CAREERS MONTHLY NEWSLETTER April 2021



ALUMNI

Join the St Ives Alumni, please sign up via this link: https://networks.futurefirst.org.uk/signup/stives
Please see attached our new monthly Alumni posters. This month we start with former student Danny.
"That vessel I was on is called the \$7000 semi-submersible Jack up Barge, an amazing bit of kit with a x 2 main cranes each with a lift capacity of 7000 tons each!!! Absolutely amazing vessel and one of the highlights of my career working on her." Danny Worrall.

HIGHER EDUCATION

Want to find out more about the Higher Education experience?

Exeter University have developed a range of insightful and engaging Q&A panels in the following subjects – Anthropology, Arab and Islamic Studies (inc. Arabic language and Middle East Studies), Criminology, Law, Philosophy, Politics and International Relations, and Sociology. Each panel features academics, students, and alumni speakers who offer delightful stories on what inspired them to get into their subject, and informative insights into the subjects themselves, ranging from questions such as 'Why study this degree or subject area?' to 'What useful skills and attributes do graduates from this degree or subject area gain?

They are available as video versions (YouTube or Vimeo) or audio versions (SoundCloud): https://www.exeter.ac.uk/teachers/informationandresources/subjectpanels/

COLLEGE APPLICATION SUPPORT

Mrs Mugford is running a college application support session on Wednesday 23rd April from 3.15-4pm in HL2.

CAREER PILOT

Please encourage your child to sign into Career Pilot and update their profile. Tutors will be checking these and ensuring that students regularly keep them up to date. This will all help with their college applications when they get to them! This is the link that students should use to access their accounts. https://www.careerpilot.org.uk/







Find out more



Get involved





HE PARENT AND CARER SESSION

In partnership with Exeter University, we have arranged a Higher Education parent/carer session through their Penryn campus.. This session will take place on Wednesday 17th March from 6-7pm via Microsoft Teams, and is open to all parents and carers. There will be an opportunity to find out about Higher Education in Cornwall and beyond. In addition to this there will be a Q and A session. We hope that you find this a useful session that supports your child with their potential careers' options.

Please use the following link to access this session:

VIRTUAL WORK EXPERIENCE

St Ives School will be running virtual work experience sessions for our Year 10 students from 14th-16th July 2021. We are working with Speakers for Schools <u>Speakers for Schools - Our Home</u> to put together a comprehensive online virtual work experience package. As a community school we feel that it is vitally important that local businesses are given the opportunity to be involved in these experiences.

All Year 10 students will take part in the programme to gain an insight into the real world of work and to learn transferrable skills for future employment. From previous students' experiences, we know how valuable the week is to raise their aspirations and clarify their career goals for the future.

The work placement week is highly motivating, and many students return to school afterwards with greater commitment to their studies because of their experiences.

There is no cost to the programme for employers and there is training, and plans provided for employers who wish to be involved. We understand that at present the current work patterns for businesses are ever changing and are aware that not all businesses will have the facilities and work force to take part. We are also aware that businesses may have to cancel these virtual work experience sessions at the last minute. If you would like to know more about this programme, please email Mrs Melany Mugford our Careers Lead and Assistant Headteacher: mmuaford@st-ives.Cornwall.sch.uk

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