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NEWSLETTER EASTER EDITION

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This is Blossom!

Blossom is trying to find her friends - can you help her please? Their names are Birch, April and Tulip. All correct answers will go into a £10 Amazon voucher prize draw! The closing date is 1st May 2025. Well done to Chris Brown at Institution of Engineering & Technology (IET) who guessed the correct name of the Goddess of Love - it was APHRODITE!





A SHORT HISTORY OF EASTER

Easter is the oldest and most important Christian holiday because it celebrates the events Christianity is based on: the crucifixion and resurrection of Jesus.

WHY EASTER EGGS?

Originally a pagan symbol of fertility and rebirth, the Christian tradition of Easter eggs came to symbolize the resurrection of Jesus on Easter. The eggshell symbolizes the tomb in which Jesus's body was placed; opening the egg represents his rising from the dead.

Additionally, early Christians who celebrated Lent would not eat eggs for the 40 days before Easter — so delicious eggs on Easter morning was an especially rewarding treat.

Easter Symbols and Their Meanings

Easter Eggs

symbolizes the resurrection of Jesus on Easter

The Easter Bunny

from the pagan festival of Eostre, as the goddess was traditionally represented by a rabbit

Soft Pretzels

a food eaten during Lent because it is only made with flour, salt, and water

The Butterfly

symbolizes the resurrection of Jesus

New Easter Outfits

from the belief that wearing new clothes to church on Easter Sunday would bring good luck



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TEAM NEWS



Nick

'Thouroughly enjoyed attending the prestigious MK STEM Awards!'



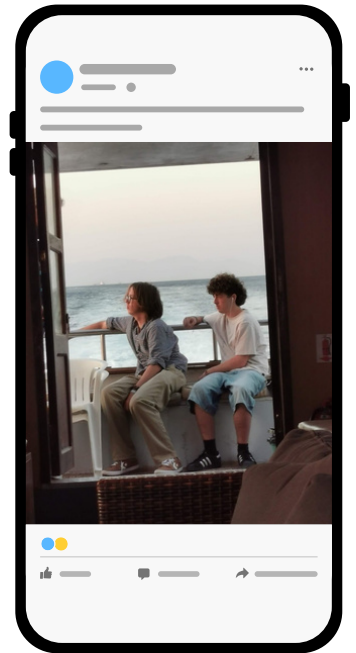
Sam

'Being nominated was fabulous and we had a fab time meeting others'



Jan

'Tried to share a marmalade sandwich with Paddington Bear in York, but he would not part with it!'



Jen

'Celebrated my Sons two special birthdays - 16 and 18!'



This is Birch



INTERNATIONAL WOMEN'S DAY 2025

Proactive Young People C.I.C is proudly delivered by an incredibly strong and inspiring female team. The wealth of strength, resilience, determination, empathy, and spirit that each of these phenomenal women brings to our team is something we cherish every day.

Today, we want to give a massive shout-out to our amazing superwomen — Jen, Anne, Jan, and Sam. Your unwavering passion, commitment, and drive make a huge difference, and we couldn't be prouder of each of you.

Equally, a huge shout-out to all the incredible women we have the privilege of working alongside — your strength, compassion, and dedication inspire us every single day.

Together, we are making a difference, and we are so grateful to be surrounded by such remarkable women. Thank you for being the heart and soul of what we do — you truly are phenomenal!

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ENTERPRISE EVENTS

YEAR 7, 8 & 10

SPEED INTERVIEWING EVENT
OAKGROVE SCHOOL, MILTON KEYNES
28TH FEBRUARY 2025



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ENTERPRISE EVENTS

YEAR 10
SPEED INTERVIEWING EVENT
MILTON KEYNES ACADEMY
5TH MARCH 2025



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ENTERPRISE EVENTS

YEAR 8
SPEED INTERVIEWING EVENT
RUGBY HIGH SCHOOL, RUGBY
6TH MARCH 2025



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ENTERPRISE EVENTS

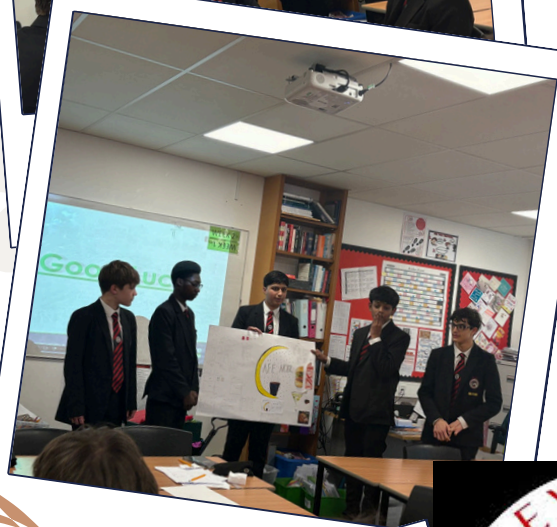
YEAR 7, 8 & 10
SPEED INTERVIEWING EVENT
OAKGROVE SCHOOL, MILTON KEYNES
7TH MARCH 2025



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ENTERPRISE EVENTS

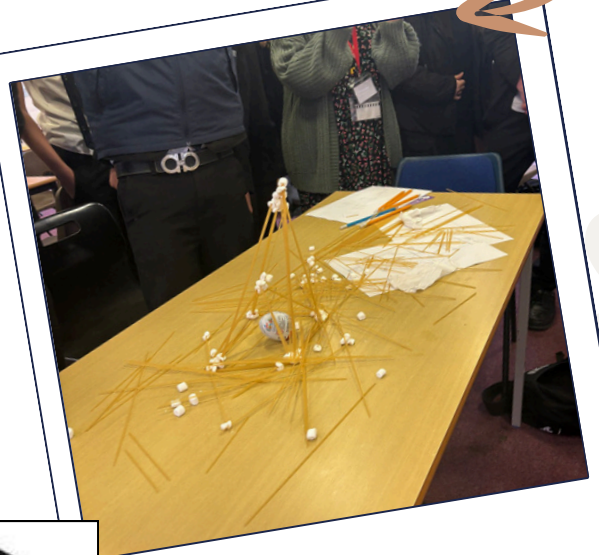
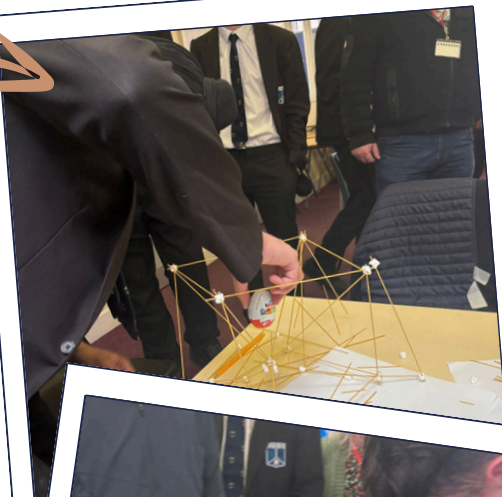
YEAR 10
ENTERPRISE DAY
SHENLEY BROOK END, MILTON KEYNES
11TH MARCH 2025



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ENTERPRISE EVENTS

YEAR 11
EMPLOYERBILITY EVENT
WOOTTON UPPER SCHOOL,
BEDFORDSHIRE
13TH MARCH 2025



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ENTERPRISE EVENTS

YEAR 7, 8 & 10
SPEED INTERVIEWING EVENT
OAKGROVE SCHOOL, MILTON KEYNES
14TH MARCH 2025




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ENTERPRISE EVENTS

YEAR 9
SPEED INTERVIEWING EVENT
SIDNEY STRINGER ACADEMY,
COVENTRY
18TH MARCH 2025




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ENTERPRISE EVENTS

YEAR 10
CV WORKSHOP
SIDNEY STRINGER ACADEMY,
COVENTRY
19TH MARCH 2025



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Academy**
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ENTERPRISE EVENTS

YEAR 9
SPEED INTERVIEWING
THE RADCLIFFE SCHOOL,
MILTON KEYNES
25TH MARCH 2025



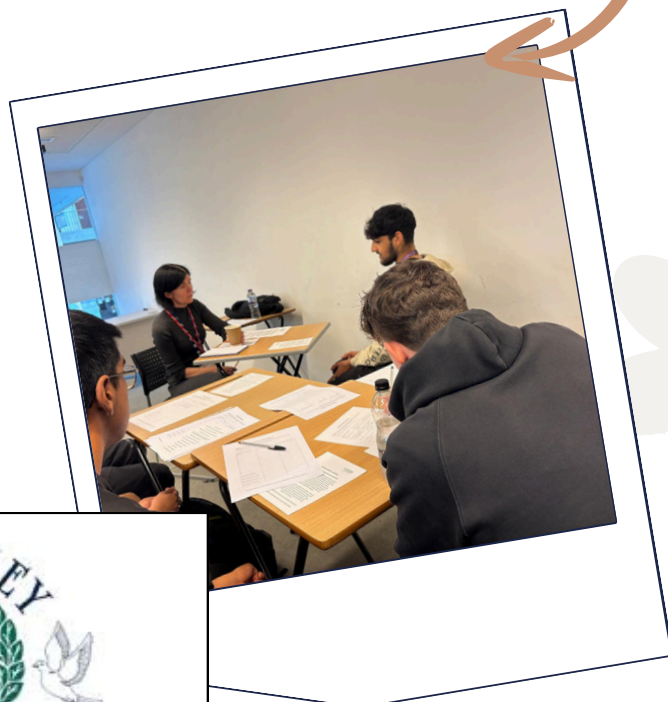
THE RADCLIFFE SCHOOL
INSPIRE AND ACHIEVE



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ENTERPRISE EVENTS

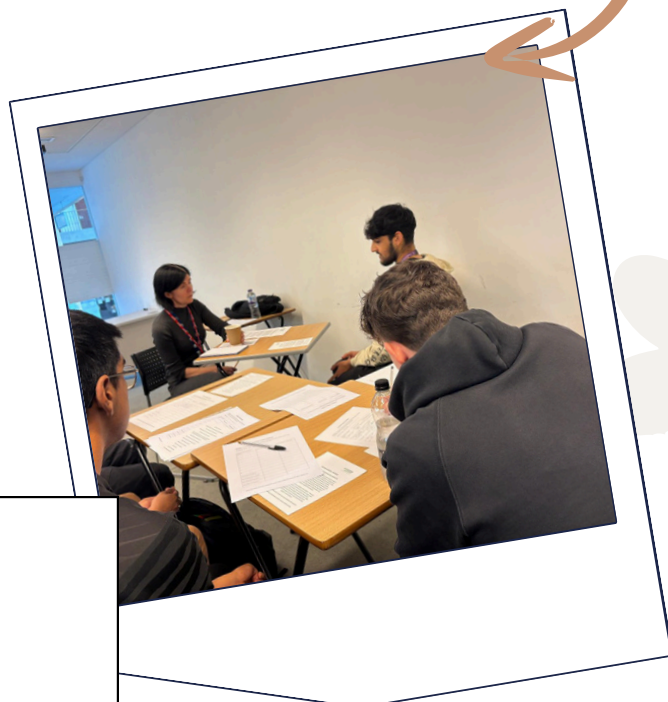
YEAR 13
EMPLOYABILITY EVENT
KIMBERLEY 6TH FORM COLLEGE,
BEDFORDSHIRE
26TH MARCH 2025



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ENTERPRISE EVENTS

YEAR 10 & 11
PARENT & BUSINESS
NETWORKING EVENT
MILTON KEYNES ACADEMY
26TH MARCH 2025



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ENTERPRISE EVENTS

PYP EXHIBITING AT THE HILL
STREET YOUTH CLUB CAREERS FAIR
2ND APRIL 2025



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TIME TO CELEBRATE YOU!

**Proactive Young People C.I.C.
have collaborated with:**

**949 AMAZING BUSINESS
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**and together we have inspired &
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**11862 FANTASTIC STUDENTS ACROSS
YEARS 3 TO 13**

**WELL DONE EVERYBODY
& THANK YOU!**



This is April!

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SCHOOL FEEDBACK



'Just wanted to say a big thank you for all your support this year. This years cohort needed lots of motivation but ended up with a great amount of students out on placements. Thank you to Nick for all the tutor time walk rounds this year, and all of you for the one to ones and general support throughout. I managed to do lots of face to face visits this year and it was brilliant to see them out in the world of work, worth all the hard work to see them enjoying it'

Carla, WEX Lead at Abbeyfield School

"I'm pleased to have been able to support the event. I would most certainly do it again"
Volkswagen Financial Services

"I must say I found it extremely rewarding, and I would certainly be interested in assisting again"
Frossell Recruitment

"I have a high level of satisfaction with this event, it was very organized and put together well"
MK Hospital NHS

"The host was very funny and I think it all went very well"
CBS Arena

FEEDBACK

"It was a really successful morning and students found it fun and engaging"
Studley High School

"Mia was absolutely brilliant; she has a really positive and confident outlook and work ethic"
The Elms Primary School

"Ellie was prompt, pleasant, enthusiastic polite and a pleasure to have shadowing us for the week"
HARTS Homes

"Brilliant. One of the better events I've attended in terms of organisation and timings"
Varsity Nine



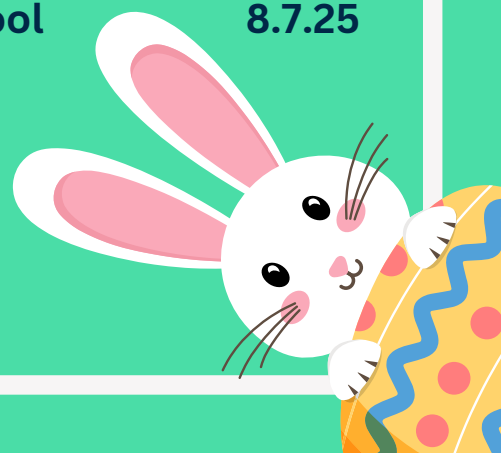
EVENTS - WHAT'S COMING UP?

Northamptonshire / Bedfordshire / Buckinghamshire

Year 7 Speed Interviewing Event	The Radcliffe School	29.4.25
Year 10 Speed Interviewing Event	Wootton Upper School	29.4.25
Year 7 Speed Interviewing Event	Shenley Brook End School	6.5.25
Year 8 Theme Park Enterprise	Milton Keynes Academy	9.6.25
Year 10 & 6 th Form Beyond SBE	Shenley Brook End School	12.6.25
Year 7 Speed Interviewing Event	Milton Keynes Academy	25.6.25
Year 12 Speed Interviewing Event	Wootton Upper School	26.6.25
Year 10 Coffee Shop Enterprise	Milton Keynes Academy	30.6.25
Year 10 Employability Event	Milton Keynes Academy	2.7.25
Year 7 Speed Interviewing Event	Hazeley Academy	3.7.25
Year 9 Speed Interviewing Event	Milton Keynes Academy	16.7.25

Warwickshire

Year 7 Disco Dilemma Enterprise	Harris CofE Academy	20.5.25
Year 10 & 11 Employability Event	Harris CofE Academy	16.6.25
Year 8 Fawltly Towers Enterprise	Ash Green School	8.7.25





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**This
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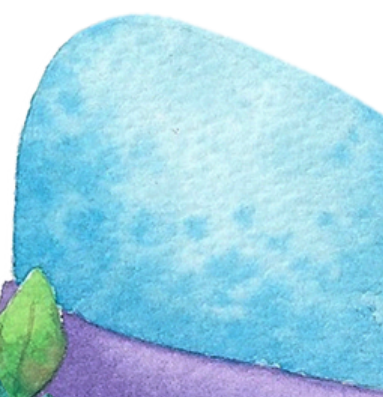


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Easter





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SPEED INTERVIEWING



Confidence Building

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ENTERPRISE DAYS



Theme Park, Coffee Shop, Farm,
Fawlty Towers, Disco Dilemma

EMPLOYERBILITY EVENTS



CV workshop, 121's, mock
interviews & team building

BESPOKE BUSINESS BREAKFAST/AFTERNOON TEA



Direct access to employers
(6th Form only)

BUSINESS DAY VISITS BUSINESS TASTER DAYS



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the workplace



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... DROP DOWN DAYS

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**BOOKING UP FAST
FOR 2025/2026!**



Speed Interviewing

Employability Events

CV Workshops

Mock Interviews



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Learning by doing

Meaningful

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Farming Challenge



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