



St Bede's


Catholic School
& Sixth Form College

Serving Families in North West Durham

St Bede's 6th Form Virtual Open Night

We have created sections below which we hope you will be able to access the information, videos, websites, and documents to support your Next Steps, Post 18



Information	Links/ addresses
<p>UK's first video subject guide!</p> 	<p>https://www.unitasterdays.com/ondemand</p>
<h2>Presentations.</h2>	
<p>Researching Options Post 18</p>	<p>https://www.ucas.com/researching-options https://bwcet-my.sharepoint.com/:p:/p/ajukes_stb/EUqmV3fac2pChJ9-xCJMkRcBjEAFk46AMWJ2c6eYJioPOw?e=IhukyT</p>
<p>Why choose to go to university</p>	<p>https://www.whatuni.com/advice/choosing-a-uni/13-students-reveal-why-they-want-to-go-to-university/68530/</p>
<p>How to research universities</p>	<p>https://study-uk.britishcouncil.org/find/choosing-university</p>
<p>How to choose a university course</p>	<p>https://www.ucas.com/explore</p>
<p>Oxbridge- What is it & is how do I find out more?</p>	<p>https://www.topuniversities.com/where-to-study/europe/united-kingdom/oxbridge-explained</p> <p>Cambridge https://www.undergraduate.study.cam.ac.uk/events/cambridge-open-days</p> <p>Oxford https://www.ox.ac.uk/admissions/undergraduate/virtual-open-day</p>
<p>Russell Group Universities. Who are they and where can I find out more?</p>	<p>https://www.theuniguide.co.uk/advice/choosing-a-course/what-is-the-russell-group</p>
<p>Applying to University/UCAS</p>	<p>https://www.unitasterdays.com/ondemand/webinar/11/ucas-and-personal-statements</p>
<p>Alternatives to the traditional university experience-Degrees in another setting</p>	<p>https://www.unitasterdays.com/ondemand/webinar/52/two-year-university-degrees https://www.newcollegedurham.ac.uk/higher-education/</p> <p>What do we offer at NCD? - YouTube Higher Apprenticeships - What are they and how do you enrol on one? - YouTube Students Perspective - Higher Education Courses - YouTube New College Durham Studying higher education</p> <p>Open Events: Information & Advice Event Tuesday 2 November, 4.30-6.30pm New College Durham Information & Advice Event - November</p> <p>NCD Open Event Saturday 20 November, 10.30am – 1.00pm</p>

	<p align="center">New College Durham NCD Open Event</p> <p>https://www.gateshead.ac.uk/university-level https://www.ncl-coll.ac.uk/study-areas/university-centre/</p> <p>Open University http://www.open.ac.uk/ https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=i6p3yw7YsXo</p>
<p>Foundation Degrees HNC/HND's</p>	<p>https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=qdoWleJBLDg https://www.careerpilot.org.uk/stories/what-is-a-foundation-degree-with-video-clips-from-students https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/what-and-where-study/choosing-course/foundation-degrees</p> <p>HND/HND https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=6fZfEsu3gZg&t=10s</p>
<p>Degrees and Higher Apprenticeships</p>	<p>https://www.unitasterdays.com/ondemand/webinar/34/degree-apprenticeships</p> <p>What is an Apprenticeship? https://youtu.be/de7LBnmrQmU</p> <p>Pathways onto Apprenticeships https://youtu.be/_1ZFhmFbens</p>
<p>School Leaver Programmes School leaver programmes are not as easy to define as apprenticeships and will vary from company to company and industry to industry.</p> <p>Some popular industries include Banks, Building Societies, Accountancy companies & Government Departments- Civil Service & National Audit Office</p> <p>Some employers have retitled their Higher Apprenticeships as 'School Leaver Programmes'; others have veered away from the whole apprenticeship structure completely.</p> <p>A typical school leaver programme will last between 12 months and five years and may include obtaining a qualification as part of the programme objectives.</p>	<p>https://www.e4s.co.uk/entry-level-jobs/about-school-leaver-programmes.htm https://www.ucas.com/further-education/apprenticeships-and-traineeships/traineeships-and-school-leaver-programmes https://www.ratemyapprenticeship.co.uk/school-leaver-programmes#:~:text=School%20leaver%20programmes%20are%20a,pprenticeships,for%20those%20with%20A%2Dlevels. https://www.allaboutschoollavers.co.uk/school-leaver-options/school-leaver-programmes/what-is-a-school-leaver-programme https://www.allaboutschoollavers.co.uk/jobs/school-leaver-programmes https://uk.indeed.com/School-Leaver-Programme-jobs</p>

Parent Advice

Support for Parents/Carers

There are a range of organisations who can offer Careers and transition support to parents & carers so that you feel confident in supporting your child with options choices, career pathways and transition points in their lives.

Individual universities will also have advice.

More and more apprenticeship training providers are also providing information for parents too

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/ztf3f82>
<https://nationalcareersweek.com/parentsguide/>
<https://successatschool.org/advice/162>
<https://successatschool.org/advisedetails/1276/10-in-demand-career-paths-your-child-could-choose>
<https://mc.successatschool.org/parents-ebook>
<https://careermag.co.uk/careermag-parents/>
<https://amazingapprenticeships.com/parents/>
<http://viewer.zmags.com/publication/9058c6ab#/9058c6ab/1>
<https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/applying-university/ucas-undergraduate-advice-par-ents-and-guardians>
<https://www.thescholarshipclub.org.uk/complete-guide-cost-of-university-parents/>
<https://www.thecompleteuniversityguide.co.uk/student-advice/applying-to-uni/application-advice-for-parents>
<https://www.savethestudent.org/student-finance/parents-guide-tips-university.html>
<https://www.studentminds.org.uk/supportforparents.html>

Enhancing my CV

Work Experience

<https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/careers-advice/types-of-work-experience>
<https://www.prospects.ac.uk/jobs-and-work-experience/work-experience-and-internships>
<https://www.getmyfirstjob.co.uk/Choices/WorkExperience.aspx>

Virtual Opportunities

https://bwcet-my.sharepoint.com/:p:/p/ajukes_stb/EZZyFz6YvARJqvBROkecfwMBsWZSocy6dkFT01MnqKWfrQ?e=TEqeG6

Volunteering

https://bwcet-my.sharepoint.com/:p:/p/ajukes_stb/EcHXGtuubm1LkFK_oQzDNS4Bzl7jkKG7QnMIVqbPyPfSLg?e=7PMgg3