THE WEEKLY BULLETIN

UTC WARRINGTON



ENGINEERING CATCH UP

Monday, 3pm - 5pm: Mrs Owen/Mr Miller, 2.05 Wednesday, lunch: Miss Culleton/Mr Hatherall, 1.18 Wednesday lunch: Mrs Owen/Mr Miller, 2.05 Wednesday, 3pm - 5pm: Mrs Owen/Mr Miller, 2.05 Wednesday, 3pm - 5pm: Mr Hatherall, 1.18 Thursday, lunch: Mr Hatherall, 1.18 Thursday, lunch: All Staff - 2.05 Friday, brunch: All Staff - 2.05

Next week, there will be a Year 11 Engineering Design Coursework Clinic between 3.30pm and 6.30pm on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday in room 1.18.

YEAR 11 TIMETABLE

As you are aware, Year 11 will not have study leave but when the GCSEs begin on 13th May, the timetable will change for Year 11 so that they can have dedicated time with particular subjects prior to their exams.

This time should be valued and students should ask for support and guidance during these dedicated sessions. Students will receive weekly updates from Mrs Downing to ensure all students are aware of the changes. If you need any support from subject staff ahead of the public examinations, please do not hesitate to contact teachers.

DUKE OF EDINBURGH

A letter has been sent out to all Year 10 students and any cadets who wish to sign up. Parents can pay for the registration on Parent Pay which is £25. Information regarding the expeditions will follow. Once students are registered they will be given an E DofE log in where they can start uploading evidence for the 3 sections.

WELL DONE STUDENTS

The revision and coursework sessions were well attended by students in Year 11 and 13. Well done to all those who came in to complete important pieces of work before the exam season begins. Thank you to the UTC staff who volunteered to come in during the Easter break to support the students!



YEAR 13 VISIT STANLEY

ENGINEERING

Year 13 Engineering students visited Stanley Engineered Fastenings this week, as part of their BTEC Level 3 Qualification.

The students had the opportunity to tour the site in Woolston, alongside finding out about the range of apprenticeship and employment opportunities that Stanley has to offer. Lauryn Baker, a UTC graduate, organised the event. Lauryn left the UTC in August 2018 after securing an apprenticeship with Stanley Engineered Fastenings,

Since then, she has gone on to lead the engagement of the UTC's current students with the company, alongside head-hunting other alumni. Stanley Engineered Fastenings manufactures a diverse range of solutions that support the assembling and fastening process during the engineering of a new product.

Stanley have been involved in the college since opening in 2016 and have supported the UTC with masterclasses, demonstrations and work placements.



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"I LEARNED A LOT OF NEW THINGS ABOUT WORKING IN ENGINEERING AND HOW TO SECURE AN APPRENTICESHIP AFTER I LEAVE" - YEAR 13 STUDENT

MORE CYBER EXPERTS NEEDED

COMPUTER SCIENCE

New research has found that there has been a huge increase in the number of UK firms reporting cyber attacks and most businesses say they are unprepared for cyber breaches.

The insurer Hiscox found 55% of UK firms had face an attack in 2019, a jump of 40% compared to last year. Almost three quarters of firms were ranked as "novices" in terms of cyber readiness. At UTC Warrington, we are responding to business demand and developing the next wave of cyber security specialists to help combat the increase in cyber breaches.

We're the only college in Warrington to offer a tailored Cyber pathway for Year 12 students starting in September. Students will study a BTEC Level 3 in Computing which includes software development and programming.

Alongside a specialist course, students also have the opportunity to earn an industry-standard qualification - Resilia which helps embed best practice cyber security skills to our learners

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