



Careers, Further & Higher Education Resources

Below is a list of useful websites, email addresses and phone numbers to access information on careers and further/higher education.

UNIVERSITY & COLLEGE

UCAS

- Main website – www.ucas.com – you can login to access your account and don't forget to keep checking UCAS track for updates on your offers. Please remember you still need to accept offers once they have all been received.
- Guidance on the application process given to us by LEAPS and a copy of the presentation given to S6 applicants in the lecture theatre recently can be found at the following link- <https://spark.adobe.com/page/IJrSxxkZrW0pG/>
- <https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/after-you-apply/coronavirus-covid-19-latest-updates> - UCAS up to date information on applications during the ongoing coronavirus situation for students.

LEAPS

- LEAPS staff are working from home but you can continue to contact LEAPS by phone on 07774 336265 or by email at leaps@ed.ac.uk – all LEAPS students who are registered should have received this information individually.

University Information

- Individual information on universities can be accessed through their own websites. Enquiries on applications should be directed to the undergraduate admissions. You can search for the university websites or the following site has a link to follow for each university.
- <https://www.scotland.org/study/scottish-universities>

College Information

- Individual information on universities can be accessed through their own websites. Enquiries on applications should be directed to the admissions but you should login to your college account which you created to apply for your course initially to see if there is any information. You can search for the college websites or the following site has a link to follow for each college.
- <http://www.sfc.ac.uk/funding/colleges-we-fund.aspx>

SAAS

- Once you have accepted your offers and chosen your course you need to apply for SAAS funding. You have already had a presentation from them earlier in the year describing the process but all of the information is on the website or you can give them a call.
- General information - <https://www.saas.gov.uk/>
- Contact details - <https://www.saas.gov.uk/contact-us>

JOBS, APPRENTICESHIPS AND CAREERS ADVICE

Skills Development Scotland (SDS)

- Due to COVID-19 (Coronavirus) and the closure of the school, Skills Development Scotland cannot deliver career services face to face, but they are still there to help. Your child can contact their school Careers Adviser, Charlene Duncan for career information, advice and guidance by email at charlene.duncan@sds.co.uk, or visit www.myworldofwork.co.uk. You can also find services for parents/carers online at www.myworldofwork.co.uk and www.mykidscareer.com.
- Our careers adviser Charlene can still offer advice through email or by phone on all aspects of career management including college applications, job seeking and apprenticeships. Contact her by email in the first instance charlene.duncan@sds.co.uk
- Any opportunities advertised to school will continue to be advertised on the pupil support Twitter feed, follow us on Twitter @JYHSSupport

Jobs

- Snippets bulletins which are received to school will still be posted on the school website.

Apprenticeships

- Apprenticeships are advertised by individual companies and many are at <https://www.apprenticeships.scot/>