

Useful websites to investigate in the sixth form

www.ucas.com – Everything to do with university applications.

www.ukcoursefinder.com – Search for university courses.

<http://university.which.co.uk> – Help with finding a university course, student reviews and degree subject guides.

www.livingatuni.com - Useful information about student accommodation and 'New to uni' advice.

www.gov.uk/student-finance – Finance information for university applicants.

www.thecompleteuniversityguide.co.uk – League table information about universities.

www.teeninfoincs.co.uk (Careers section) – A wide range of topics including careers and the world of work. Video clips and downloadable publications. The Local Course Prospectus can be accessed via the home page of the site.

<http://nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk> – Careers advice and job descriptions.

www.icould.com – Films of real people talking about their careers, the route they took into it and their future career plans. Includes a section on making job applications.

www.careersbox.co.uk – Free online library of careers related film, news and information.

www.plotr.co.uk – Information about the world of work through tailored articles, expert advice, employer profiles and an interactive careers world. A large amount of occupational information which is presented in an interactive and engaging way.

www.apprenticeships.org.uk – Information on apprenticeships and vacancies.

www.notgoingtouni.co.uk – Opportunities that exist in areas other than the university route, such as apprenticeships, sponsored degrees, gap years, distance learning and jobs.

www.gapyear.com – Advice and tips about travelling, volunteering overseas and working abroad.

www.barclayslifeskills.com – Advice regarding careers, employment, finances and how to develop employability skills.