



## INSPIRATIONAL FUTURES

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As they make choices and plans for the future, young people need support from the people who know them best, their families. There are many ways that parents can offer support with choices and this bi-weekly update will provide you with current information to help you. You may be helping to find industry opportunities for work experience or apprenticeships or scholarship opportunities, so here are a few to start your search below: -



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#### **Emmanuel Cambridge: Lucy Cavendish GCSE to A-Level Bridging Programme**

The Lucy Cavendish College Summer Preparation Programme 2022 is designed to bridge the gap between GCSE study to A-Levels by providing students with a month-long programme of academic enrichment tailored to their stage of the curriculum. The programme will consist of study skills workshops on a range of important themes such as time management and essay writing, university readiness sessions to support students as they plan their next steps to top Universities like Cambridge, and substantive knowledge sessions, designed to supplement students' foundational academic knowledge so that they can hit the ground running when they start their A-Levels.

The Summer Preparation Programme 2022 timetable has not yet been finalised, but a provisional schedule can be found below:

	University Readiness Sessions	Study Skills Workshops	Substantive Knowledge Sessions (Arts, Humanities & Social Sciences)	Substantive Knowledge Sessions (Sciences & Maths)
Week 1	Introduction to Oxbridge and the Russell Group	Time Management	Statistics, Research Methods, and Analysing Data	Mathematics
Week 2	Subject Matters: The Importance of Post-16 Subject Choices	Problem Solving and Critical Thinking	Literary Theory	Biology
Week 3	Introduction to Supracurricular Exploration	Note Taking and Critical Reading	Introduction to Political Thought	Physics
Week 4	Q&A with Cambridge Students	Essay Writing	Key Issues in Economics	Chemistry

For more information and to apply, please click [here](#).



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## **Field Studies Council: Young Darwin Scholarship**

If your son/daughter is aged 16-25 with an interest in the natural world and they are looking to enhance their understanding, explore their environmental options and want to be part of a community of young people who share similar interests, then this scholarship is for them!

The scholarship starts with a heavily subsidised and immersive 5-day residential trip, or series of days, which involves a lot of time outdoors in environmentally engaging locations. Following this, students will then receive mentoring and support in a number of ways to provide them with all they need to advise and assist with their chosen environmental pathway.

For more information and to register, please click [here](#).

**Closing date: 5th June 2022**

For more details about any of the opportunities, contact: [kathryn.loughnan@avonbourneacademy.org.uk](mailto:kathryn.loughnan@avonbourneacademy.org.uk)



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