



Career Insight Events

Welcome

NE1 CAN is NE1 LTD's programme of career insight events bringing together cross-sector businesses, education and youth providers to deliver real-life employability encounters for young people across the North East region, helping them to make informed decisions about their own futures.

WHAT'S CHANGED?

Mapping to refreshed Gatsby Benchmarks, you will find enclosed an evolution of the project with a large number of events planned from September to February half-term focusing on KS3, 4 & 5. Traditional NE1 CAN events can be found alongside a smaller programme of targeted cohort work. We will work with small groups of KS5 students across several events exploring one sector providing a higher number of meaningful encounters which count towards work experience hours to further support CEIAG.

HOW TO BOOK

Send minimum, maximum and preferred numbers alongside the year group to info@ne1can.co.uk

→ GO TO INSIGHT EVENTS

→ GO TO COHORT EVENTS

Insight Events

SEPTEMBER – DECEMBER

Thompsons Construction Cohort

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Studying construction as a subject
- ✓ Considering a career within construction
- ✓ Interested in operating heavy machinery



Various locations



14 Spaces



KS4

A North East based construction company, Thompsons specialise in demolition, site clearance, decommissioning and quarrying, amongst other product lines and have invited a cohort of students to join them across three events to gain insight into three different areas of the business. Ideally suitable for students studying construction, we would like to work with one education provider for all three events and, therefore, expressions of interest must be able to commit to this. We are happy to discuss convenient dates and times to suit the education provider.



**I LIKED THE QUARRY THE MOST BECAUSE
IT SHOWED ME WHAT YOU HAVE TO DO IT'S
NOT JUST MOVING ROCKS, IT TAKES SKILL."**

STUDENT, WALKER RIVERSIDE ACADEMY

TUESDAY 30TH SEPTEMBER

Northumberland National Park

 10:00 – 13:00  The Sill, Hexham  40 Spaces  KS3 & 4

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Students studying or considering studying geography
- ✓ Students interested in a career in the outdoors
- ✓ Students with an interest in the natural environment and conservation

Linking the curriculum to careers, we have secured a visit to Northumberland National Parks Headquarters at The Sill to help improve and enlighten students with the practical application of geography within an employment and natural landscape.

THURSDAY 2ND OCTOBER

Retail with Eldon Square

 09:30 – 12:00  Eldon Square Management Suite  40 Spaces  KS4

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Interested in retail
- ✓ Keen to understand the variety of roles available

Working with Eldon Square, we will examine the variety of roles available within the sector and explore both front and back of house employment opportunities. Visiting several retail stores, students will gain broader insight and understanding of what skills are required to run a successful retail business.



BEST BIT: LEARNING ABOUT JOBS THAT I HADN'T THOUGHT OF BEFORE AND BEING ABLE TO INTERACT WITH DIFFERENT THINGS TO LEARN ABOUT THE JOB."

STUDENT, THORP ACADEMY

WEDNESDAY 8TH OCTOBER

The BIG One with Newcastle Hospitals Trust

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Interested in working within the NHS
- ✓ Who wish to have a positive impact on people's health and wellbeing
- ✓ Keen to understand the breadth of careers available



09:15 – 11:45 (KS3 & 4)



12:30 – 15:00 (KS5)



The Grand Hotel Gosforth Park



200 Spaces

The Big One draws together a huge number of Newcastle Hospitals Trust professionals to meet young people and inform them about career opportunities within the NHS.

With a morning and afternoon session targeting different Key Stages, students will engage with around 10 different departments to learn what it's really like to work with people who have health concerns.

A busy and dynamic event with speed networking and interactive sessions alongside representation from local University and Apprenticeship providers to support students.



**THANK YOU SO MUCH FOR INVITING US TO THE
EVENT. THE STUDENTS AND I REALLY ENJOYED
THE PLAN FOR THE DAY AND THOUGHT IT WAS
EXTREMELY WELL ORGANISED."**

TEACHER, MONKSEATON

WEDNESDAY 15TH OCTOBER

Lycetts Insurance



09:30 – 12:00



Bank House



20 Spaces



KS4 & 5

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Interested in working in a professional services sector
- ✓ Who would like to work within the business world

Operating from their prestigious Newcastle Head Office, Lycetts offer comprehensive insurance, risk management and financial advice to a broad cross-section of commercial and private clients. Trusted advisors across the business community, Lycetts offer fantastic career opportunities and progression and invite students in to learn all about the services and employment opportunities which they provide.

THURSDAY 16TH OCTOBER

Radiography



14:00 – 16:00



Freeman Hospital



8 Spaces



KS5

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Interested in Radiography
- ✓ Keen to see a working hospital environment

The Radiography Department at the Freeman Hospital are inviting us behind the scenes to understand what Radiographers do, what you need to become one and to physically see some of the diagnostic machines in action. A truly unique event, we encourage only students who have a genuine interest in progressing into this profession, or to finding out more, to express interest in places.



HOW MANY DIFFERENT JOBS THERE ARE THAT I WAS UNAWARE OF.”

STUDENT, ST THOMAS MOORE

THURSDAY 23RD OCTOBER

Entrepreneurial Insights

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Studying business
- ✓ Considering studying business as an option
- ✓ Wishing to learn from successful entrepreneurs



09:15 – 12:00



KS4 & 5



The Catalyst, Newcastle University



173 Spaces

Bringing together 4 successful North East based entrepreneurs, students will hear the personal business journeys of the speakers as they delve into successes, failures and how they went about creating their own businesses. Confirmed speakers include Jane Meynell, Founder of Olive & Bean and Steve Rawlingson, CEO of the Samuel Knight Group with operations in the UK and USA, with additional speakers to be confirmed.

Students have the opportunity to join some of the speakers on-site at their own businesses for a break-out session, information below.

TUESDAY 4TH NOVEMBER

Samuel Knight Group



10:00 – 11:30



Waterloo Square



10 Spaces

Break-out session: Join Steve at the Samuel Knight Group Newcastle HQ for a tour of the business and to see how it works on a day-to-day basis.

THURSDAY 6TH NOVEMBER

Olive & Bean



13:00 – 15:00



Clayton Street



5 Spaces

Break-out session: Join Jane for lunch as we see the business in operation, experience the customer journey and chat through the day-to-day running of the café around a table.

THURSDAY 13TH NOVEMBER

Deloitte; Accountancy



09:30 – 12:00



One Trinity Gardens



20 Spaces



KS4

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Interested in accountancy
- ✓ Interested in business

An event with Deloitte focusing on careers within accountancy and financial support to the wider business landscape, we invite students in Years 10 & 11 to find out about the sector. Challenging the 'must be good at maths' stereotype, we will meet employees with varied backgrounds and education history who are currently employed in the firm.

THURSDAY 27TH NOVEMBER & THURSDAY 4TH DECEMBER

Rathbones; Finance



09:30 – 12:00



75-85 Grey Street



12 Spaces



KS5

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Considering a career in finance
- ✓ Keen to speak to people working in the sector

Visiting Rathbones at their Grey Street office in the heart of the city's commerce district, we are seeking a group of 12 students who wish to learn about working within the finance sector. Students must be able to commit to two events which will examine different areas of the business giving them the opportunity to gain a deeper understanding of how the company operates and become informed on what skills, qualifications and characteristics are needed to gain employment in the sector.

THURSDAY 11TH DECEMBER

Nursing



09:15 – 12:00



Drill Hall, Northumbria University



120 Spaces



KS3, 4 & 5

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Interested in a vocational career
- ✓ Who would like the opportunity to learn from real nursing staff

Partnering with Newcastle Hospitals Trust, this is a rare opportunity for students to speak with a minimum of 12 nurses, all fulfilling different roles within nursing. A busy morning crucial to assisting students in making informed decisions about their own futures and one of our most popular events.

THURSDAY 11TH DECEMBER

Nursing; Application Support Session



12:30 – 14:30



20 Spaces

Break-out session: To follow our morning event, we are offering 20 students considering or in the process of applying for university nursing courses to join us for the afternoon. Delivering a session with university staff, current students and recently qualified nurses, we will be able to give support and share knowledge on what the degree model is really like.



**GETTING TO MEET THE WORKERS
OF THE NHS WAS THE BEST”**

STUDENT, TYNE MET COLLEGE

THURSDAY 22ND JANUARY

NE1 CAN Architecture



09:30 – 12:00



The Great North Museum: Hancock



60 Spaces



KS4 & 5

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Interested in a career within architecture
- ✓ Keen to hear from different types of architect firms

Our annual architecture event brings together a minimum of three different firms to provide an overview of the different types of projects and clients architects can work with. This a great opportunity for students to gain insight into the different types of architecture available before committing to a higher education course to become an architect, with MawsonKerr and Ryder Architecture already confirmed.

WEDNESDAY 28TH JANUARY

Ryder Architecture



09:30 – 11:00



Westgate Road



20 Spaces

Break-out session: Join us at Ryder Architecture for an on-site visit and tour of the business, meet some of the staff and see visuals on current live projects.

WEDNESDAY 4TH FEBRUARY

MawsonKerr



09:30 – 11:00



1 Charlotte Square



12 Spaces

Break-out session: Join us at MawsonKerr for an on-site visit and tour of the business, meet some of the staff and see visuals on current live projects.

FRIDAY 23RD JANUARY

Theatre Royal



09:30 – 11:00



Grey Street



20 Spaces



KS4 & 5

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Studying drama
- ✓ Considering a career within the arts

A behind-the-scenes tour at the Theatre Royal to see what life is like behind and on the stage. With many career opportunities available with the theatre and the arts in general, we will learn about the wider team who put everything together to ensure that the show must go on! Please note that this is suitable for students wishing to work widely within the sector rather than those wishing to be actors.



**HEARING SO MANY DIFFERENT
CAREER PATHS AND DIFFERENT
ASPECTS OF ALL OF THE JOBS.”**

STUDENT, DAME ALLANS

Career Cohort Opportunities

A series of sector specific cohort events taking small groups of young people on a number of events exploring careers within their chosen sector of interest.

Designed to give a higher number of meaningful employer encounters with a variety of employers within a specific industry, applicants will be required to commit to a number of event dates across each cohort group and we ask that students have a genuine interest within each area when expressing interest.

All students must be KS5 and able to attend independently or supported, as appropriate, by members of staff. Cohorts will run across outlined months and dates will be released on expressions of interest.

“

THE NE1 CAN EVENT HAS HELPED ME IN PLANNING A CAREER AS I NOW KNOW ABOUT MORE JOBS I DIDN'T KNOW ABOUT BEFORE. I WOULD DEFINITELY RECOMMEND AN NE1 CAN EVENT TO A FRIEND.”

STUDENT

Cohort Events

SEPTEMBER – JANUARY

Chef Cohort



4 Events



12 Spaces

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Who want to become a chef
- ✓ Wishing to understand different commercial food offerings

Working with three city centre restaurants; Blackfriars, Scream for Pizza and a national chain, we will have on-site learning visits at each before taking part in a cook-off event where the cohort will have the opportunity to put learnings into practice. A great event for any CV!

OCTOBER – FEBRUARY

Construction Cohort



3 Events



15 Spaces

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Interested in construction within a huge firm
- ✓ Keen to find out about the variety of roles available

Bowmer & Kirkland are one of the largest privately owned construction firms operating in the UK. Delivering for clients in the public and private sector, they are responsible for some of the biggest construction projects within Newcastle city in a generation including Bank House and Pilgrim Quarter. We will work alongside the company to deliver three construction insight events to a small cohort of interested students.

NOVEMBER – JANUARY

Retail Management Cohort



3 Events



20 Spaces

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Interested in international business
- ✓ Interested in management

A leading international fashion retailer, Primark employ over 800,000 colleagues across 17 countries with 460 stores worldwide and an ambitious expansion plan. Debunking the myth that retail is just 'a job you do whilst you are looking for a job', join us for a retail management cohort which specifically focuses on long term careers as a retail manager whilst highlighting the huge career opportunity for growth within it.

Our cohort will be hosted in training rooms above the Primark Newcastle store and take place across four events with an introductory event followed by three specific areas of management. One for ambitious business students, this event will be hugely popular and led by the Newcastle store General Manager.

NOVEMBER – FEBRUARY

Law Cohort



4 Events



20 Spaces

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Interested in a career in law
- ✓ Keen to discover different areas of law

Students will visit four Newcastle based law firms varying in size, culture, people and product lines. Exploring a breadth of areas within law, the cohort will leave more informed about the realities of working within this sector breaking down stereotypes and opening up new opportunities. Law apprenticeships will also be explored.



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