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# Careers Newsletter



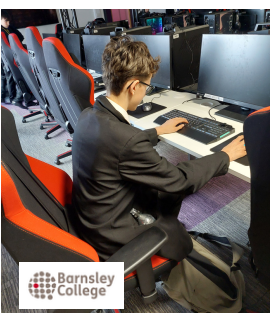
## MOVE IT

On Friday 10th March, our CAPA Junior students travelled to London to the UK's largest dance convention, Move it! They were able to watch live performances from dance colleges and conservatoires, participate in a range of dance classes lead by industry professionals and visit and speak to colleges and universities about their future careers and courses that they offer.

This trip was on 'the snow day'. We really admired the commitment of everyone involved ensuring the trip went ahead. Thank you! Despite the snow, we all had an absolutely fantastic time.

## Y9 - Barnsley College

We visited Barnsley College to explore their campus and look at the types of courses on offer. It is an impressive campus that offers a sixthform, vocational courses and Higher Education courses. Student feedback was overwhelmingly positive and inspired them to consider further and higher education more seriously. A few students said: "I definitely want to come here!" others liked the experience and wanted to compare what they saw & did with other facilities.





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## Y8 Amazon HQ

Y8 students, Milo, Macey, Isabelle and Joe, have spent 3 months planning their pitch for the school of the future project. They designed the TrinityMatTab to reduce printing and deforestation.

Our students won the award for best pitch/presentation!



## Y10 **NHS** Nursing Workshop

We held a workshop for 40 year 10 students to explore nursing careers. We spoke to nurses from various backgrounds to discover what they do everyday, what they enjoy about their jobs and the challenges they face. We also discussed the education route they have taken to achieve their position. Students completed group work solving tasks that would occur as a nurse across various types of nursing, to see what it involves and which nursing avenue they may prefer.

Nikol rated the workshop as 'excellent' saying it made them consider nursing as a future career, giving them loads of ideas.

Yousef said the day made them feel happy and confident. Issy even said it was really good fun!

Francesca said it was very educational and interesting. Liv added: it was good to learn new opportunities and information about different nursing jobs.

We also look for ways to improve events: Marcus, Mya and Habiba all asked for more practical activities. This is acknowledged and is something we will explore.

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## Northern School of Contemporary Dance

The Dance department welcomed two dance artists from NSCD to deliver a Contemporary and Creative dance workshop with our year 7 and 8 CAPA juniors. NSCD are a centre for advanced training for Contemporary Dance and offer a degree and masters course within this specialism. Our students did incredibly well and they thoroughly enjoyed working with professional dance artists.



## University of Sheffield Y10 & Y11 Discover Us

Our Y10 students went on their second Discover US day to Sheffield University and had subject taster sessions. They have now been invited for a residential trip in July.

Y11's who have successfully completed the 2 year programme have been invited, along with family/friends to attend a graduation style ceremony later in April.

## Y11 Parents/Carers

Has your child secured a place in further education? Ideally the answer is yes, however if you do not feel they have secured a place somewhere or need any additional support with an application please give me a call/email and I will offer my assistance. I am also happy to answer any questions you may have.

Email: [vbrown1@cathedral.trinitymat.org](mailto:vbrown1@cathedral.trinitymat.org)

Call: 01924 330640 and ask for Miss Brown in careers.

## Events

Y9 & 10 University of Leeds STEM visit - May  
Y10 - Workplace visit OE Electrics - June  
Y7 & Y8 University of Leeds STEM visit - June  
Y10 Cadburys World - June  
Y10 Wakefield College taster day - July  
10 Pontefract New College taster day - July  
Y10 Discover US residential - July