

Useful Opportunities

Insight to BDO – Business & Accounting Event



Join us for a virtual insight event with BDO, one of the world's leading accountancy and advisory networks, with global opportunities, incredible training, and a strong early careers programme.

This session is designed especially for year 12, 13 and students at university. It is perfect for those who want to explore career options early and stand out when it really matters.

Event Details:

Event: Insight to BDO – Business & Accounting Virtual Event

Date: Thursday, 23rd October

Time: 5pm – 6:30pm

Location: Online via Zoom (join from anywhere!)

Who Can Attend? Year 12 and 13 starters, University Students (entering 2nd or 3rd year)

Why Attend:

BDO isn't just another professional services firm; it's a global player in 160+ countries, with a strong focus on developing the next generation of talent.

During this event, you'll:

- Discover what it's like to work at BDO from people who live it every day
- Hear real stories from apprentices and grads in business, accounting, and finance
- Learn how to stand out when applying for internships, apprenticeships, and graduate roles
- Get ahead of the 2026 application cycle with early insights and application tips

Whether you're exploring career ideas or already set on finance and professional services – this is the opportunity to get inspired, informed, and connected.

So, if you're curious about a *future in business, finance or accounting*, this is your moment to shine. Whether you're just starting to explore your options or are ready to apply, don't miss out.

Register Now: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/BDO_Oct

Navtech Radar Opportunity

We are actively seeking for someone to complete an Engineering Manufacturing Apprenticeship (level 3). The employee would work 4 x days per week at our Manufacturing site at Grove with one day per week at college.



For further information [click here](#).

University of Bedfordshire

At the University of Bedfordshire, we are excited to invite your students to our upcoming **Discover Teaching Day** on **Wednesday 12th November** at our **Bedford campus** – a dynamic and engaging event designed to inspire future educators.

This free event offers students the chance to explore careers in **Primary Teaching** and **Secondary PE** through:

- Interactive teaching tasters
- Hands-on workshops
- Q&A sessions with current trainee teachers

Whether your students are ready to apply or simply exploring their options, this is a fantastic opportunity to gain real insight into the teaching profession.

Who can attend?

Students in **Year 11 and above** with an interest in education, sport, or working with young people.

Booking options:

You can book in two ways:

📅 **Group bookings for schools:** [\[BOOK HERE\]](#)

📅 **Individual student bookings:** [\[BOOK HERE\]](#)

If you have any questions or need support with a booking, please don't hesitate to get in touch –

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Applications are now open for 2026 Medical Schools Council Summer School

We're excited to announce that applications are now open for the 2026 MSC Medicine Residential Summer Schools. These fully funded programmes offer an excellent opportunity for students to explore what it's like to study medicine at university – at no cost to them.

What are MSC Summer Schools?

The summer schools provide a practical and engaging experience of medical education through hands-on activities, online learning, and expert-led sessions. Students will:

- Experience what it's like to be a medical student
- Learn about a wide range of medical careers
- Receive support with university applications, admissions tests, and interviews
- Build confidence and meet like-minded peers
- May become eligible for contextual admissions at some medical schools

Who can apply?

The programmes are designed for Year 11 and 12 students in England from underrepresented backgrounds, particularly those with limited access to medical outreach. Students can apply for residential or commuter places depending on what suits their circumstances best.

Please note: a separate online-only medical summer school and dental residential summer schools will open for applications in January 2026, and more information will follow later in the term.

Key Dates:

- Applications close: **30 November 2025**
- Decisions shared by: **23 January 2026**

Some programmes include compulsory online sessions before the main residentials in Summer 2026, so it's important to check dates carefully.

Which universities are involved?

You can explore the [available programmes](#) using the links below.

- [Brunel University with Imperial College London](#)
- [University of Lancashire with University of Sunderland](#)
- [Brighton & Sussex Medical School \(BSMS\) with University of Southampton and University of Surrey](#)
- [University of East Anglia with Anglia Ruskin University](#)
- [Newcastle University](#)

How to apply

Students can check their [eligibility](#) and apply online here: https://data.heat.ac.uk/event/apply/msc/msc-residential-summer-schools-2026-application?utm_source=...

Learn more about the programmes here: [Medicine Summer School Programmes 2026](#)

If you have any questions, please email outreach@medschools.ac.uk.

A&O Shearman Virtual and In-Person Law Event

We're excited to invite you to an exclusive opportunity with one of the most prestigious law firms in the world— A&O Shearman! If you're a Year 11, 12, or 13 students with an interest in commercial law, this event is for you.

Event Details:

Date: Tuesday 4th November

Time: 5:00pm - 6:30pm

Location: Virtual via Zoom (link will be provided upon registration)

Why Attend?

At this event, you'll get a unique chance to dive deep into the world of A&O Shearman, one of the UK's elite law firms. Known for their innovation and expertise, A&O Shearman has been at the fore front of the legal industry for decades. They handle some of the most complex and high-profile cases globally, working with top-tier clients from every industry. This is your chance to hear directly from professionals who have shaped their careers at one of the most influential firms in the world.

What You'll Learn:

- **Career Opportunities:** Discover what it's like to work at the firm, and gain an insight into the solicitor apprenticeship programme that can kickstart your legal career.
- **Workshops:** Commercial Awareness Legal Workshop with a quiz
- **Hear about the distinct differences** that set A&O Shearman apart from other global law firms
- **Exclusive Networking:** Gain access to legal experts and discover how you can stand out in the competitive world of law.

Additionally, we will be hosting an in-person event with A&O Shearman before the end of the year, and attending this virtual insight is the best way to learn about it and how to apply for a chance to attend.

This is an unmissable opportunity to learn what sets A&O Shearman apart, and how you can become part of one of the world's most respected law firms. Secure your spot today and get ready to take your first step toward a future in law.

Register now: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/AO_Shearman

Please take the time to have a look at the Work Experience and Opportunities board in 6F for more information and posters.

