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NEWSLETTER

OPPORTUNITIES



MI5 HAVE SCHOOL LEAVERS OPPORTUNITIES

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The Security Service MI5 have a range of job opportunities from Software Engineer to Administrative Officers. Take a look at mi5.gov.uk and search careers.

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The Army are offering a range of opportunities for school children aged 14+.

- **WORK EXPERIENCE** (aged 14-18) at Okehampton camp near Exeter. Please see attached form on the next page. please note their first Female only work experience in November!
- **Army Foundation College Webinar** 5th October at 15:00 please see the next page.
- **Army Foundation College** – for year 11 students, the college are now accepting applications for 2024! Please see next page.

ARMY OPPORTUNITIES

BRITISH ARMY WORK EXPERIENCE

2023/24

The British Army is pleased to offer its 4-day residential work experience course dates for 2023-24 (subject to change).

The courses are not regimentally specific and are designed to give students that are interested in a career in The British Army an insight into Army Life.

Points to note:

- Students are fed and accommodated free of charge. It is the responsibility of the school/parent/guardian to transport the student to and from the course location (Okehampton).
- The courses are aimed at students aged 14 – 18 years.
- Spaces are allocated on a first come first served basis (there is a limit as to how many each educational establishment can book per event – normally 5 people per event.)
- Our Outreach Team must liaise with a point of contact from the school (except where this is impossible due to half terms etc.) to complete some mandatory paperwork. There will be a parent/guardian consent form which all students must take with them to the course signed. Failure to do so will result in the students being unable to participate and will be sent home.

Whilst on the course students may participate in some of the following activities:

- Learning drill
- Cooking in the field
- Field craft
- Patrols
- Build a basha
- Assault courses

Dates

09-12 October 2023	05-08 February 2024 (FULL)
20-23 November 2023 (FEMALE ONLY)	11-14 March 2024
04-07 December 2023	
08-11 January 2024	

- Joint problems
- ADHD/ASD
- Nut Allergy/Allergies
- Diabetes
- Pregnancy
- Chest pain when doing physical activity

To ensure Work Experience Events are a success, students must follow instructions and be well behaved at all times. A contact from the school should be available by phone at all times should an issue arise. The Army Outreach Team are there to deliver an exciting and different range of activities in order to promote personal development and not to manage poor behaviour.

Sexism, racism, bullying or other forms of inappropriate behaviour towards either the Outreach Team or other students is not acceptable. The senior ranking Soldier may exercise their discretion and remove a student from the course. This student would need to be collected by a teacher or parent/guardian.

Thank you for your cooperation.



BOOKING REQUEST FORM Work Experience

Please use this form to request spaces on our residential Work Experience. Complete and return it to karen.jones148@mod.gov.uk. Please note there are limited spaces on Work Experience courses, fixed course dates throughout the year. Students attending Work Experience must be aged 14-18 years. Maximum number of students from any one establishment is 5 students per booking.

School details	
School name and full address inc postcode	Location of activity (if different)
School type: (secondary, FE College etc.)	
School contact	
Name:	
Email:	
Telephone:	
Preferred course dates:	

Please list below the names and ages of the students.

Name	Gender M/F	Age	Health/ Medical information	Dietary requirements
1.				
2.				
3.				
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Important

The Army Work Experience is designed to give those interested in a career in the Army a taste of Army life. The Army has strict medical entry standards and due to the physical nature of the activities on Work Experience, students will not be able to take part if they have any of the following conditions: (this list is not exhaustive)

- Heart conditions
- Respiratory problems/Asthma

ARMY CAREERS

THE ARMY FOUNDATION COLLEGE, HARROGATE

RECRUITING NOW!

Kick start your career by attending the Army Foundation College with people your age to undertake military training, sports, education and much more!

WHAT WILL YOU GET OUT OF THE ARMY?

- Earn around £1000 per month (Salary as at Sept 2023: £18,687 rising to £23,496 after training)
- Apprenticeship relevant to your job, further education and your driving licence*
- Opportunity to progress and be challenged
- Free access to gym and sports facilities
- Adventurous training
- Free medical and dental care
- Free pension
- 38 days paid annual leave



HOW TO APPLY?

You must be 15 years and 7 months to apply – if you are: -

- Go to <https://apply.army.mod.uk/how-to-join> or scan QR code
- Set up an account and apply as 'regular soldier'
- Your application will be passed to the Careers Office in Taunton
- We will contact you to help and support you through the process



MORE INFORMATION?

Call Taunton Army Careers Centre on 01823 272272 for a chat or to book in for an informal discussion to learn more.

Go to <https://www.army.mod.uk/who-we-are/our-schools-and-colleges/afc-harrogate/> Or scan QR code



*Driving licence subject to job role

FOR ASPIRING DOCTORS & DENTISTS

FREE LIVE VIRTUAL Get Into Medicine conference

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These conferences offer tailored advice for medicine and dentistry, covering a range of crucial topics:

- Tactically choosing universities
- Personal statements
- UCAT
- Medical & Dental school interview skills
- Medical Leadership Programmes
- Awards Programmes
- Extracurricular activities
- Work experience
- Building a CV
- Applying for scholarships

Spaces are competitive and limited, so students should register as soon as they can using the link below. For this reason, we kindly request that students only book one conference.

Registration Link:

<https://airtable.com/appgXnyzN5ZD9lw6/shry7MZYtt3MGPjvQ>

Here's how the day will run:

9:30-10.00 Registration

10.00-11:00 Quick introduction to Medic Mentor, overview of the day, competition ratios, application timeline, Awards and Scholarships

11:00-11:15 Break

11.15-11.45 Introduction to the UCAS application form and entry requirements

11.45-12.15 Interactive CV building exercise and exclusive access to leadership, research, presentation, publication, prizes and scholarship opportunities

12.15-12.30 Top tips form a successful applicant (medical student)

12:30-12:45 Break

12.45-13.30 How to write the perfect personal statement

13.30-13.45 Break

13.45-14.10 Entrance exams - how to do ace the UCAT

14.10-14.30 How to prepare for Medical School interviews

14.30-15.00 Top tips form a successful applicant (medical student) and next steps