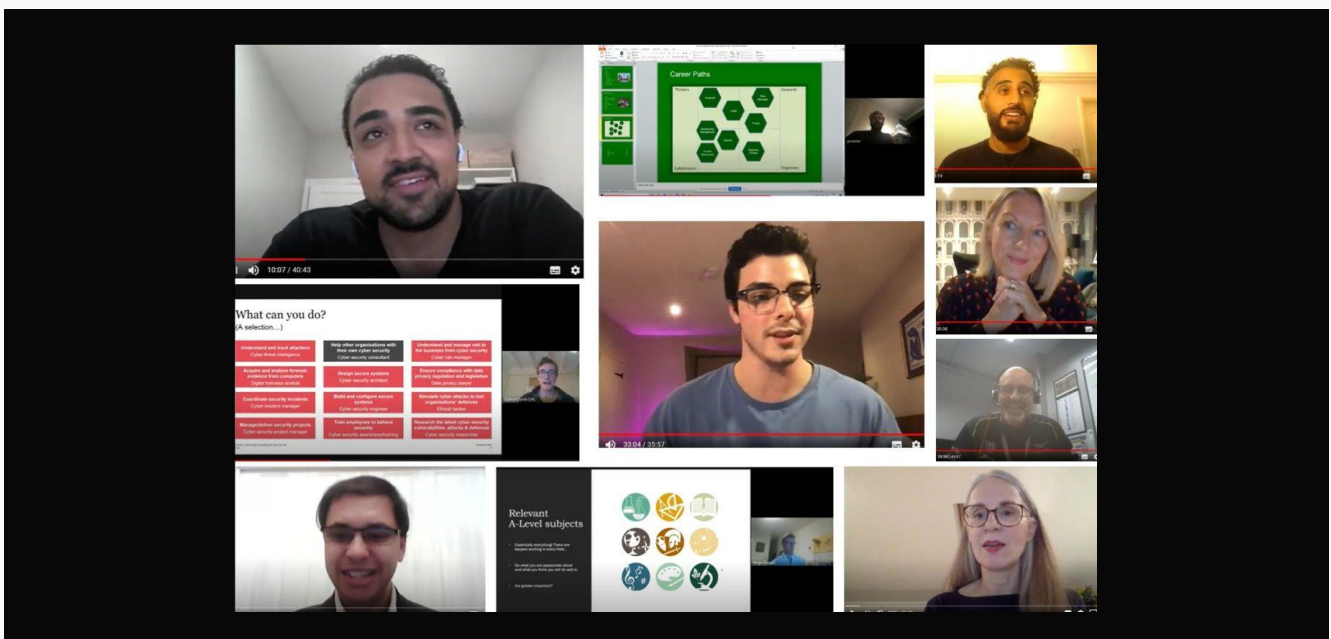


The highlight of the half term so far has been the Virtual Careers Week. We hosted 17 speakers across a wide range of industries and professions and are hugely grateful to everyone who gave up their time to make it such a success. By holding this event online, many more pupils have been able to participate and the feedback has been really positive. The final event takes place at 4:30pm on Monday, when CCF participants will hear from Army, Navy and RAF recruiters about opportunities.

During the past few weeks we have introduced the Morrisby software to many more students; everyone in years 8, 9, 11 and 12 now has access. For parents who would like to know more about it can help students with future planning, there's a short video here: <https://www.morrisby.com/parents>.

The focus for the remainder of this newsletter is webinars and short courses (some free, some costing money). I am keen to promote these at this time since so many firms have had to cancel their work experience schemes due to the pandemic. The online courses and summer in-person courses are proving popular as an alternative.

As always, if I can be of any assistance, please email me at:  
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**Rebecca Auterson, Head of Careers**



## EVENTS for NOTTS HIGH PARENTS

Two firms offering excellent courses for students have offered to speak to Nottingham High School parents/guardians to answer your questions about their products and services. A brief summary of the opportunities is below, along with links to their websites. Join us on 2 Dec and/or 3 Dec (online at 7pm each night) for a short presentation by each firm and the chance to ask further questions.

**7pm Wed 2 Dec:** [SkillsGap](#) - a Nottingham-based firm offering online tech skills courses for young people via a global network of professionals. Nottingham High School pupils who attended their summer course are featured on the website: [www.skillsgap.tech](http://www.skillsgap.tech)

Please click this link to sign up to their webinar: <https://forms.gle/AdYmq8XPga7BoA1r9>

**7pm Thurs 3 Dec:** [InvestIn Education](#) - offer a wide range of courses from 1 day to 2 weeks in length; priced from £130. Many pupils have found these to be a good way of getting a comprehensive introduction to a particular industry. Our 'partner school' code for 10% booking discount is NOTTSHIGH10, and there is currently a 15% off offer online for next summer's courses.

Experiences include the following subjects and industries:

**Architecture — Art — Computer Science — Dentistry — Engineering —  
Entrepreneurship — Fashion Design — Filmmaking — International Development —  
Investment Banking — Journalism — Law — Management Consultancy — Marketing —  
Medicine — Music — Politics — Psychology — Publishing — Veterinary Science**

## MORE RESOURCES & COURSES

ISSET's Mission Discovery Summer School programme is a great opportunity for 14-18year olds to do something extraordinary - work with NASA Astronauts, rocket scientists and NASA personnel for a week!



With help from brilliant Astronauts, NASA role models, Astronaut trainers, NASA personnel, scientists and engineers; students will learn about space and STEM through a variety of exhilarating hands-on activities, based on themes such as:

- NASA leadership and team building
- How space exploration benefits life on Earth
- Experiencing the environment of space
- Looking at different kinds of experiment and what makes them great
- How you succeed in your dreams and ambitions

**There is no selection process for Mission Discovery. The programme works off a first-come, first-serve basis to all UK and International students between the ages of 14-18.**

The cost for the programme is £549. Limited spaces are also available for a residential place, which is advised for those based outside of London. The Residential package is an additional £559; covering accommodation, meals and 24-hour supervision (excludes lunch). The Residential package begins from 15:00 on Sunday 11th July 2021, a day before the programme.

Find out more here:

[https://isset.org/mission\\_discovery/upcoming/Kings\\_College2020/index.php](https://isset.org/mission_discovery/upcoming/Kings_College2020/index.php)

# APPRENTICESHIP & SCHOOL LEAVER SCHEMES



[www.pathwayctm.com](http://www.pathwayctm.com)

[www.young-professionals.uk](http://www.young-professionals.uk)

[www.ratemyapprenticeship.co.uk](http://www.ratemyapprenticeship.co.uk)

These organisations offer really good support to students (and parents!), the top two providing excellent opportunities to engage with employers whilst still at school via conferences and webinars. All are worth signing up to, since work experience opportunities, internships etc are then sent direct to your inbox. Anyone in years 11-13 should sign up. Parents/guardians may also wish to sign up for alerts relating to industries in which their children have an interest.

Pathway CTM also offers a number of webinars specifically aimed at parents, so check our their events page here: <https://pathwayctm.com/event/>

A number of other opportunities directed at parents are also highlighted in this newsletter. Keep on reading!

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Follow this link for the latest apprenticeship parents information pack from **Amazing Apprenticeships**: <https://amazingapprenticeships.com/resources/>

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**WorldSkills UK Live** (26th – 28th November, virtual event) will allow you to hear from leading employers and apprentices with spotlight talks on careers, apprenticeships and technical education.

Over the three days, between 10am and 3pm, there will be the opportunity to hear from a variety of speakers, including:



**Nadiya Hussain**  
Great British Bake Off winner



**Roma Agrawal**  
Structural Engineer for The Shard



**Grant Hinds**  
Youtube Marketer

**WorldSkillsUK - online 26-28 Nov 2020**

For a full list of the WorldSkills events and to sign up, please visit: [www.worldskillsuk.org/directions/worldskills-uk-live-online/spotlight-talks-on-careers-apprenticeships-and-technical-education-in-partnership-with-bae-systems](http://www.worldskillsuk.org/directions/worldskills-uk-live-online/spotlight-talks-on-careers-apprenticeships-and-technical-education-in-partnership-with-bae-systems)

## **ARMED FORCES - Parent Webinar 25 Nov 20**

Armed Forces careers: webinar for parents on 25 November organised by [www.amazingapprenticeships.com](http://www.amazingapprenticeships.com) Sign up here: [https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZ0sf-6przsqG9Z2HVFOXbhU9RvWUT69Kd\\_u](https://us02web.zoom.us/meeting/register/tZ0sf-6przsqG9Z2HVFOXbhU9RvWUT69Kd_u)

## **ACCOUNTANCY Webinar - 2 Dec 2020**

Have you ever thought about a career in accounting or business? Do you want to hear from two of the "Big 4" and the worlds largest accounting qualification body? We have bought together PwC, EY and CIMA for a very exclusive evening webinar in accountancy and business.

We have keynote talks from partners at EY and PwC, CIMA VP's address, workshops and mini accounting exercises as well as a recruitment panel to talk you through all the opportunities you can get involved with.

**Webinar Details:** Wednesday 2nd December, 5pm - 6:30pm - Insight to Accounting & Business

- Partner keynotes from EY & PwC with VP keynote from CIMA
- Audit and Accounting workshops with mini exercises
- Recruitment panel taking all about paid work experience opportunities and apprenticeships

**Registration Link:** <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/YP-Accounting>