Languages webinar: Studying abroad with UEA & Bristol – June 19 – 1.00-2.00 pm**



Pool Hayes Academy

- 14) <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=EzbN3fi1ApA> – YouTube video explaining EPS Futures with the **University of Birmingham** – new engineering foundation programme
- 15) <https://mailchi.mp/successatschool/careers-in-rail-1277047> - for info on **careers in transport & logistics** – rail including architecture, interior design and archaeology!!
- 16) **Have you considered a career with the RAF?** Find out more at: www.raf.mod.uk/recruitment
- 17) <https://www.instagram.com/yourfutureforward/> - new **careers podcasts** starting with Joe Wicks talking about his career path
- 18) **VIRTUAL WORK EXPERIENCE OPPORTUNITIES with RAF, PwC, EY, Capgemini, IBM and many more** – 22-26 June - Sign up at: <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/7D8GFX5>

Enrichment

Why not try something a bit different to keep your brain ticking over, there are many opportunities out there – here are a few to have a look at this week.

1. We are all spending more time working on computers and laptop so why not learn to **touch type**? (It'll speed up any essay work too!) <https://www.typing.com/student/lessons>
2. **Write a letter - I know, I know it's not cool. But** a lot of nursing homes are looking for letters and drawings for their residents to read. (Check first that they're accepting external post!)
3. **The Day** is offering their daily newsletter subscription (usually priced at £120 a year for a family membership) **free** of charge during lockdown. It has a readership of mostly teenagers, and covers quirky reviews and academic updates as well as keeping on top of what our politicians are doing. <https://theday.co.uk/subscriptions/pricing>
4. **Take a (free) course with The OLLIE Foundation.** It's a fabulous teen **mental health** charity, the OLLIE offer online courses to help teenagers understand their own anxiety, and cope with feeling overwhelmed during this very difficult time. <https://theolliefoundation.org/training/dates/>
5. Have a go at an **online escape room**! You could get your friends or family involved and test your skills! https://www.escapedurham.co.uk/mr-x?fbclid=IwAR34no69CiVkkKP9kYzHRqful9x_HIWgjpmcB_rDJ1qgEScb1-nB3kkmiRg