

Life After School – can you help?

A request from Dr Richard Silverman, Head of Futures

In the increasingly competitive environment in which we work, we recognise the need to complement the school's rigorous academic approach with an engaging and enriching provision of careers and university advice. We aim not just to boost and develop the employability skills of our students but also expose them to the sheer breadth of career possibilities and flexibility of career paths that they can encounter.

Below are a few examples of the events we run each year, and hopefully more exciting events will be developed next year. Many of these events run so well due to the professional expertise and generosity of alumni, governors and parents.

Academic interviews

Could you carry out a mock academic interview and provide feedback? These are an essential part of each student's preparation, so we offer every Year 13 student a challenging academic interview in the subject she is applying for at university.

Work-based interviews

Could you carry out a mock work-based interview and provide feedback? Each year, students apply for internships and degree apprenticeships and an interview is often part of the selection procedure.

Networking breakfasts

We hold specialist networking breakfasts jointly with the Boys' School, across a range of professions. At these breakfasts, Sixth Form students can talk to professionals in areas that are of interest to them, such as medicine, law, media, the performing arts, STEM, finance, entrepreneurship, degree apprenticeships, the public sector and charities.

Higher Education Evening

The focus here is helping the students gain a wider understanding of the courses offered at university. A number of universities are represented, and presentations are given on studying at Oxbridge and making an overseas university application.

Student Questions

Would you be willing to be emailed by a student to answer questions about university or careers?

If you are interested in being contacted in the future regarding volunteering for any of the above, please complete this [form](#). Further details will be sent out when the dates for the various events have been confirmed. For any further queries, please email rsilverman@habselstree.org.uk

