

# Careers Corner

Careers Newsletter from St Bede's Academy

## Welcome to the new academic year.

Written by Ms Taylor

The summer holidays have gone past in the blink of an eye, and the school is once again full of students. I'd like to extend a warm welcome to all the new members of our school community; students, parents & staff.

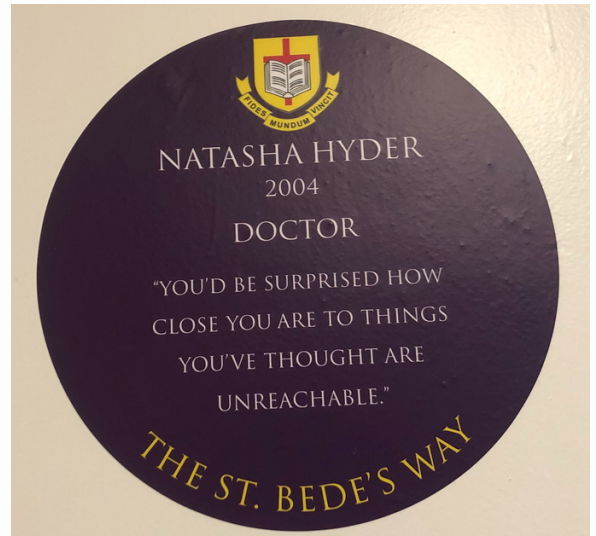
Alongside our regular Parent Newsletter, we distribute a half termly Careers Newsletter to support parents and carers to help their young person. The careers landscape, particularly the post 16 landscape, has changed so much in recent years, so this newsletter will highlight relevant websites, articles and information to help you. It will also promote local open events at colleges and apprenticeship providers as well as give you facts and figures on our Labour Market Information.

I hope you find the content useful but if there is anything else you wish to be covered in the newsletter, please send suggestions to [vtaylor@stbedesscunthorpe.org.uk](mailto:vtaylor@stbedesscunthorpe.org.uk)

I will leave you with an article from our Enterprise Advisors, Birch Chemicals from 2021. Since the article was written we have organised two trips to the site at Ulceby and Steve has supported with mock interviews, strategic planning and assemblies for Year 7's - <https://birchchemicals.co.uk/st-bedes-career-development/>



**Birch  
Chemicals**



One of our Alumni stickers on display around the school.

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**In the Humber region  
52% of people hold a  
Level 3 qualification,  
compared to 62%  
Nationally.  
Skills Hull & East  
Yorkshire**

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# Preparing Year 11 for leaving school

by Ms Taylor

As always, the new academic year brings about a specific focus for our Year 11 cohort. Their thoughts turn to their final year at school and the opportunities that lay ahead of them. It becomes all too real that within the next 12 months their time at St Bede's will be at an end and they will be embarking on a completely new adventure.

We appreciate that the landscape of post 16 options is a tricky one to navigate, therefore we provide as much information and support as we can to ensure that students progress on to appropriate courses. During the Autumn term every Year 11 student will have the opportunity to sit one to one with a qualified Careers Advisor, along with the chance to speak to both local colleges individually. They will also have a catalogue of visits from potential providers during their PSHCE lessons, and social times.

One thing we greatly encourage, is attending open events. Students can visit as many as they want, and can take family or friends along to support. Often these are informal in style, allowing students to look around facilities at their own pace and speak to current staff and students. The latest open event list can be found on the St Bede's website under the careers tab.

## Open Events

North Lindsey College Wednesday 18th October  
Bishop Burton Saturday 7th October  
Grimsby Institute Thursday 5th October  
HETA Apprenticeships Wednesday 11th October  
John Leggott College Thursday 12th October

## Autumn Term 2023

PSHCE Careers lessons for Year 7, 9 & 11.

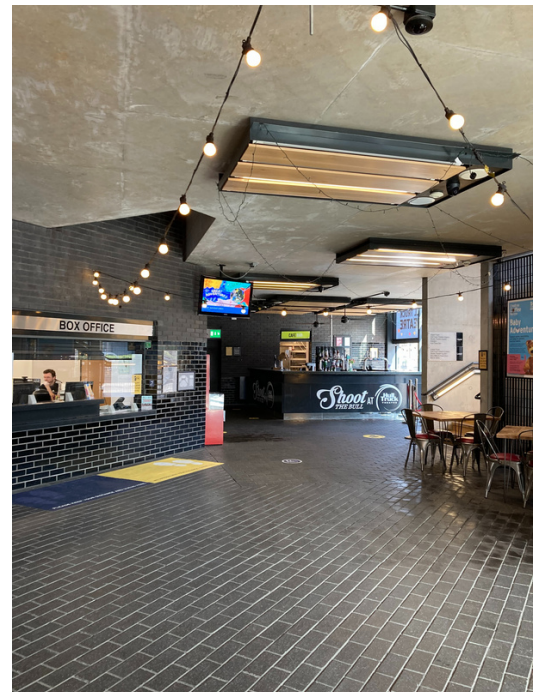
North Lindsey College, ASK Apprenticeships & John Leggott College presentations - September

Individual guidance for Year 11 - September - December

Careers Fair for all years - October

Application sessions for Year 11 - December

Medical Mavericks for Year 10 - December



**Hull Truck Theatre - one of our venues for Work Trip Week.**