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YEAR 12 WORK PLACEMENT 2019

- Year 12 return to school after TT week on Monday 10th June.
- Higher Education conference at BHS on Friday June 14th at 1pm. All students are to attend this event.
- Week beginning 24th June is the Universities Visit.
- Week beginning 1st July is work placement week for all students.
- Those students not on the Universities Visit will complete two weeks of work experience.



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The value of a work placement

- A work placement allows students to develop key employability skills e.g. time management, communication, teamwork and personal organisation.
- Completing a work placement is important for UCAS applications and in particular, personal statements. Employers and Higher Education institutes value students who have been pro-active in developing their skills and exploring future pathways.
- Students can make great contacts for the future and gain a real insight into the world of work.



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Securing a work placement

- Students source their own work placement to enable them to tailor their experience to suit their career choices.
- Family and friends may be able to help with a wider range of contacts.
- Consider a UK placement if the career area you are interested in is not available on the Isle of Man.
- Be aware of the Health and Safety aspect of certain jobs - if in doubt check with Mr Ryder-Clague.



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Plan of Action

- Explore different options for your work placement.
- Talk to your tutor or Mr Ryder-Clague about your future career plans.
- Use KUDOS to help you narrow down your ideas. (<https://kudos.cascaid.co.uk/#/>)
- Ask for a careers interview if you think it would be helpful.
- Complete all paperwork and submit it to Mrs Bridson in the school office by Friday 26th April.