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PATHWAY TO GREAT

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Welcome to West London College! We hope you have enjoyed the terms so far. Remember your tutor is here to support and guide you throughout your year.

NATIONAL CAREERS WEEK HIGHLIGHTS

Thank you to everyone who took part in National Careers Week! It was a fantastic opportunity to meet employers from different industries and gain real insight into the world of work.

From career fairs to online workshops, students explored new career paths, asked great questions, and learned directly from professionals about the skills and experiences that matter.

We hope the week has inspired you to think about your future

if you joined any online sessions, don't forget to complete the Feedback Form to log your work experience hours!

FREE ONLINE CV BUILDING PLATFORMS

Useful resources for sourcing work experience opportunities!

Resume -Simple builder, unlimited free downloads.

Linkedin Resume Builder -Converts your Linkedin profile into a CV for free.

Indeed Resume

Builder Free to

job applications.

create and use for

Canva -

Templates, customisable, and downloadable in multiple formats.

CV template -

Here's an empty template: Google Docs link

More information can be found in this Google Document.

Here's an example: Google Docs link





Christopher H. & Ivan N. Level 3.2 ICT Students

GSCE EXAM DATES

There are some upcoming GCSE exams. Please remember the dates if you need to complete them.

Good luck!

GCSE MATHS Paper 1 Date -

15th May

Paper 2 Date -4th June

Paper 3 Date -11th June

GCSE ENGLISH Paper 1 Date -

23rd May

Paper 2 Date-6th June

The times for the exams have not been provided as of yet, please contact your teachers for more information as needed.

LEARNER MID-YEAR SURVEY

Make sure you complete the Learner Mid-Year Survey 24/25. Your feedback is crucial in helping us improve your learning

experience.



ABSENCE REPORTING LINES

If you're late or absent, you can find the reporting numbers on the back of your ID or in the switchboard numbers section of this newsletter.

You can also find the numbers for each campus under Contact Information and Switchboard Numbers.

DID YOU KNOW?

West London College was originally founded from multiple institutions dating back to 1881.

Click the icon below to visit our Wikipedia page!

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QUICKLINKS



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UNDERSTAND LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION (LMI)

LMI is all about jobs—what careers are in demand, the skills employers want, and salary expectations. It's a great tool for helping you make informed decisions about your future. How You Can Use LMI:

- Discuss Job Opportunities: Think about growing industries and skills that are in demand.
- Explore LMI Resources: Use the college's careers team and websites like the National Careers Service to find out about industries with strong job prospects and the qualifications you'll need.
- Stay Informed: Regularly engage with the careers team for job market updates and work experience opportunities.
- Connect LMI to Your Interests: Align your skills and passions with careers that are in demand.
- Learn from Real-World Examples: See how shifts in technology and the economy create new job opportunities, like the increasing need for digital skills.
- Plan Your Career: Set realistic career goals based on trends in the job market, required qualifications, and opportunities available through the college.

Using LMI can guide you in making the best decisions about your education and career path. More information can be found in this <u>Google Document</u>.

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ENRICHMENT MONEY MANAGEMENT > BUILD MONEY CONFIDENCE

Want to feel more in control of your money? Join our Money Management Workshops and gain the skills to manage your finances with confidence. Whether it's budgeting, saving, or understanding your spending habits, this workshop is a great way to build essential life skills.

If you want to learn about handing finances, from budgeting to financial planning; this is for you! Click here to book a session



ENRICHMENT CHESS & GAMES CLUB (PS4 NOW AVAILABLE!)

Southall Campus

Common Room

Every Tuesday, 12:00 PM - 1:00 PM

Love chess? Join us to play, learn, and improve your skills! Other tabletop games are also available for some extra fun.



PS4 Now available!

Find Us:

- † Hammersmith Campus
- Every Thursday, 12:00 PM 1:00 PM
- Common Room
- **†** Ealing Campus
- 🗂 Every Monday to Thursday, 12:30 PM 1:00 PM (EXCEPT Wednesday 11:45 12:15)
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ENRICHMENT DIGITAL SCRIPTING CLUB

In Digital Sculpting Club, students dive into 3D sculpting using Blender, developing skills in digital art and creativity.

Digital Sculpting is 3D modelling technique that uses software to create detailed models by shaping a digital material as if it were clay, the final product can be added into video games, 3D animation, 3D printedor rendered as 3D artworks.

<u>Click here to book a session</u> <u>Click here to view students' work</u> <u>Click here to explore what you can create with Blender</u>





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ENRICHMENT BOXING CLUB



Session Times: Hammersmith -Sports Area Tuesdays & Thursdays: 16:00 – 17:30 Wednesday (Staff): 17:00 - 18:30

Southall Campus -Common Room Wednesdays: 15:15 – 16:15 Monday (Open to all): 15:00 – 16:00 Monday (Open to all): 16:00 – 17:00

ENRICHMENT DID YOU KNOW?

There are many more enrichment activities available around the West London College.

You can find them, and more information about the clubs shown through the following Google Document link.

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See some more information about safeguarding here:

https://www.wlcstudet portal.co.uk/supportwellbeing

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Southall Community College 020 8231 61<u>62</u>