



CAREERS

WINTER 2021

CATCH US ON  

Welcome to our **Christmas** Careers Newsletter!

An Introduction to Parliament

On Friday 3rd December, we welcomed the UK Parliament Senior Education and Engagement Officer Jasmine Losasso into school who treated our students to an in-depth introduction on how parliament works. It was great to see our students engaging well with this opportunity and hope they took lots away from the session!



SKILL OF THE MONTH

CREATIVITY

The use of imagination and the generation of new ideas

Creativity in school helps you to:

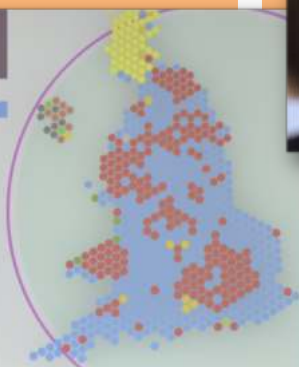
- Helps you see other views
- Allows you to explore new ideas
- Increases ability to express yourself

www.skillsbuilder.org

General Election 2019

326 seats needed to win a majority

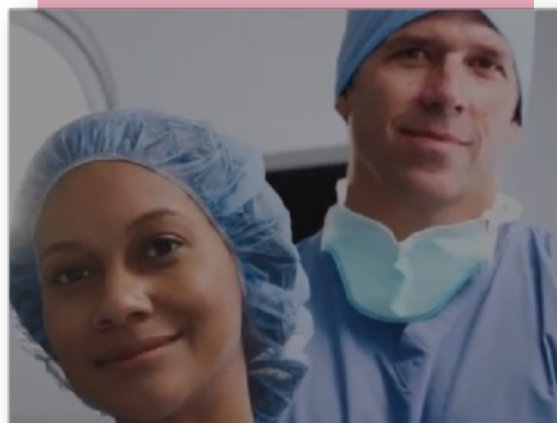
Conservative	365
Labour	202
SNP	47
Lib Dem	11
DUP	8
Sinn Féin	7
Plaid Cymru	4
SDLP	2
Alliance	1
Green	1
Independent	1
Other	1



JOB OF THE MONTH

CARDIOLOGIST

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STEP UP!

All Year Groups have completed the 'Step' programme in their careers pastoral lesson. These booklets take students through the various stages of career planning and feedback from students has been very positive with students enjoying and benefitting from class discussion on the activities completed.



UKYOUTH.ORG

Youth Card is a free mobile app that acts as a one-stop shop for amazing opportunities and discounts, and has been designed specifically to benefit young people aged 11-25 who live in England, Wales and Northern Ireland.

By downloading the free app, young people gain instant access to thousands of opportunities in their local community and beyond. No strings attached.



GLIDER CHALLENGE!

On 10th November, Year 8 students competed in the KS3 Glider Challenge at **RAF Museum Cosford**. Charlotte, Jude, Julia, and Piotr spent time researching, designing, and testing their models before building it and giving a presentation to the judges on the day. They faced strong competition and unfortunately their glider was out-distanced in the judged flights, but we are incredibly proud of how they worked as a team and overcame difficulties on the day!



unifrog

All Year 8 students have had the opportunity to create their Unifrog account and have completed their interest and personality quizzes in preparation for supporting their GCSE pathway choices next year!

unifrog.org





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Bee Lines



Our Year 7 students have been involved in **Peterborough's Environment City Trust (PECT) B-lines project** which promotes the creation of natural wildflower meadows for bees and other pollinating mini beasts to live in and visit. The students have enjoyed helping to prepare the soil and set wildflowers in parks across our city. They have worked incredibly hard, and we are very proud of them. We visited sites in Walton and Gunthorpe and hope to see the flowers in bloom next year. To find out more, please visit www.pect.org.uk.



YEAR 10 PSHE CAREERS

This term all Year 10's have had their weekly Careers lesson within their PSHE lesson, they have covered topics including Money skills, understanding pay, behaviours and skills required for work and Interview skills.

YEAR 11 CAREERS GUIDANCE

All Year 11 students have now had one-to-one careers guidance interviews with Mrs Ayre, our Careers Advisor. Should any Year 11 need help with a Post 16 or college application then please visit Mrs Ayre or Mrs Patman in the Careers Hub in 3L07.



UPCOMING EVENTS & OPEN DAYS:

- 7th January - **Post 16 Taster Day**
- 12th January - **Year 11 Mock Interviews**

College & University:



Peterborough
College

- 8th February **18:00 - 20:00**

To book a visit go to peterborough.ac.uk



Stamford
College

- 26th January **17:30 - 19:30**

To book a visit go to stamford.ac.uk