



KING EDWARD VI  
GRAMMAR SCHOOL  
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# Careers Newsletter

October/November 2025



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## Unifrog – The Universal Destinations Platform

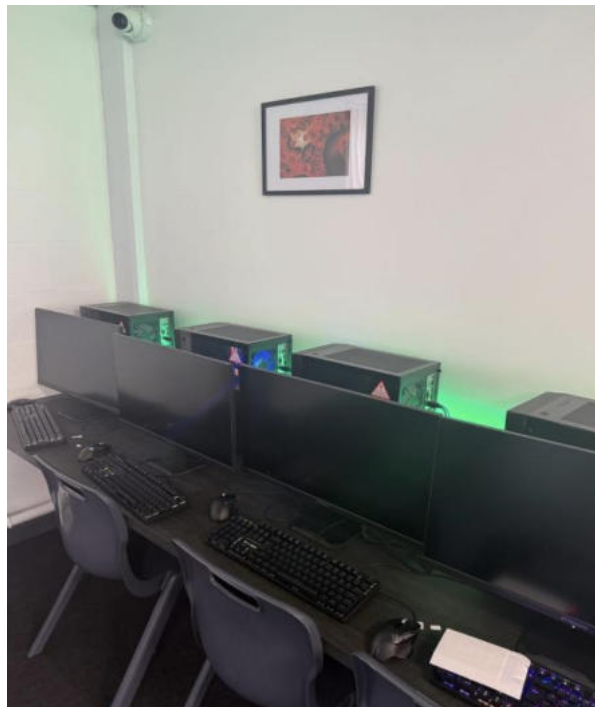
As a school we use Unifrog – the universal destinations platform designed to support learners in making the most informed decisions about their futures. Unifrog is suitable for all ages groups from Year 7 – Year 13.

Each student has their own account from year 7 where they can explore careers and next steps options available to them. They can complete quizzes and tests, write CVs and explore a wide range of job roles.

### Year 7 Unifrog

All Year 7 students have been sent a welcome email from Unifrog. This will enable them access to Unifrog at any point. They can access Unifrog now and start to complete some of the quizzes and questionnaires on it.

All Year 7 students will have some time designated to logging onto Unifrog in one of their Computer Science lessons.



# Year 7

Our Year 7 students have settled in very well!



**unifrog** Year 7 have all had their welcome email to Unifrog and will be allocated a bit of time during a Computer Science lesson to get logged on and get started.

During Future U Tutor time covered September/October 2025:

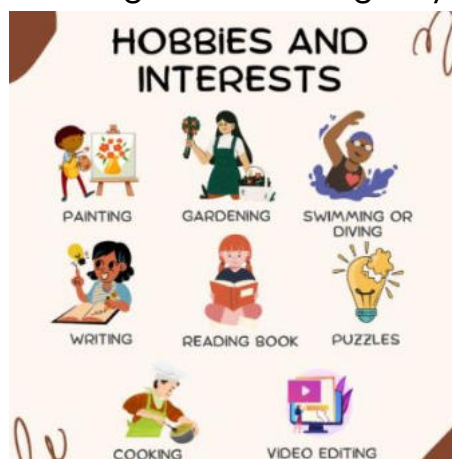
- Who am I? - Grow through life by learning and reflecting on yourself, your background and your strengths.
- Job of the week – Investment Banker

# Year 8

Year 8 have also had the opportunity during a Computer Science lesson to get back on Unifrog and have a go at the quizzes!

During Future U Tutor time covered September/October 2025:

- What are my interests? - Grow through life by learning and reflecting on yourself, your background and your strengths.
- Job of the week – Investment Banker



# Year 9

Please encourage year 9 students to log onto Unifrog. It's a fantastic platform designed to support students make decisions about their future. Unifrog can be used for:

- Personality quizzes, career and subject profiles, and online courses to explore their interests
- The platform allows students to compare a wide range of options, including UK and international university courses, further education courses, and apprenticeships
- Students can use the platform to record their skills, extracurricular activities, and other accomplishment
- Unifrog provides tools to help students write and build applications, such as CVs and personal statements

During Future U Tutor time covered September/October 2025:

- Reflecting on my career journey - Grow through life by learning and reflecting on yourself, your background and your strengths.
- Job of the week – Investment Banker

# Year 10

Year 10 attended our in-school Careers Fair at the end of term. You'll find details of this further on in our Newsletter!

During Future U Tutor time covered September/October 2025:

- What are my skills? - Grow through life by learning and reflecting on yourself, your background and your strengths.
- Job of the week – Investment Banker



**KEVIGS**

**CAREERS**  
*Fair* **2025**

**Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> October 2025**  
**Years 10 - 13**

**YEAR 10 - 9.10AM**  
**YEAR 11 - 10.10AM**  
**YEAR 12 - 11.30AM**  
**YEAR 13 - 11.30AM**

**BISHOP GROSSETESTE UNIVERSITY**

**Lincoln College University Centre**

**University of Sheffield**

**Forrester Boyd** CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS

**NHS** Lincolnshire Talent Academy

**Franklin**

**access** creative college

**HETA** Engineering The Future

**DS Smith**

**WILKIN CHAPMAN LLP** solicitors

**Grimsby Institute**

**RISEHOLME College**





# Year 11

Year 11 also attended our in-school Careers Fair at the end of term.

Some of our Year 11 students also attended Step 1 of the First Steps Programme run by Lincoln Bishop University. The aim is to raise aspirations and encourage students to consider their future options. The focus of the programme being to develop study skills to help students with their learning, while giving them the opportunity to learn about university from staff and current university students.

- Step 1: Decision Making (a one-hour session delivered in school) – held on Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2025.
- Step 2: Research skills, transferrable skills and presentation skills (campus visit to Lincoln Bishop) – December 2025.



During Future U Tutor time covered September/October 2025:

- What are my employability skills? - Grow through life by learning and reflecting on yourself, your background and your strengths.
- Job of the week – Investment Banker





# Year 12

It's been a busy term in RSHE for year 12.

- Why University session – delivered by Hull University
- Wages – delivered by Mr Gallacher
- Choosing the Right University – delivered by the University of Lincoln
- Balancing work & life – delivered by Mr Wright

Year 12 have also been getting involved in the new EEP Programme (Enrichment, Employment & Personal Development). They have all these to choose from:

- ★ PE / Sport
- ★ Volunteering / Work Experience
- ★ Mentoring – Academic / Peer / 11+
- ★ Russell Group University support
- ★ Additional Private Study
- ★ EPQ



Year 12 attended our in-school Careers Fair at the end of term.



# Year 13



Year 13 have been sent all the information they need to apply for UCAS! They are busy requesting references from teachers and preparing their UCAS applications!

Our early application students have already sent off their applications! *Good luck to them!*



*Parents, please look out for the email containing details of the Student Finance session! The date will be confirmed for this in the coming weeks. The majority vote was online so it will be a webinar!*

Year 13 have attended the following RSHE session which supports their career journey:

- University budgeting & finance – delivered by Mr Wright
- Interview Preparation session – delivered by the University of Hull
- Personal Statement preparation – delivered by the University of Lincoln

Year 12 attended our in-school Careers Fair at the end of term.





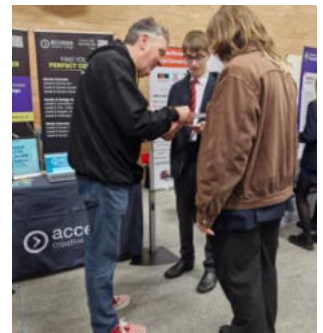


# Future U – Careers Fair Year 10 – 13



Our Careers Fair was a success at the end of term! We had Colleges, Universities, Employers, Alumni, Apprenticeship Providers, the Police, and lots more!

The students interacted well and gained a lot from the experience!







# Further & Higher Education Open Days

## Franklin College, Grimsby:

No need to book, just turn up!

**Thursday 13th November 2025 | 5pm - 7:30pm**

Booking is required for our Saturday Open Events:

**Saturday 17th January 2026 | 9:30am - 12pm -**

**Saturday 28th February 2026 | 9:30am - 12pm**

## Grimsby Institute:

### Open Event Dates

**Saturday 8 November 2025 – 10am – 12 noon**

**Thursday 12 February 2026 – 5.30pm – 7.30pm**

## Lincoln College:



**Lincoln College Open Day | 8th  
November 2025**



### Boston College:

📅 THURSDAY 13TH NOVEMBER

🕒 5PM - 8PM

📍 BOSTON CAMPUS

📅 THURSDAY 5TH FEBRUARY

🕒 5PM - 8PM

📍 BOSTON CAMPUS

### University Open Days:

<https://www.whatuni.com/open-days/search/>

UCAS



# Welcome to the Sixth Form



We are pleased to extend the warmest of welcomes to all post-16 students who would like to join our Sixth Form.

Whilst many of our sixth formers are 'home-grown' in that they completed their GCSE courses at King Edward's, we can guarantee that students from other local secondary schools will also be made to feel at home if they choose to study with us. The school's heritage may go all the way back to 1551, but our focus is very much on preparing the students we work with for the future. We have a long history of focusing on the holistic development of our students, which will continue, but with an enhanced programme of additional courses some of which are brand new for the 2025-26 academic year.

Our staff successfully deliver traditional A level subjects to the highest possible level as evidenced by the excellent results achieved by our former students. By blending these well-established routes into higher education with a range of BTEC programmes we are confident that we'll be able to help you to plan a programme of study that suits your needs now and in the future. If you are ambitious and have the drive and enthusiasm to achieve the highest academic standards, our small, exclusive, friendly team at KEVIGS is the right setting for you to complete the next stage of your education.

Mr Gallacher- Assistant Headteacher (Head of Sixth Form)

## **Applications are now live for 2026 entry into Kevigs Sixth Form:**

Students can now apply for K6 via [Lincs Futures](https://www.lincsfutures.co.uk/courses/full-time-course-providers). Students will need to select the [login button](#) at the top and then click sign up tab:

<https://www.lincsfutures.co.uk/courses/full-time-course-providers>





# KEVIGS OPEN DAYS

*Are you currently in Year 6 or Year 11 and missed our Open Evenings?  
You can now book in for a tour on our Open Days!*

## DATES:

✓ Friday 14<sup>th</sup> November

## TIMES:

✓ 9.15am, 10.30am, 11.30am, 1.30pm, 2.30pm

*Please email [events@kevigs.lincs.sch.uk](mailto:events@kevigs.lincs.sch.uk) with the date and time you would like to book.*



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