# Post 16 News



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### **Applications are OPEN: Aspiring Professionals Programme!**

The APP supports high achieving Year 12/S5/Year 13 students from low income backgrounds across the UK to access top universities and careers. We offer support through our four pillars:

- 1. Mentoring by a professional
- 2. Tailored skills sessions and career workshops
- 3. University application support and guidance
- 4. Internships with top employers

How students receive our four pillars of support is dependent on where they live. Please see below for further details of the programmes we offer.

#### Hybrid support

Our 2022 programmes will be delivered through a blend of in person and virtual activity, depending on activity, student location and government guidance.

Students must apply by 12 noon, Friday 10th December 2021 by completing our application form here:http://www.socialmobility.org.uk/apply

## **Application form and resources:**

Application Form: <a href="http://www.socialmobility.org.uk/apply">http://www.socialmobility.org.uk/apply</a>

Eligibility Criteria: https://www.socialmobility.org.uk/criteria-programmes/

Deadline for applications - 12 noon, Friday 10th December 2021

- Each year, at least 60% of SMF students go onto Russell Group universities
- 94% of students in 2018 said they wouldn't have got their internship without the help of the SMF
- IFS Studies show that the scale of our impact on elite university entry is akin to a candidate having 3

A\*s at A-Level rather than 3 As.

#### What Career Live? What University Live? Virtual Event, 12 and 13 November 2021

With so many options to choose from when you leave school, it can be hard to know where to start.

Get your free ticket to the What University? & What Career? Live Virtual Event on 12 & 13 November to explore your options.

Log in to this essential event for 15-19 year olds to chat to top unis and leading employers, watch a packed programme of free talks and get expert advice to help you achieve your career goals. Register for free now at:https://venturemarketing-group.co.uk/1RRK-7JYT9-RC4O7R-4KRA26-1/c.aspx