

The Tiffin Girls' School Careers Newsletter

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TiffinTalks



Our TiffinTalk on 24 June focused on careers in law.

Alumna Violet Marcel, now a Senior Associate in the Tax team at Clifford Chance shared

her experiences of working as a solicitor, following a law degree and a stint working in a state legislature in the US. This talk was not recorded, but click below for recordings of earlier TiffinTalks, on engineering, AI, pharmacy, consulting and more.

[TiffinTalk recordings](#)

Royal
Geographical
Society
with IBG

RGS's careers education support - which includes a free virtual work experience programme and a

plethora of free events - showcases real people and real jobs. Budding geographers can explore case studies, events and a work experience directory. Their virtual Wex programme is run with Springpod and helps students understand how geographers use cutting-edge mapping technologies and apply real-world skills like analysing data to promote understanding of natural hazards, plan cities and improve resource security.

Careers in Pastoral

Year 8 and Year 10 have been exploring careers in their pastoral lessons this term, with talks from Deloitte, City St. George's University, AIM London (apprenticeships & T levels) and Access Creative College (creative industries and courses), as well as sessions focussing on transferable skills, career planning, labour market information, self-exploration and careers stereotypes.

Year 12 have been able to select from a range of suggested careers activities for their two careers lessons, including interview practice, top tips for LinkedIn profiles and learning about work/life balance.



17 of our students signed up for **Newsquest's Young Reporter scheme** this

year, giving themselves the opportunity to experience what it is like to work as a local newspaper journalist. Congratulations to **Aarna, Aashi, Iola, Seerat** and **Simran** for completing the scheme and receiving letters of recognition, and particular congratulations to **Lilabella**, who was one of the semi-finalists.

xello update

Year 7 students completed their Xello induction in their pastoral lesson on 17 June and it's been lovely to see that many of them have continued to explore Xello's resources in their free time. Year 8 and Year 10 have also been completing activities in Xello during their careers lessons this term.

If parents are curious as to how their child is using Xello, these are some of the things they can do at home –

- **Complete an interactive Lesson.** These are activities assigned to your child's year group and help them build vital skills for persistence, resilience, and real-world success
- **Build their About Me page.** This helps your child to discover more about themselves by exploring their interests, skills, and aspirations
- **Explore.** They learn about career possibilities and educational pathways and can save their favourites

Parents can use their family account to –

- **View your child's work**
Check out the work your child has completed by clicking on their name
- **Try Xello yourself**
Select a year and experience first-hand what your child is working on in school. Try a lesson, complete an assessment, or explore careers!

Parents log into their accounts at <https://login.xello.co.uk/> If you have not already activated your family account, please [email Mrs Austin](#) so that your activation email can be re-sent. Students log in via their Google account.



Job of the Month – Forensic Accountant



Forensic accountants use their accountancy skills to investigate financial discrepancies and inaccuracies such as fraudulent activity, financial misrepresentation, or misconduct and disputes. The role involves a combination of accounting,

auditing and investigative skills. They perform a range of work, such as fraud, regulatory and cybercrime investigation, commercial litigation, dispute resolution, resolving and settling insurance claims and valuations. You can get into forensic accountancy with a degree in any subject. A degree in accountancy, or a related subject such as finance or economics, can give you a good foundation to work from, but isn't essential. You will need to train as an accountant before specialising in forensics.

Find out more - <https://www.prospects.ac.uk/job-profiles/forensic-accountant/> [Institute of Certified Forensic Accountants](#)

Year 11 Work Experience

We wish the best of luck to all our Year 11 students heading out on work experience over the next few weeks, in hospitals, schools, parliament, veterinary surgeries, architecture practices, law firms and barristers' chambers, banks, design studios, engineering firms, shops, professional service companies, media and tech firms, theatres, research organisations and many, many more exciting and interesting workplaces.

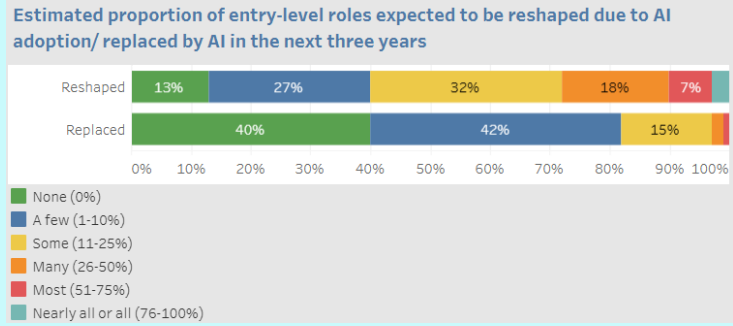
We know they will, in true Tiffin Girls' fashion, make the most of these opportunities, and we look forward to hearing all about their experiences.

Year 11, remember to reflect on your placements, and provide feedback using this [form](#)

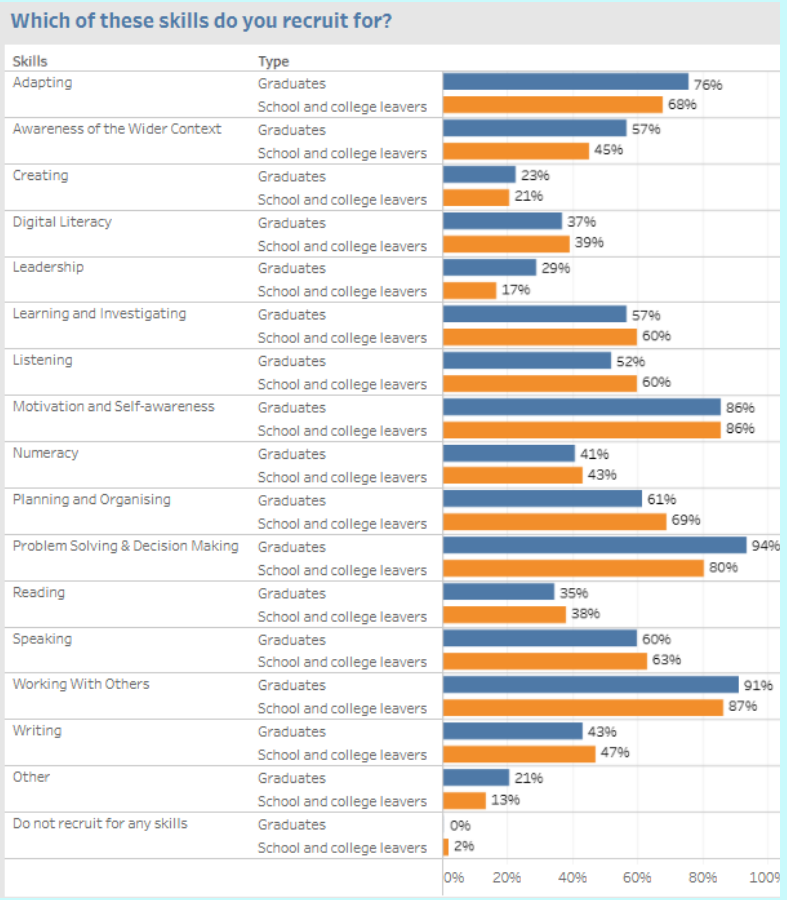
ISE Student Development Survey 2026

The Institute of Student Employers' (ISE) latest survey of 144 major organisations provides an insight into current recruitment trends from the largest group of early careers development professionals in the UK. Some of the key trends and insights to emerge this year include -

- AI is beginning to reshape early career roles and skill requirements, but large-scale role replacements are not yet expected by most employers



- Employers cited critical thinking, AI literacy, communication and adaptability as skills that would grow in importance



The full report can be found [here](#)

Careers Fair 2026

We will be holding our next Careers Fair on **Thursday 5 November** from 6pm – 8pm. We've received fantastic support for this from our community of parents and carers in the past, and if any parents are interested in representing their industry or company at this year's event, please complete this [form](#) and I will be in touch with further details