Westhill Academy

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Staff & Pupil Information

Mr Robertson - Virtual London Marathon

Mr Robertson, Faculty Head of Humanities is running a virtual London Marathon on Sunday 4th October. He is looking to raise £500 for SAMH (Scottish Association for Mental Health) by running 26.2 miles through the Aberdeenshire countryside. SAMH works with adults and young people providing mental health social care support, services in primary care, schools and further education, among others. This year has been a challenging one for a lot of people and the impact of Covid restrictions has had an inevitable effect on mental health across the country making organisations like SAMH critically important.
If you would like to help out there will be sponsor form outside T13 for the next few weeks or you can donate online at https://uk.virginmoneygiving.com/BillRobertson

[Mr Robertson]

S5/6 Foundation Apprenticeship Classes

All pupils that have a FA class period 4.1 must attend in school as per your timetable this is not a private study period.

[Mr Sweeney]

Children and Young People S5/6 Foundation apprenticeship.

Could all pupils who have this class Thursday period 4 come to Mrs Stuart in Drama 2 from now on please.

[Mrs Stuart]

S5/6 Pupils

Young Professionals are putting together a 2-day work experience program for S5 & S6 students interested in **Technology, Business, Accounting & Finance** during the October Half Term. We have teamed up with some of the biggest brands on the planet such as **IBM, Ernst & Young and PwC** to deliver an amazing 2-day program for your students to get involved with.
We know many work experience places this summer got cancelled due to Covid-19 so we wanted to make sure your students are able to get an opportunity to engage with some huge bands, learn new things and begin to build their own professional network for when they enter into the work place.
Key Details:
October Half Term 15th - 16th October
9am - 4pm each day (times may vary)
Open to all S5 and S6 students

- Specifically, for students looking to get into **Technology, Business, Accounting & Finance**
- Online webinars and workshops with group exercises + prizes to stand out students
- Digital logbooks will be sent out for them to complete during their experience
- All sessions will be taking place on Zoom (so a laptop, tablet or phone will be needed)

This work experience program is **FREE,** and places will be allocated on a first come first serve basis **(ONLY 200 PLACES)**.
If interested, please ask your Guidance teacher.

[Mrs Johnstone]

Library

If you still have Library books to return, please put them in the Book Return Boxes placed either side of the Quad Library door.

Thank you

[Mrs Noble]