

1st March 2020

Dear Parents/Carers,

Virgin Apprenticeship Scheme

At Platanos College we strive to ensure that our pupils are exposed to opportunities and experience careers and educational routes that they might not otherwise experience.

An individual's career is their lifelong journey and as part of the schooling system, pupils are encouraged to make choices regarding future studies, apprenticeships or jobs whilst still in secondary education.

It is therefore our aim to ensure that pupils and parents have access to good quality information about future study options and labour market opportunities.

Platanos College continues to work in partnership with several organisations in order to support our pupils' understanding of the labour market information.

The Virgin Media Apprenticeship Scheme will be having a **live webinar on Friday 19**th **March at 4pm** which will give more information about the scheme.

You can find the link to this on the Virgin Apprenticeship flyer.

In addition, here is the link for the Situational Judgement Test (SJT) that forms part of the recruitment process which can be practised as many times by pupils: https://virginmedia.shortlist.me/lobby.

Yours sincerely,

The Careers Department