Enniskillen Royal Grammar School – CEIAG BULLETIN
Week Beginning Monday 27th January 2025

UCAS Application Deadline

A reminder that the UCAS application deadline is approaching – Wednesday 29th January!

RAF World – 29th January 2025

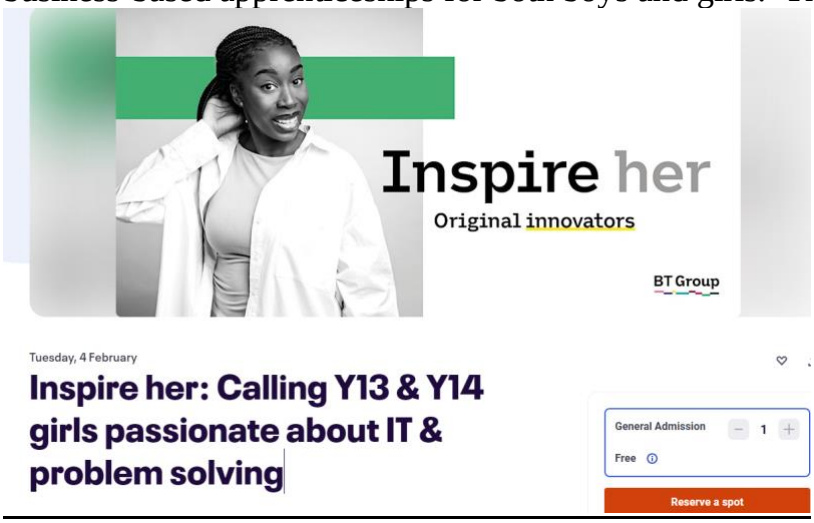


CAO Application Deadline – 1st February

A reminder that the normal CAO application deadline is approaching on **1st February**. Students should apply via the CAO website before this date to avail of the €45 application fee. The CAO will reopen for late applications in March, but the fee will be higher.

Inspire her: Calling Y13 & Y14 Girls Passionate About IT & Problem Solving - Tuesday, 4 Feb 2025 18:00 - 19:30

BT have a strong focus on diversity and STEM. They offer lots of technical and business-based apprenticeships for both boys and girls. This event is focused on girls.



https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/inspire-her-calling-y13-y14-girls-passionate-about-it-problem-solving-tickets-1137903021569?aff=oddtdtcreator

The UK Cyber Security Council are Recruiting Members to Join Their Second Youth Advisory Panel - Find out about the current Panel here: https://www.ukcybersecuritycouncil.org.uk/about-the-council/youth-advisory-panel/

Who can apply?

16 to 25-year-olds based in the UK with a passion for cyber security.

Expected commitment

Successful candidates will serve a voluntary position on the Panel from April 2025 to April 2026 with the opportunity to be re-appointed at the end of the term. The role will include meetings and project work, expected to be approximately 4-6 hours of their time per month.

Key dates

Applications went live on Monday 20 January. Applications close at 17:00 on Sunday 9 February. Shortlisted candidates will be invited for a video call for the week commencing 17 February and successful candidates informed by 8 March.

KPMG Apprentice Programme 2025

KPMG are delighted to launch the third year of their **Get Set Degree Apprenticeship** for Belfast. This is a unique opportunity for a small number of high performing students that are looking to get into employment after their A Levels and want an alternative to university. The programme will start in September 2025. An I**nsight Event for students and parents** will take place on Wednesday 5 February 2025 when students and parents can come into the office and get a feel for what it is like to work for KPMG, spend time with some of their apprentices and staff and get their questions answered. Students can find out more information and register to attend here. For more information on this apprenticeship visit the following link www.kpmg.ie/getsetapprenticeship

Registration for Applicants Undertaking the MSAT in Ulster University
UU has launched a dedicated **MSAT Ulster website** that includes all relevant information for those undertaking the test, including timelines, assessment, and process for those with additional needs.
The test host, ACER, have also launched their **MSAT Ulster portal**, where applicants can now register for the exam and download the MSAT Ulster information booklet, which I have attached for your convenience.
Registration for MSAT will close on Monday 3 February 2025. There is a late registration deadline of 12 February with a late fee applicable.
The MSAT Ulster is a mandatory test for those applying to the following:

- Diagnostic Radiography and Imaging
- Occupational Therapy
- Physiotherapy
- Podiatry
- Radiotherapy and Oncology
- Speech and Language Therapy

Ulster University Accommodation to parents/guardians of students applying to the University for September 2025 entry – see attached
file:///Users/sineadmcgurgan/Downloads/UU%20Student%20Accommodation%20Letter.pdf
For more information about accommodation at Ulster, virtual tours, how to apply and more, please visit www.ulster.ac.uk/accommodation

Ulster University - Degree Apprenticeships
Students can now visit the dedicated online Degree Apprenticeship Hub where they can find out more Apprenticeships, view current opportunities, and be added to mailing list to receive updates.
https://www.ulster.ac.uk/apprenticeships/advice-for-applicants

Year 13 - Build UK - Open Doors Initiative
Are you interested in studying Structural, Architectural or Civil Engineering, Sustainable Building, or any other aspect of the Construction Industry?
To help showcase the Construction Industry in Northern Ireland, developers are opening their sites in locations across NI to invite school groups in for a tour and informative session on what it's like to work within the construction industry.
Tracey Brothers are hosting an event here in Enniskillen and I have reserved 10 places for this visit.
Event information - Drumgarrow Village, Coa Road, Enniskillen.
Thursday 20th March
11am – 1pm
https://opendoors.construction/sites/drumgarrow-village/
If you would like to attend, please give your name to Mrs Magee asap

Work Plus – Apprenticeships
The January Workplus campaign is **now live** and applications close on **21st February**. There are 100+ opportunities across the sectors and at various levels. Explore opportunities on Workplus here.

Year 13 Summer Residential at LJMU - 2– 4 July 2025

Year 13 Northern Ireland Summer Residential for students interested in Business or Nursing programmes.
Fully funded flights, accommodation, academic workshops and social activities.
Further information and application details to follow shortly.

NI Water – Upcoming Work Experience Opportunities

NI Water are excited to announce the launch of their new Work Experience Programme, designed specifically for students aged 15-19. This initiative aims to give young people a deeper understanding of the world of water, while highlighting the diverse career opportunities available at their multi-award-winning organisation. They are doing things a bit different going forward and can no longer accept individual work experience opportunities but they believe their new programme provides an exciting deep dive into the many exciting opportunities available across NI Water. In partnership with '**Speakers for Schools'**, the UK's leading social mobility charity, NIW have three fantastic work experience opportunities coming up –



To apply* for this exciting opportunity, please visit the following link: results | Speakers for Schools (*limited spaces apply)

BDO Northern Ireland – Higher Level Apprenticeship Opportunity

BDO Northern Ireland, are offering exciting Accounting Technicians opportunities starting in Autumn 2025, through their bespoke Higher-Level Apprenticeship Programme. Join their Audit or Tax teams, where students can immerse themselves in a professional setting, learn from experienced accountants and business advisors, and contribute to real client projects. Visit the website to learn more about these opportunities!
https://www.bdoni.com/en-gb/careers-23f5c8088b2de242299efa35b0dce780/students-internships/higher-level-apprenticeship-programme-2025