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Dear Students, Parents and Carers,

Careers Education is more important now than ever, and although real face to face contact is minimal, the world of career excellence has not been forgotten. I am personally working on National Apprenticeship Week which takes place from 8th to 14th February, and National Careers Week which is from 1st to 6th March. Davison celebrates both of these weeks and I am excited to be engaging with inspiring external speakers who will be linking with lessons in February and March. Over the next couple of months there are a number of online virtual events taking place that students and parents/carers can access; I want to share these with you.

The National Careers Service have a Virtual Careers fair this week, on Wednesday 27th and Thursday 28th January. BT, NHS, British Airways, Merchant Navy, Accenture Consulting, are among those businesses taking part. Please [click](#) here for further information and to book on.

Morgan Sindall Construction are running an Apprenticeship Live 3-day event from 8th - 10th February, please see the attached document. An industry for our young women as much as our young men!

The National Apprenticeship Show is on Wednesday 10th February from 11am to 6pm, featuring businesses such as AstraZeneca, Santander, NHS, KPMG, SKY, Royal Air Force, Lloyds Banking Group and more. Please click [here](#) for further information.

World Skills UK Spotlight Talks take place on 24th and 25th March, highlighting the opportunities and career pathways available in technical and vocational routes, inspiring young people from all backgrounds. Please register [here](#) to hear from leading employers and apprentices.

Games Career Week is from 26th March to 2nd April, and aims to inspire people from all backgrounds to discover careers in games. Please click [here](#) for more information.

CareerEar is a free online platform, supported by the Department for Education, offering personalised career information and advice. If you would like to sign up for a free account and start to gain insights from career professionals please click [here](#).

I hope that this information creates interesting conversation for you all. Please don't forget the Careers page in FROG, and that I am at the end of an email should you have any questions.

Best of wishes

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