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LASSWADE HIGH SCHOOL



SENIOR PHASE CAREER FAIR

THURSDAY 14TH NOVEMBER 2019

I am delighted to welcome you to our Senior Phase Careers Fair. The purpose of the evening is to ensure that students and parents are fully informed about the range of options available as we begin planning for next year. Dependant on age/stage this may involve: the Course Choice process for next session; considering options that include remaining at school whilst also engaging with Further Education (College) and/or employers through School College Partnership Courses, Foundation Apprenticeships; or planning for a post school transition to Higher Education (University), Further Education (College) or Employment.

At Lasswade High School we offer a very broad range of courses for students to choose from and a range of flexible pathways that allow students to both achieve a portfolio of qualifications, as well as skills for learning, life and work required to experience success both within and beyond school.

As such, we would encourage all S4 and S5 students to consider returning to school as their “Plan A” for next session.

We are delighted to welcome a range of Partners to our Senior Phase Career Fair tonight. Within this booklet you will find a list of Universities, Colleges, training providers and employers who have generously given their time to support our students.

Our Skills Development Scotland Careers Advisors are also available to offer advice and support.

We will be offering a series of presentations during the course of the evening focusing on the process of Course Choice at the beginning of 2020. These presentations will be held in Room 113/114 at the following times:

- 5.30pm S3 students moving into S4
- 6.00pm S4 students moving into S5
- 6.30pm S5 students moving into S6

Each year we endeavour to improve the range of options available to students, and our staff are developing further courses for the academic session 2020/2021. Our Senior Phase Prospectus for 2020/2021 will go live on our website in January 2020. In the meantime our prospectus for 2019/2020 remains online and may be a useful indication of the options available. This can be accessed at www.lasswade.mgfl.net. We have included a section in this booklet of other online support information available.

Thank you again for attending tonight and your ongoing support at this important transition point.

A Clark (Acting DHT – Curriculum)

SENIOR PHASE CAREER EVENT

Employers and Partners – Atrium	
	<p>Retail</p> <p>Fort Kinnaird is the leading Edinburgh shopping centre with over 70 top branded and high street Edinburgh shops, finest restaurants and cafes in Edinburgh</p>
	<p>Hospitality and Beauty/Spa</p> <p>Scotland's Castle Hotel of the Year 2016. Once the seat of the Ramsay Clan, the castle boasts an illustrious guest list that includes King Edward I, Sir Walter Scott, Oliver Cromwell and Queen Victoria. Today the castle's long tradition of hospitality continues and you can still be assured a royal welcome and the highest standards of food and service at this fine four-star hotel and spa.</p>
	<p>Hairdressing</p> <p>Established over 25 years ago, Paterson S.A. Hairdressing have built a reputation for hairdressing expertise, for first class client care and for a team who are passionate and knowledgeable in everything they do.</p>
	<p>Agricultural Recruitment</p> <p>Job Farm aim to make young people aware of the wide range of careers and jobs in agriculture, food industries, science and rural businesses, coordinating work experience with a range of agricultural and rural employers within the Lothian's.</p>
	<p>Mechanical and Electrical Contractor</p> <p>Arthur McKay is a UK leading Building Support Services company, delivering services ranging from Mechanical and Electrical (M&E) to Networks and Facilities</p>
	<p>Construction</p> <p>Established in 1954, Hart deliver exceptional construction projects throughout the Central, Lothians, Fife and Border areas of Scotland.</p>
	<p>Armed Forces</p> <p>The British Army protects the United Kingdom's interests at home and abroad, providing a safe and secure environment in which all British citizens can live and prosper.</p>

	<p>Armed Forces For over a hundred years the Royal Air Force has defended the skies of Britain and projected Britain’s power and influence around the world.</p>
	<p>Engineering Leonardo offers a variety of job roles including engineers, analysts, programme and project managers, and many more. Each year, Leonardo seeks to attract enthusiastic people to join one of our highly regarded apprenticeships.</p>
	<p>Engineering MacTaggart Scott is a privately owned Scottish engineering company established in 1898, and based near the beautiful City of Edinburgh.</p>
	<p>I.T There’s no show without network engineering. From conception to launch, Sky’s Technology gurus make entertainment possible, as well as the products that customers love.</p>
	<p>Law Leading Scottish solicitors with specialist advisers in every area, providing legal advice to businesses, individuals, families and the public sector.</p>
	<p>Police Careers If you are an honest, hardworking individual who is enthusiastic, motivated and looking for true job satisfaction then you can find it working with the Police. You’ll receive first class training and be rewarded with an extraordinary job that is like no other.</p>
	<p>Financial Services TSB occupies a unique market position in British retail banking as a UK-only values-led challenger brand with over 200 years of heritage, the capabilities of a large established bank, including comprehensive distribution and product capability, and the high growth potential of a challenger bank.</p>
	<p>Childcare Find out about available Childcare opportunities and pathways within the City of Edinburgh Council.</p>

	<p>Care Training for Care is an educational charity based in Edinburgh. We specialise in vocational training and short courses for the Social Care and Childcare sectors.</p>
	<p>Modern Apprenticeships QA have 30 years' experience of providing world-class training. They deliver over half a million delegate days of training every year. Courses include Office Applications, Leadership, Technical IT and many more.</p>
<p>Skills Development Scotland</p> 	<p>Careers Guidance SDS delivers face-to-face career information, advice and guidance at schools and SDS centres across Scotland. They offer support through their contact centre and My World of Work. They provide information on jobs, the local labour market, training courses, Modern Apprenticeships and much more.</p>
<p>Volunteer Midlothian</p> 	<p>Voluntary Work The leading agency for volunteer development within Midlothian.</p>
	<p>Communities and Lifelong Learning We help young people, adults and families improve their life chances, through the development of skills for learning, life and work. We provide lots of different opportunities: youth work, adult learning, family learning, vocational training, employment support and work experience.</p>

Colleges and Universities – Assembly Hall



Useful Websites

www.lasswadehsc.mgfl.net www.myworldofwork.co.uk www.mykidscareer.com www.UCAS.com
www.edinburghcollege.ac.uk www.borderscollege.ac.uk www.SRUC.ac.uk www.ed.ac.uk/home
www.napier.ac.uk www.qmu.ac.uk www.hw.ac.uk www.dundee.ac.uk www.abertay.ac.uk
www.apprenticeships.scot www.apprenticeshipsinscotland.co.uk www.digitalworld.net
www.npfs.org.uk/downloads/assessment-in-a-nutshell-nationalqualifications

For live update on post-school opportunities go to:

www.edubuzz.org/midandeastvacancies or www.thegarantee.org/young-people/find-a-job

or follow us at @LasswadeHSC or @LHSCSupport

Our sincere thanks to all of our partners and contributors.

Notes

These pages are for you to take notes about any employers that you have an interest in. For example, you could take down the name of the employer and their contact details.

Not sure what to ask?

What qualifications do I need to get into the industry?

Is work mostly done individually, or in teams?

What are the most enjoyable parts of the job?

Which school subjects are most relevant?

What jobs did you have before this one?

What's a typical day like?

What are the salary ranges for trainees?

Do people stay with the company for a long time?

What are the most enjoyable parts of the job?

Are there opportunities to travel?

