



13<sup>th</sup> November 2023

Dear Parent(s)

## LOWER SIXTH (YEAR 12)

Students in Lower Sixth will be starting a programme of careers lessons, during the week beginning **27<sup>th</sup> November**, to help them decide what they are going to do when they leave The Ladies' College. They will be receiving information about going to university, apprenticeships, local employment, and gap years.

Students have opted to attend 4 talks between December 2023-May 2024 on different types of industries including: Medicine, Pharmacy, Law, PR & Marketing, Accountancy, Specsavers, IT and Engineering. Students will also be hearing from The States of Guernsey about the various roles they provide. Each week students are sent a copy of the Careers Compass which outlines any upcoming events.

Students will need to carry out a lot of research between now and next September for them to make the best choices. Over the next two terms they will be expected to attend several events which will help them with their decision making. These events include:

- Insuring the Future, A Guernsey International Insurance Association event – Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 12pm - 3:30pm, 1857 at Kings Premier Health Club **Mr Bolt Economics class plus voluntary sign up**
- IoD Careers Inspiration Summit – Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 3-6pm at Mourant offices on St Julian's Avenue **Voluntary sign up**
- Careers Fair – run by Careers Guernsey Thursday 7th December 3-4pm at Beau Sejour. **Compulsory event**, your daughter will be going during her normal enrichment time.
- Oxbridge evening – Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February, refreshments from 5.30pm with talks from 6pm in the Leaf centre, **Voluntary sign up**, further details to follow.
- Higher Education evening with Elizabeth College – Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March at The Ladies' College 7pm start, **Compulsory event**
- HE day (run by Careers Guernsey) – Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March, location Les Varendes, during school time, pupils will be off timetable for part of the day, **Compulsory event**
- Work experience - Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> June – Thursday 6th June, **Compulsory event**

- Post 18 day - Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June, during the normal school day, **Compulsory event**

The UCAS website [www.ucas.com](http://www.ucas.com) is an excellent source of information to find out more about university applications and all the available courses. Your daughter also has access to Unifrog [www.unifrog.org](http://www.unifrog.org) which will aid with her research.

Yours sincerely,

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