



Academic Year
2026-2027

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 from across the North East region.

Our Autumn Winter programme is aligned with traditional work experience timings, giving young people the opportunity to engage with a wide variety of businesses providing meaningful employer interactions pertinent to Gatsby Benchmarks. Students are welcome to express interest for one, or all events, and we will allocate spaces accordingly.

HOW TO BOOK

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

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**I LIKED THAT MOST PEOPLE ARE FROM
DIFFERENT BACKGROUNDS AND THERE
ARE LOTS OF OPTIONS TO CHOOSE FROM.”**

STUDENT, LORD LAWSON

Insight Events

WEDNESDAY 30TH SEPTEMBER

Northumberland National Park



10:00 – 11:45
12:30 – 14:15



The Sill, Hexham



35 Spaces per session

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Interested in outdoor careers
- ✓ Keen to work in conservation
- ✓ Studying, or considering, geography as an option

Northumberland National Park are responsible for the care, maintenance and protection of this beautiful landscape, alongside attracting and managing 1.6m annual visitors. With a huge range of employment opportunities, this is a great event for students, at any key stage, to discover what careers are on offer in the landscape. Participants are welcome to explore the building before or after their session.

THURSDAY 22ND OCTOBER

The Big One with Newcastle Hospitals Trust



09:15 – 12:00 (KS4)
12:30 – 15:15 (KS5)



Grand Hotel, Gosforth



250 Spaces per session

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Interested in a career within the NHS
- ✓ Of all academic abilities
- ✓ Who would like to make a difference

Our largest event of the year, delivered in partnership with Newcastle Hospitals Trust, brings together 250 students per session and 10 different NHS departments to help young people discover the variety of careers available within one of the largest employers in our region. With 'something for everyone,' students will participate in a mix of day-in-the-life and hands-on, activity sessions.

FRIDAY 6TH NOVEMBER

Construction: Bowmer & Kirkland



09:30 – 12:00



Castle Leazes, Newcastle



20 Spaces

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Considering construction
- ✓ Interested to understand how a large construction company works
- ✓ Keen to experience a working site

B&K is one of the UK's most successful family-owned construction groups with an annual turnover of £1.3 billion. Responsible for many of the new buildings in the city centre, students will join the company at a live working site to discover what career opportunities are on offer.

THURSDAY 26TH NOVEMBER

Entrepreneurial Insights



09:15 – 11:45



The Catalyst, Newcastle



173 Spaces



KS4 & 5

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Studying business
- ✓ Considering being a business owner in the future
- ✓ Who could be inspired by hearing from a business owner

Join us as we bring together a number of highly successful North-East entrepreneurs to share their own stories and business journey with students. Helping to break down barriers, raise aspiration and ambition in our young people, this annual event always inspires and encourages belief that being a business owner should be considered a career choice, like any other.



THE BEST BIT OF THE DAY WAS HEARING SO MANY DIFFERENT CAREER PATHS AND DIFFERENT ASPECTS OF ALL OF THE JOBS.”

STUDENT, DAME ALLANS

THURSDAY 3RD DECEMBER

Nursing



09:30 – 11:45



The Great Hall, Newcastle



120 Spaces



KS3

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Interested in nursing as a possible career
- ✓ Wishing to make a difference
- ✓ Keen to find out about the full variety of roles available within nursing

Delivered in partnership with Newcastle Hospitals Trust, students will be given access to 12+ members of nursing staff at this fast-paced, dynamic event. Learning about a range of careers within nursing, students will leave more informed about the diverse nature of opportunities available. Please note that this year we look forward to welcoming KS3 students.

THURSDAY 21ST JANUARY

Architecture



09:30 – 12:00



City Centre venue



80 Spaces



KS4 & 5

Suitable for students:

- ✓ Interested in architecture
- ✓ Wishing to understand different types of firms
- ✓ Thinking about higher education courses

Working with Ryder Architecture and MawsonKerr, students will gain insight and understanding into different types of architect's practices before taking part in a briefing, design and building activity showcasing the steps involved within the sector from conception to completion.



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