

# SLG CAREERS BULLETIN



Dear Parent/Guardian

29/05/2026

Please see information below that details events linked to Careers Education, Information, Advice and Guidance.

**SLG Career Bulletins are available on the school app and school website. Students can also access this information on their Year Group TEAMS.**

## University & Higher Education

### QUB Dentistry Open Days – Monday 22 & Tuesday 23 June 2026

Queen's University Belfast is offering prospective students the opportunity to attend dentistry-specific open days at the School of Dentistry, RVH, Grosvenor Road. Sessions run 9.30am – 12pm or 1.30pm – 4pm. The programme includes a course overview, career opportunities, facility tour, interactive Clinical Technique Lab sessions, Q&A, and the chance to meet current students. [Find out more and register online](#)

### Queen's University Belfast – Open Days 2026

Students will have the opportunity to learn more about courses, hear first-hand from current students and teaching staff, and experience learning and living in Belfast:

- [Saturday 6 June 2026, 9.30am – 3pm](#)
- [Saturday 3 October 2026, 9.30am – 3pm](#)

### Ulster University – Open Days

- **Thursday 3, Friday 4, Saturday 5 September** – Belfast campus
- **Thursday 10, Friday 11, Saturday 12 September** – Derry~Londonderry campus
- **Friday 18, Saturday 19 September** – Coleraine campus

Find out more here: <https://www.ulster.ac.uk/study/undergraduate/open-days>

### ATU Summer Camps 2026

Atlantic Technological University is hosting Summer Camps across its campuses from June to September 2026, designed for second-level students. Camps offer hands-on learning, entrepreneurial thinking, and real-world experience. Camps currently scheduled include:

- **Engineering Tomorrow – 16–18 June**
- **Experience Science – September (TY)**
- **Ocean Innovation – September (TY)**
- **Future Vet (Mountbellew) – 29/30 October**

[Register and explore all options at ATU](#)

### Free Get Into Medicine & Dentistry Virtual Conferences

These free virtual conferences provide a comprehensive overview of the medical and dental application process, including UCAT, personal statements, interview skills, university selection, and extracurricular activities.

- Get Into Medicine Conference – [Saturday 6 June, 9am–1.30pm. Register here](#)
- Get Into Dentistry Conference – [Saturday 31 May, 9am–1.30pm. Register here](#)

### Medicine, Dentistry & UCAT

#### UCAT Preparation

Students intending to apply for Medicine or Dentistry must sit the UCAT examination before mid-September. Visit [www.ucat.ac.uk](http://www.ucat.ac.uk) for full details on registration and preparation.



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## Work-Related Learning and Work Experience

### NI Ambulance Service – Online Q&A Session (Year 13)

Date: Friday 26 June 2026 | Sessions: 11am–12pm or 2pm–3pm | Spaces: 40 per session

Year 13 students can register by emailing [NIASHR.Learning&Development@nias.hscni.net](mailto:NIASHR.Learning&Development@nias.hscni.net).

A Microsoft Teams link will be sent closer to the date

**The School of Electronics, Electrical Engineering and Computer Science (EECS)** is offering 5 days of Work Experience to a cohort of 50 secondary school students from 8 – 12 June 2026.

The programme will be held onsite in the Computer Science Building and Ashby Building, between 9.30am and 4.30pm each day. This programme will provide students with the opportunity to experience a wide range of activities and learn about the different careers' options available in the industry.

[Find out more on our website](#)

### Allied Healthcare Virtual Work Experience (NHS) – Paediatric Pathways

**Date:** Sunday 7 June 2026 | **Who:** Years 11–14 (NI) | **Format:** Live virtual session

A virtual work experience session exploring allied healthcare careers including Nursing, Midwifery, Paramedicine, Physiotherapy, Occupational Therapy, Radiography, Dietetics, Pharmacy, and Speech & Language Therapy. Participants follow real patient journeys, interact with healthcare professionals, and gain experience to support UCAS applications. A certificate is provided and references are available for those completing the full programme.

Cost: £10 per session / £50 for full programme. [Sign up here](#)

## Apprenticeship Opportunities

### PCD, Autoline & Cranswick Apprenticeships

Applications are now open for apprenticeships with PCD, Autoline, and Cranswick. Year 12 and Year 14 pupils should see TEAMS for further details.

## Scholarships, Bursaries & Financial Support

### Supporting Communities Scholarship Fund – Year 14

Supporting Communities is offering a scholarship for Year 14 students in the Ballymena area beginning university in Northern Ireland in September 2026, studying at Queen's University Belfast or Ulster University in: STEM subjects, Business/Accountancy, or Agriculture.

- £1,500 per year for up to four years
- £1,000 one-off grant for IT/technology equipment at the start of the scholarship

**Deadline:** 5pm, 30 June 2026. [Apply at Supporting Communities](#)

### Impetus Education – Future Leaders Scholarship Programme

Impetus Education is now accepting applications for scholarships for its online summer programmes, delivered by graduate tutors from Cambridge and Oxford. Programmes include 1:1 mentoring, subject deepening, and UCAS support. Over 10 full scholarships (each worth £1,390) and 40+ partial scholarships have been awarded in previous years.

**Eligibility:** Students aged 16–18 (exceptional 15-year-olds may also apply).

**Scholarship Deadline:** 15 June 2026. [Apply here](#)

### Local Credit Union Student Bursary Awards – Final Year A-Level Students

Local Credit Unions are offering Student Bursary Awards for final year A-level students. Please check with your local Credit Union for details on eligibility and how to apply.