

CAREERS – ONLINE RESOURCES FOR STUDENTS, PARENTS AND CARERS

Resource	Overview	Additional information
Unifrog www.unifrog.org	<p>A comprehensive careers education platform that DRHS have purchased and use as the framework for our careers programme.</p> <p><i>[Free to DRHS students]</i></p>	<p>For staff:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Careers education programme of activities and resources used in DRHS for Year 7 – 13s in Tutorial sessions – for example preparing for work experience, careers in STEM. • UCAS reference writing tool • Careers activity tracking system <p>For Students</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wide range of information on apprenticeships, university and college courses UK and abroad. • Skill/knowledge opportunities e.g. MOOCs • CV and UCAS personal statement tool • Electronic log of careers related skills, activities and experiences
Morrisby www.morrisby.com	<p>A full careers platform with information to support choices post -16 and beyond. An assessment tool to support 1:1 career advice and information.</p> <p><i>[DRHS students £30 fee – DRHS support for students eligible for Pupil/Service Premium]</i></p>	<p>Students in Y11 and Y12 (Term 1) are offered the opportunity to purchase a lifelong subscription to Morrisby.</p> <p>On joining, students undergo detailed assessment of individual skills and attributes that used by the student and careers advisor.</p> <p>The platform has detailed careers information and includes courses in the UK and abroad.</p> <p>Our Careers Advisor is Morrisby trained and uses the added info in the 1:1 interview.</p>
National Careers Service www.nationalcareers.service.gov.uk	<p>(Free) The national careers tool that has information for students and parents on careers, training and employment.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Information on a very wide range of careers • Skills assessment • Course directory • Help with getting a job (e.g. writing a CV) • Webchat facility as well as contact number • A good starting point for Year 9 onwards
I could www.icould.com	<p>(Free) Careers information website</p>	<p>Career paths (starting from choosing GCSE options and includes revision, HE and Gap Year etc.)</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Careers related to curriculum subjects • Information on different careers • Over 100 examples/videos of employers and featured employees/career routes • A lot of the people featured are women • Good from Year 9 onwards
Careers Box www.careersbox.co.uk	<p>(Free) Information on different careers – from the employee’s view</p>	<p>Video clips to give an insight into some different careers. For example, if you use the search function and put in Chef – up comes a video of “A day in the life of a Chef de Partie”</p>

Inside Careers www.insidecareers.co.uk	(Free) Detailed information on specific careers related to Finance	Sector overview, how to find the right job and employee profiles for what they term are 'niche' careers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pensions • Insurance • Actuarial • Intellectual property • Accountancy
Prospects www.prospects.ac.uk	(Free) Information on a wide range of career related areas.	An introduction to HE and universities Includes information on work experience, volunteering, summer jobs and gap years. Current national and international employment and intern vacancies
Not Going to Uni www.notgoingtouni.co.uk	(Free) Information on post – 18 alternatives to university as well as current opportunities.	Provides information on lots of alternatives to university post-18: apprenticeships, training, FE, employment etc. Current local and national employment, training and apprenticeship vacancies
HEAP Online www.heaponline.co.uk <i>*There are also a set of HEAP books available and published annually. HEAP University Guide 2021 HEAP 2021: University Degree course Offers</i>	Information and comparison of degree courses and degree apprenticeship courses (new 2020).	Takes a bit of surfing to find online advice pages but HEAP provides some information to help students: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Comparing degree courses • Degree apprenticeships – what courses are available where • Differences between Universities and HE Colleges • Admissions information including how admissions tutors select students <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - A level grades/UCAS points - UCAS application process - Choosing a course - Admission tests - Finance, fee and support - Graduate destinations - A level results day
UCAS www.ucas.com	(Free to browse) Details of HE courses and information relating to applying, student life, finance and careers.	Essential browsing for any Year 11/12 students who are seriously considering university or an apprenticeship post-18. Website includes information about studying for a year abroad as part of UK course or studying a degree abroad.
Gov UK www.gov.uk/browse/education	(Free) Information relating to apprenticeships at 16 and 18, HE and finance.	Some relevant sections here include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 14 – 19 apprenticeships (register for free to get regular updates and to apply) • Student finance • Universities and HE
University Webinars	(Free) webinars – online events hosted by universities that feature talks by lectures, undergraduates and graduates.	Universities are now providing a whole range of information and guidance through webinars. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Choosing a university/course - Personal statements - University life - Why study - A placement year as part of the degree <p><i>Example - May 2020 MFL students attended a Bristol University Webinar - Careers in Languages that covered:</i></p>

		<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>why study languages</i> - <i>the year abroad</i> - <i>gaining skills in the workplace</i> - <i>graduate employment opportunities</i>
Study EU www.study.eu	(Free) Information on studying in the EU.	Browse by subject to see and compare courses and institutions in the UK and rest of the EU. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Art, Design and Media - Business Management - Computer Science and IT - Engineering and Technology - Environment and Agriculture - Humanities - Law - Medicine and Health - Natural Sciences and Mathematics - Social Sciences
Study in Europe www.studyineurope.eu	(Free) Information on studying in 24 different European countries	Summary of information by country. Or, search by course/subject to find information about studying a specific course in Europe – term times, EU and non-EU costs
Erasmus Programme Erasmus Programme + www.erasmusprogramme.com www.erasmusplus.org.uk	(Free) Practical advice and information about the Erasmus Programme/Erasmus + Study abroad as part of an exchange programme between institutions - 5000 HE institutions in 37 countries.	Programme involves 3 to 12 months studying abroad - either as part of a degree course or you can choose to do it to experience another country. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Checklist - Eligibility and grants - Locations Good for students to be aware of the options.
European Commission of Education and Training www.ec.europa.eu	(Free) Information on education and training throughout Europe.	Lots of really useful information for anyone thinking of going abroad to study <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Includes information on Erasmus+ - Vocational training - Qualifications and skills - Finance, fees and scholarships - Living and working abroad
Hot Courses Abroad www.hotcoursesabroad.com/uk	(Free) Information about degree courses worldwide.	Study in Europe or beyond – 78 destinations and over 350,000 courses. Search comparison website: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Download prospectuses, contact institutions and read student reviews • Extensive articles and videos section that guides students through all stages of the study abroad journey - from research, application and securing a visa, right up to career opportunities after graduating.
SACU www.mysacu-student.com	(Free) LMI information for students.	Simple introduction the labour market in an easy to use format – good for slightly younger students. Information is up to date.

LMI for All www.lmiforall.org.uk	(Free) Website that offers UK labour market information in an easily accessible format.	Another website offering LMI is an easy to access format. Information is up to date.
Target Jobs www.targetjobs.co.uk	(Free) Information for graduates on how to get a job or internship in a wide range of sectors.	Details of grants available and training opportunities. Whilst this website is for graduates, it has some good information that Year 11, 12 and 13 would find helpful in terms of future planning.
Career Smart www.careersmart.org.uk	(Free) Information on labour market trends	Career and LMI information for a wide range of professions and industries Pay, conditions and prospects all covered on this website. Includes information on employment growth for STEM
HECSU www.hecsu.ac.uk	HEKSU – UK universities and HE Guild. Charitable objectives to provide careers and LMI information.	Website features good articles on: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Careers advice, jobs and post-grad courses - Labour market information - Post-graduate data
Data Hub www.datahub.rcultd.co.uk/blocks/labour-market-information	(Free) Data dashboard that draws on LMI for all data.	Labour market information on 100s of jobs in a wide variety of sectors.
European Trade Union Institute www.etui.org	(Free) Labour market information to get a feel for trends in Europe.	Job vacancies tab for current vacancies Topic tab – Economic trends and labour market and employment information