



Careers Bulletin June 2025

Welcome to the half termly Blatchington Mill Careers Bulletin. The aim of the publication is to keep you informed about what is happening at Blatch, as well as opportunities that are available for both parents/carers and students.

If you have any queries, ideas or need general information in regard to futures and/or careers, please contact us using the email address here: careers@blatchingtonmill.org.uk

Opportunities available

BrightMed 2025: Applications Now Open

BrightMed is the Brighton and Sussex Medical School's Widening Participation programme which identifies and supports young people across Sussex who have the potential to become tomorrow's doctors.

As a BrightMedder, students will take part in regular Saturday sessions on the University of Sussex campus. This will involve lectures, seminars, knowledge sessions and activities. Sixth form students who are part of BrightMed may also be eligible for the Guaranteed Interview Scheme (GIS).

The programme works with students from Year 9 to Year 12 who live or study in Sussex, and who meet our widening participation eligibility criteria. If you are currently in Year 8 to Year 11, we want to receive your application for BrightMed 2025/26!

You can read more about BrightMed, including eligibility criteria and GIS, on our website: bsms.ac.uk/brightmed

To apply for BrightMed, pupils should complete the online application form for their current year group.

- Year 8-10 application form
- · Year 11 application form

<u>Deadline for applications is Monday 7 July at 9am.</u>

If you have any questions about BrightMed or the application process, please email outreach@bsms.ac.uk.



Below is a link to the latest Inspiring Careers Programme Labour Market Information Bulletin.

In this edition, you will find:

- National news
- London news
- North East news
- South news
- South Yorkshire news
- Useful websites and resources
- Dates for your diary

Click the link to access the bulletin LMI Bulletin

Choices magazine

The June edition of Choices has just been released and can be downloaded here.

This month's edition features Ranjit, whose daughter Jainna is a multi-award-winning apprentice and Nylah, a former T Level student now building her career in construction. They spotlight four apprentices working in finance across government. Mark Anderson offers five tips to help your child make informed choices. Plus, discover a new apprenticeship programme launching this summer,

explore their free HTQ webinar series, and check out this term's full schedule of events.

INVESTIN - free webinar



While summer provides a well-earned break, it's also a great time for students to get ahead before the busy school year begins.

INVESTIN are running a free webinar for students in Years 11–12 (and their parents) on how to use the summer to strengthen future university applications. The session will offer practical ways to explore their school subjects beyond the classroom and how to showcase activities that really stand out to admissions tutors.

It's completely free to attend! It's taking place on **Tuesday 17th June, 6-7pm.** If students can't join live, they can still register to receive the recording and resources by email.

Register to attend here

Moulsecoomb Forest garden and Wildlife Project



Job of the month - Restaurant Manager



Those working in the Restaurant Service industry are well rounded individuals who have a good knowledge of basic restaurant service skills, wine service and knowledge, bar skills and good presentation skills. Those looking to become a restaurant manager should be able plan menus, organise shifts and rotas, manage budgets and stock. The individual should have excellent stakeholder management skills with food and drink suppliers. Adhere to rules and regulations in line with licensing, food hygiene and health and safety of the team. They would need to be able to manage staff, training and recruiting.

KEY SKILLS

Are presentable

Are approachable

Are friendly and like working with people

Are a team-player

Have excellent customer service skills

Salary - starting salary £18,000 rising to £45,000 plus

Labour Market Information (LMI)

As part of the regular bulletins, we will be including any labour market information we have available to keep you abreast of where new opportunities are likely to arise as well as what is currently available within the labour market.

The Office for National Statistics link below gives national information that gives estimates as well as regional, local authority and Parliamentary constituency breakdowns of changes in the UK of employment, unemployment, economic inactivity and other employment-related statistics for the UK.

Click <u>here</u> for the national picture.

Click <u>here</u> for a breakdown of information broken down into regions of the UK.

Click <u>here</u> for Brighton and Hove local economic information

For more careers education information, advice and guidance visit the careers page on Blatchington Mill School website by clicking <u>here</u>.