

## Careers Update: July 2020

A number of activities & competitions to get involved in during the Summer holidays!

### GM Higher Summer Olympics 2020 - Pick one of the 7 challenges to win a £50 Amazon voucher!

For your chance to win a £50 Amazon voucher, enter the GM Higher Summer Olympics by completing one of the competitions. Fun ways to keep yourself occupied, with the chance to win £50! You do not need to be a sportsman/sportswoman! Each of these challenges are fun and can be completed at home. GM Higher are a team of local colleges and universities who work together to provide activities for young people in Greater Manchester. Good luck. We hope you will take part and win!

[https://gmhigher.ac.uk/news/summer-olympics/?utm\\_source=Twitter&utm\\_medium=Social%20Media&utm\\_campaign=sm-weekly](https://gmhigher.ac.uk/news/summer-olympics/?utm_source=Twitter&utm_medium=Social%20Media&utm_campaign=sm-weekly)

Two of the challenges are below....



**GM Higher Summer Olympics: 2020 Memory Letter**

As 2020 has been a strange year, we wanted to document this by using an element of History blended with your Photography skills for you to create a 2020 lockdown memory letter. To learn more about this competition and how to enter please see the competition brief and video. Good Luck! 2020 Memory Letter competition ... Continue reading



**GM Higher Summer Olympics 2020: Budget, Bake & Make**

If you love baking and cooking then this is the competition for you. We want to celebrate all of those talented chefs and bakers out there by producing our very own GMH Budgeting Food Competition! To learn more about this competition and how to enter, please see the competition brief and video. Budget Bake and ... Continue reading

### The Nancy Rothwell Award 2020

**Calling all artists with an interest in Plants & Animals! - Entries by 31st July 2020**

<https://gmhigher.ac.uk/events/the-nancy-rothwell-award-2020/>

Draw, paint, sketch or digitally create artwork capturing plant and animal anatomy



The Nancy Rothwell Award 2020 specimen drawing competition for 7 – 18 year olds is now open for submissions. Student prizes include an experience day at the Royal Veterinary College, a set of drawing pencils and £25, and their school can also win £100. Have a look at last year's [shortlisted entries](#) for inspiration and submit entries electronically by 31st July. Schools can download a poster and presentation to help promote the competition. For more information, please visit the [Royal Society of Biology website](#) or contact Raghav Selvam (competitions@rsb.org.uk) with any enquires.

## Introduction to the Allied Health Professions - Free Webinar – Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> August 2020



<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/rt/8793785554913874959>

Allied Health Professionals (AHPs) are a family of healthcare practitioners that work to ensure adults and children can live the fullest lives possible by helping them live with or recover from health problems. Examples are:

- Art therapist
- Diagnostic radiographer
- Dietitian
- Drama therapist
- Music therapist
- Occupational therapist
- Operating department practitioner
- Orthoptist
- Osteopath
- Paramedic
- Physiotherapist
- Podiatrist
- Prosthetist / orthotist
- Speech and language therapist
- Therapeutic radiographer

This webinar is designed for pupils in years 7 – 13 and will provide participants with an overview of the 15 Allied Health Professions and answer any questions that students may have.

## Global Leadership Courses & Project Skills for pupils aged 11-15 - Get active & creative!

**Global Social Leaders (GSL)** are delighted to invite socially active and creative young people to take part in an online global leadership development programme.

**Age Eligibility:** 11 to 15

**School Eligibility:** State funded school in the UK (this is a funded programme with eligibility criteria)

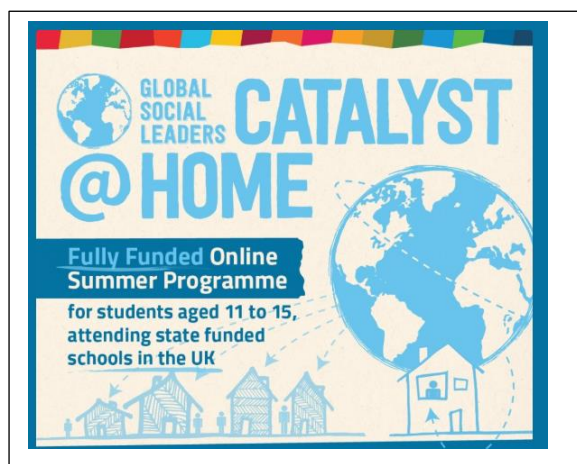
**Duration:** One-week live course (part time 3 hours per day delivered in the mornings on weekdays) followed by the option to complete 3 online courses in your own time, with scheduled times to access support

**Dates:** The one-week live course has three options available – you can choose during registration your preferred week

– 3rd-7th August

– 10th-14th August

**Access online courses:** After taking part in the 'one-week' – course – Participants will have access to 3 weeks of online courses and live support from the GSL team. This will be available to access in your own time.



**Fully funded:** The programme is fully funded by Innovate UK, and there is no charge for participation (if you are eligible and selected to take part).

The GSL Summer Catalyst @Home is designed by Future Foundations and the Wellington Leadership and Coaching Institute in partnership with Wellington College. The programme is funded by Innovate UK. Pupils can find out more and register here: <https://www.globalsocialleaders.com/gsl-summer-catalyst-at-home/#howdoesitwork>

## Jacobs' Virtual Work Experience Weeks – Careers in STEM – Future Architects & Engineers



In response to the current situation Jacobs has developed a virtual work experience programme. The programme will centre around the design of a Coronavirus Vaccine research facility. We will introduce students into the wide range of people within the STEM fields that will come together to make this project a reality from architects and engineers through to project managers and safety specialists. In addition to focussing on the technical skills, we are also aiming to introduce students to some of the key skills they will need in the workplace in the 21st century such as creativity, reading and combining data from multiple different sources.

The programme will be run over 2 weeks with one topic each day. The format of each day will be:

8:00AM - We will upload the video lectures and activities for that topic. We expect these to take about 2 hours.

4:00PM - There will be a live Q&A session with an expert from that topic where you can ask questions about their career, the activities or anything else you're curious about.

The 10 topics on the programme are: Project Management, Health & Safety, Transport Planning, Urban Planning, Architecture, Interior Design, Structural Engineering, Mechanical Engineering, Electrical Engineering and a Careers Chat.

### Discovering Therapeutic Radiography – Free Webinar – Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> July 2020

<https://attendee.gotowebinar.com/rt/2497630130763193104>

Do you know the difference between a Therapeutic Radiographer and a Diagnostic Radiographer?

Does science or psychology fascinate you?

Do you want to help cure cancer or ease any discomfort for those with a cancer illness.

Do you like the idea of doing a job that blends rapidly changing exciting technology and ICT software whilst ensuring that caring and supporting people is at the heart of what you do?

Do you like the idea of a varied job that isn't desk bound and could take you into all sorts of work sectors including round the world?

If so come and hear about therapeutic radiography and real-life stories from an experienced therapeutic radiographer about this diverse and rewarding career.

