# Careers Newsletter

### Spring Term 2024

The Careers Hub is available to students to drop into if you need advice with Option choices, Consortium Subjects, Work Experience and Post-16 choices. Visit the Careers Hub, room next to the Library and speak with Miss Shaw or Mrs Willetts.



Wordsley Work
Wednesday
Year 7,8 and 9
pupils have been
looking at Careers
during tutor
periods and finding
out about salaries,
job responsibilities
and entry
requirements.



#### **Author Visit**

Year 7 & 8 had the fantastic experience of meeting Author Alex Foulkes who shared her fantastic books and spoke about the different careers relating to writing, illustrating, publishing and the promoting of books.





# WORK EXPERIENCE WEEK

 $1^{\text{ST}}$  JULY -  $5^{\text{TH}}$  JULY 2024

Year 10s are currently busy finding work experience placements. If you need any help please call into the Careers Hub for advice.

Enter onto UNIFROG -Username: Wordsley email address

Password: Wordsley1?

### **Careers & Croissants**

Every month we welcome a representative from a different profession to talk to pupils of all years about different jobs and career paths. Last term we welcomed the following:

Family Support Worker D2 Dance Academy Cardiac Physiologist



Next Term we are looking forward to meeting:

**Firefighter** 

**Police Officer** 

If you would like to come in and be a part of Careers & Croissants, Please contact us.

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## National Careers Week with The Medical Mavericks

Year 9 pupils had the opportunity of taking part in workshop activities to perform the following medical tasks:

- · Record an ECG from your heart · Use a real needle to take fake blood from a dummy arm
- · Try their hand at keyhole surgery · See inside their muscles with an ultrasound machine
- · Listen to their pulse with a pulse doppler · See their veins under a vein scanner
- Experience different eye diseases with our pathology goggles. Take basic medical obsincluding, blood pressure, oxygen level and temperature.





Black Country Museum Heritage Careers Fair
A group of Year 10 pupils went to the BCM for an insight into the following careers: Quantity
Surveying, Conservation, Heritage Programmes,
Creative Media, Architecture, Designing & Building Heritage, Historical Artifacts, Buildings &
Landscapes. Pupils were able to visit the different exhibitors and have hands on experience of making clay models.

#### **Year 11 College Open Dates**

Halesowen College – Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> April 2024 6pm – 8pm Dudley College – Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> June 4pm – 7pm

Mike Wood MP's Apprenticeship Fair – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March 3pm – 5pm at Kingswinford Community Centre

Careers Team: Mr A Fisher, Assistant Headteacher responsible for Careers

Miss R Shaw, Careers Co-ordinator Ms L Willetts, Careers Support