



### ROYAL NAVY CHALLENGE POWER AHEAD...

UTC Warrington has two teams of students entering the 2020 Royal Navy Challenge - a national UTC competition for students to use their engineering skills to design and build a small craft that will take part in a humanitarian aid task in March. This week, both the Year 11 and Year 12 team shared their ideas with Harry Hales from the Royal Navy who offered guidance and support ahead of the competition next month. The teams will stay aboard HMS Sultan in Gosport, Hampshire with other UTC students.



### UPCOMING DATES

AECOM INTERVIEWS

10TH  
FEB

COLLEGE CLOSING AT 2PM

12TH  
FEB

COLLEGE CLOSING FOR HALF TERM

14TH  
FEB

### 6TH FORM NOTICES

#### AECOM INTERVIEWS

Interviews for work placement with AECOM will take place on Monday (10.02.20) in the Boardroom. Any students wishing to experience a mock interview should speak to a member of the 6th form team; AECOM are happy to facilitate this on Monday.

#### YEAR 12 WORK EXPERIENCE

The deadline for applying for work experience is Thursday 30th April. Work placement weeks are w/c 22nd June and 29th June. If you need any help or guidance on how to apply for work experience, please speak to the 6th form team.

#### 6TH FORM ASSEMBLY

Assembly for all 6th form students takes place every Wednesday at 08:30am. Important messages are issued every week by Mr Hatherall. It is important that all students are attending this to maximise their opportunities at the UTC.

### UTC GOES WORLDWIDE...

Thank you to Gary Skentlebery, Editor of Warrington Worldwide and supporter of UTC Warrington, who has been mentoring our Young Enterprise team. The group are selling advertising space in the UTCW Weekly Bulletin to local companies and organisations; the team have been working tirelessly to develop their business venture. Gary, alongside local business leader Chris Perkins, will be working on a joint venture between UTCW, Warrington Worldwide and local companies within the community to get this exciting initiative into a reality!



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#### Warrington Apprenticeships & Jobs Fair

6pm - 9pm, Thursday 5th March 2020

The EngineRooms, Birchwood Park, WA3 6YN



Come along to the Warrington Apprenticeships & Jobs Fair and meet employers with career opportunities in a variety of sectors such as:

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<https://warringtonappsfair2020.eventbrite.co.uk>

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### SUCCESS FOR ARCHITECTURE STUDENT

Congratulations to Year 13 student Mehak Deep Singh who has secured a week-long work placement at Buttress Architects - a firm in Manchester - over the Easter break. This has come about because of his commitment to the PLACED programme that he attends outside of his studies at UTCW.

### KEEPING UP PROFESSIONAL APPEARANCES

"Everyday is an interview". Ensure you are ready to make a brilliant first impression by looking smart and wearing the correct attire. This includes lanyards and ID cards which are important for student safety and safeguarding. Coats, jumpers and trainers must be removed when in the building.





## APPRENTICESHIP SUCCESS FOR WARRINGTON

Latest figures from The House of Commons Library show that 742,400 people across England were participating in an apprenticeship in 2018/2019. Over 1,700 people started apprenticeships across Warrington North and Warrington South, according to the Department for Education. Since the opening of engineering specialist college UTC Warrington in September 2016, the number of young people entering apprenticeships in that sector has risen to become the third most popular industry to enter in the local area.

The success of the UTC programme of employability and career-readiness has seen more students entering higher and degree level apprenticeships than ever before; in 2019, the percentage of students leaving the UTC to enter such career opportunities was over six times the national average.

Andy Carter, MP for Warrington South, visited the UTC in December. He says that apprenticeships are key to the success of skills development in the town. He said: *"So many employers have told me how valuable Apprenticeships are for recruiting new entrants, the real winners are those entering the jobs market with the opportunity to learn and earn with a great employer. UTC Warrington are play a crucial role in linking employers and students and I've seen for myself the way lessons are tailored to make them relevant for future careers while providing a great all round experience."*

Nicola Merriman, Operations Manager at NSAN who work with nuclear engineering companies, said that the partnership with the UTC is bringing a fantastic offer to young people and employers in the area. She said: *"Apprenticeships are critical to meeting the future skills needs of the nuclear industry, and it's great to see the regular opportunities UTC students are provided with to work with local nuclear companies to develop their knowledge and skills."*

## WORK EXPERIENCE DATES - APPLY NOW!

Year 10 - Monday 18th May 2020

Year 12, Week 1 - Monday 22nd June 2020

Year 12, Week 2 - Monday 29th June 2020



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4th Year Mechanical  
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## STFC Engineering Apprenticeship Opportunities

The Science & Technology Facilities Council (STFC) is the UK's provider of large scale inter-disciplinary research infrastructures and their supporting technologies, which enable UK researchers to investigate the world we live in and understand the building blocks of the universe. STFC has many years' experience in providing engineering apprenticeships; the Apprenticeship Scheme provides an excellent training ground to equip individuals with the relevant skills and experience for their chosen careers within the science and engineering arena. We are recruiting NOW for our September 2020 intake.

Closing Date: 31st March 2020 Assessment Day: 15th and 20th April 2020  
Interviews: w/c 4th May 2020

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### WHY INTERVENTION?

For some of our students there is a need for intervention and catch up that is teacher led to ensure they reach their full potential and these will be more effective if they are run in small groups that are targeted to the bridge the exact gaps in knowledge that our students require.

However, in other cases some of our students are on track and would prefer to revise independently with regular support and resources provided when needed.

### SUBJECT FOCUS

Please see the below table that explains the subject-specific intervention sessions and when/where they will take place. It is recommended that students attend as many intervention sessions as possible, followed by independent study and revision.

	Lunch	After College
Monday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Manufacturing (JV) – 2.05</li> <li>Computer Science (DP)</li> <li>Maths (ST) – 1.02</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Business, ICT &amp; iMedia (CG) – 2.05</li> <li>Engineering (DO) – 4.10</li> <li>Systems (NG) – 4.09</li> <li>Maths (Foundation ST) – 1.02*</li> </ul>
Tuesday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Art (KP) – 3.09</li> <li>Business, ICT &amp; iMedia (CG) – 2.05</li> <li>Maths (SR) – 1.10</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Geography (JR) – 1.09</li> <li>Science (PL)*</li> <li>Maths (Higher SR) – 1.10*</li> </ul>
Wednesday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maths (ST) – 1.02</li> <li>English (CE, PA) – 2.04</li> <li>Business, ICT &amp; iMedia (CG) – 2.05</li> <li>Science (MOD)</li> <li>Manufacturing (CH) – 2.05</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Science (DT, PL, DP)*</li> </ul>
Thursday	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Maths (ST) – 1.02</li> <li>Manufacturing (DO) – Workshop</li> <li>English (CE, PA) – 2.04</li> </ul>	

\*indicates where students will be invited to attend targeted intervention sessions. Please speak to subject staff for more information.

### MATHS INTERVENTION

Some foundation students in Y11 have been given a slip regarding Maths intervention on Monday, 3-4pm. This is targeting their areas of development.

Higher students intervention will be 3-4pm on Tuesdays.

If you would like your son/daughter to attend the sessions, could you please return the reply slip attached to the letter. All students are welcome at the sessions even if they have not received a request.

