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NEWSLETTER

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LATEST NEWS



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**HEALTHY SCHOOL
OF THE YEAR**

*And the
Winner is...*


Billing Brook

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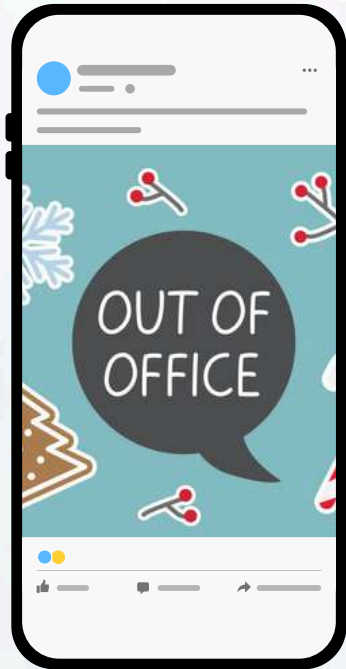
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TEAM NEWS



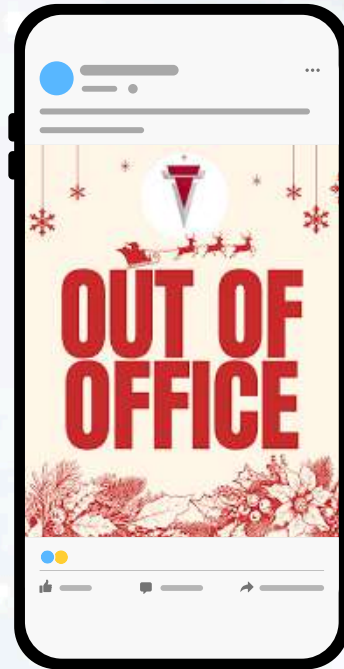
Nick

Happy Holidays everyone!



Sam

Have a great christmas and see you in 2026!



Jan

Merry Christmas and a happy new year!



Jen

Hope you all have a nice Christmas, and wishing you a healthy 2026.

**Team PYP are
back on
Monday 5th
January 2026!**



Here is just a selection of **HUNDREDS** of business volunteers we have worked with throughout 2025!



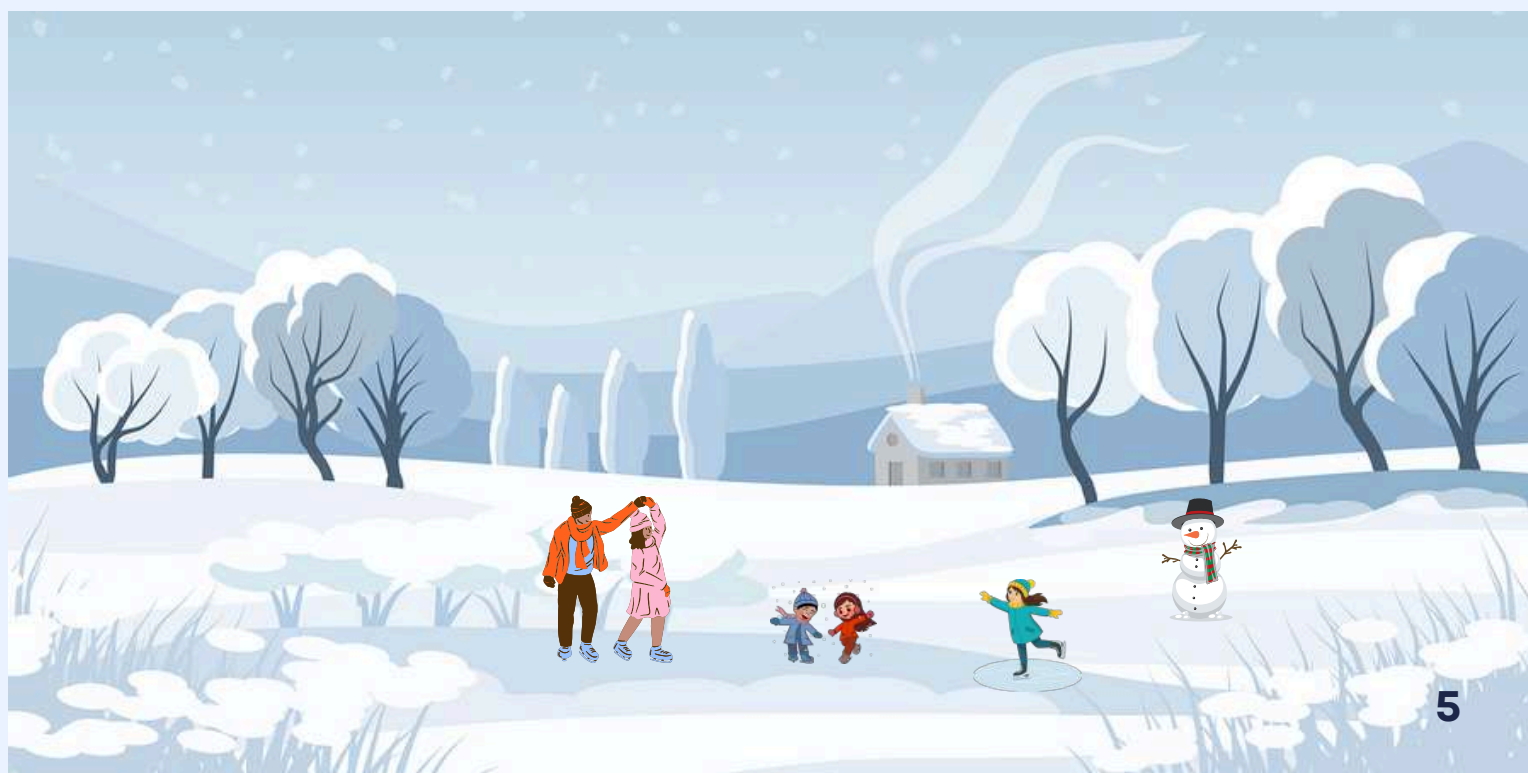
And to our school partners



EVENTS - WHAT'S COMING UP?

Buckinghamshire, Northamptonshire, Bedfordshire & Warwickshire

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| Year 10 Theme Park Enterprise Challenge AM | Stephenson Academy | 15.01.26 |
| Year 11 CV Support & Mock Interviews AM | Wootton Upper School | 20.01.26 |
| Year 12 - 6th Form Employability Event AM | Hazeley Academy | 21.01.26 |
| Year 9 Speed Interviewing AM | Magdalen College School | 21.01.26 |
| Year 9 Speed Interviewing AM | Shenley Brook End School | 26.01.26 |
| Year 9 Speed Interviewing PM | The Radcliffe School | 27.01.26 |
| Year 9 Speed Interviewing AM | Hazeley Academy | 30.01.26 |
| Year 11 Employability Event AM | Etone College | 04.02.26 |
| Year 12 - 6th Form Employability Event AM | Shenley Brook End School | 04.02.26 |
| Year 11 Mock Interviews AM | Etone College | 05.02.26 |
| Year 7, 8 & 10 Speed Interviewing AM | Oakgrove School | 06.02.26 |
| Year 12 & 13 Speed Interviewing PM | The Radcliffe School | 10.02.26 |
| Year 9 Speed Interviewing AM | Wootton Upper School | 12.02.26 |
| Year 13 Employability Event AM | Kimberley College | 05.03.26 |
| Year 7, 8 & 10 Speed Interviewing Event AM | Oakgrove School | 06.03.26 |
| Year 10 Speed Interviewing AM | Stephenson Academy | 11.03.26 |
| Year 7, 8 & 10 Speed Interviewing AM | Oakgrove School | 13.03.26 |
| Year 10, 11 & 6th Form Futures Festival | Kimberley College | 26.03.26 |



INDUSTRY OPPORTUNITIES

**5 day Clinical Work
Experience Week**
16th to 20th February 2026

NHS
Milton Keynes
University Hospital
NHS Foundation Trust



Are you interested in becoming a Nurse, Health Care Assistant, Doctor or Healthcare Professional? Milton Keynes University Hospital is pleased to announce we have an opportunity for 5 Days of Clinical Work Experience!

During this time, you will receive an education & training programme in our classrooms, as well as shadow staff on our wards and departments with trained supervisors, front line staff and Learning & Development Teams.

To be considered, you must be:

- Aged 16 -18 years old
- Must live or study in Milton Keynes
- Able to evidence support of your parent/guardian and school.
- Able to provide all supporting documents outlined in your student cover letter when applying
- Cleared by our Occupational Health Department

For more information, or to request an application pack, please email workexperience@mkuh.nhs.uk. Closing date for applications is **5th January 2026**. Applications sent after this date will not be accepted.

Please be aware that all Clinical Work Experience Placements at MKUH are observation and shadowing placements ONLY. You will not be permitted to take part or assist in clinical procedures on patients on site

ENTERPRISE EVENTS

YEAR 10

MOCK INTERVIEWS

SHENLEY BROOK END SCHOOL

4TH NOVEMBER 2025



ENTERPRISE EVENTS

YEAR 7

ENTERPRISE CHALLENGE

COFFEE SHOP

GEORGE ELIOT ACADEMY

5TH NOVEMBER 2025



ENTERPRISE EVENTS

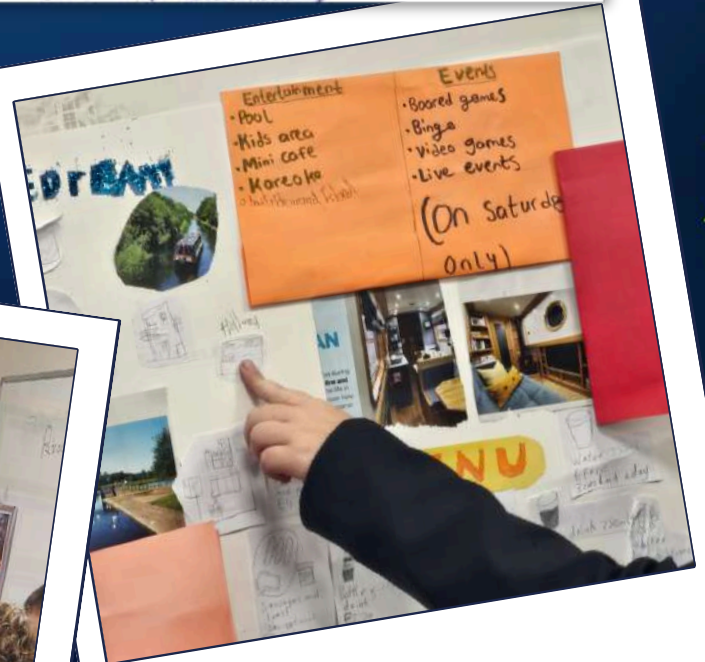
YEAR 8

ENTERPRISE CHALLENGE

FAWLTY TOWERS

GEORGE ELIOT ACADEMY

5TH NOVEMBER 2025



ENTERPRISE EVENTS

YEAR 12 & 13
SPEED INTERVIEWING
SHENLEY BROOK END SCHOOL
6TH NOVEMBER 2025



ENTERPRISE EVENTS

**YEAR 10, 11 & 6TH FORM
BEYOND CAREERS FAIR
MAGDALEN COLLEGE SCHOOL
12TH NOVEMBER 2025**



ENTERPRISE EVENTS

YEAR 8

**SPEED INTERVIEWING
HAZELEY ACADEMY
13TH NOVEMBER 2025**



ENTERPRISE EVENTS

**YEAR 9, 11 & 6TH FORM
SPEED INTERVIEWING
OAKGROVE SCHOOL
21ST NOVEMBER 2025**



ENTERPRISE EVENTS

**YEAR 10
MOCK INTERVIEWS
HAZELEY ACADEMY
27TH NOVEMBER 2025**



ENTERPRISE EVENTS

YEAR 5 & 6

SPEED INTERVIEWING
KENTS HILL PARK PRIMARY
3RD DECEMBER 2025



ENTERPRISE EVENTS

YEAR 10

MOCK INTERVIEWS & CV
WORKSHOP

MAGDALEN COLLEGE SCHOOL
4TH DECEMBER 2025



ENTERPRISE EVENTS

YEAR 7

ENTERPRISE CHALLENGE

THEME PARK

MILTON KEYNES ACADEMY

4TH DECEMBER 2025



TIME TO CELEBRATE!

We have collaborated with:

**600+ AMAZING BUSINESS
VOLUNTEERS!**

and together we have
inspired & empowered

**OVER 8000 FANTASTIC
STUDENTS ACROSS
YEARS 3 TO 13**

Well done everybody & thank
you. Wishing you all a
wonderful Christmas break!



FEEDBACK

'The students really enjoyed the experience and came away feeling inspired and more confident about their next steps. We truly appreciate all the time, effort, and coordination that went into making the event such a success.'

Thank you again for your support — we really value the partnership and look forward to working with you again soon!'

Northampton School

'Well organized and useful for the students'

MK:U

'My level of satisfaction with this event is really high. I enjoy supporting and being part of this initiative'

Network Rail

'It was a great experience to support'

Neighbourly

'It was great interacting with the students'

Northlands Veterinary Group

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For Secondary Schools

For more information, please contact Samantha Fitzgerald on 07702 048618
or you can send an email to samantha@proactiveyoungpeoplecic.co.uk

CAREERS FAIRS



Explore & Connect
(direct access)

PARENT & BUSINESS NETWORKING



Business information
& knowledge sharing

WORK EXPERIENCE



Bridging the gap between
school and work life

SPEED INTERVIEWING



Confidence Building

LIMITED TIME PERIOD OFFER WHILST FUNDING SUPPORT IS AVAILABLE!

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



Meaningful experience of
the workplace



Social Enterprise UK
Certified Member



Ofsted
raising standards
improving lives



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SPEED INTERVIEWING



Fun and interactive

Learning from
work industries

Confidence Building

10%
OFF

Successful referrals
made by you will
earn you 10% off
your next event!

ENTERPRISE DAYS



Learning by doing

Meaningful

Theme Park,
Farming Challenge



Social Enterprise UK
Certified Member



Ofsted
raising standards
improving lives

GATSBY BENCHMARKS

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CAREER RELATED LEARNING

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DROP DOWN DAYS

For Secondary Schools

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

Speed Interviewing

Employability Events

CV Workshops

Mock Interviews

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GATSBY BENCHMARKS

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Primary Schools - Secondary Schools - Businesses

'PYP help bridge the gap from school life to working life'

- Work Experience Placements
- Employability Events
- Enterprise Events
- Speed Interview Events
- Business Day Visits
- Business Taster Days
- Careers Fairs
- Parent & Business Networking
- Bespoke Business Breakfast/
Afternoon Tea
- CV Workshops
- Mock Interviews



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Are you a primary or secondary school needing 3rd party support or advice with all things work experience? For an informal chat

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