



# Senior Phase Parents Information Evening

Wednesday 9 February 2022  
6pm – 7pm





# Aims of the Information Evening

- Outline the three Routes to Employment
- Highlight Tynecastle's Senior Phase & partnerships
- Examples of Pathways
- Outline supports for your child
- Overview of key skills & the Future Labour Market
- Time for Questions & Feedback

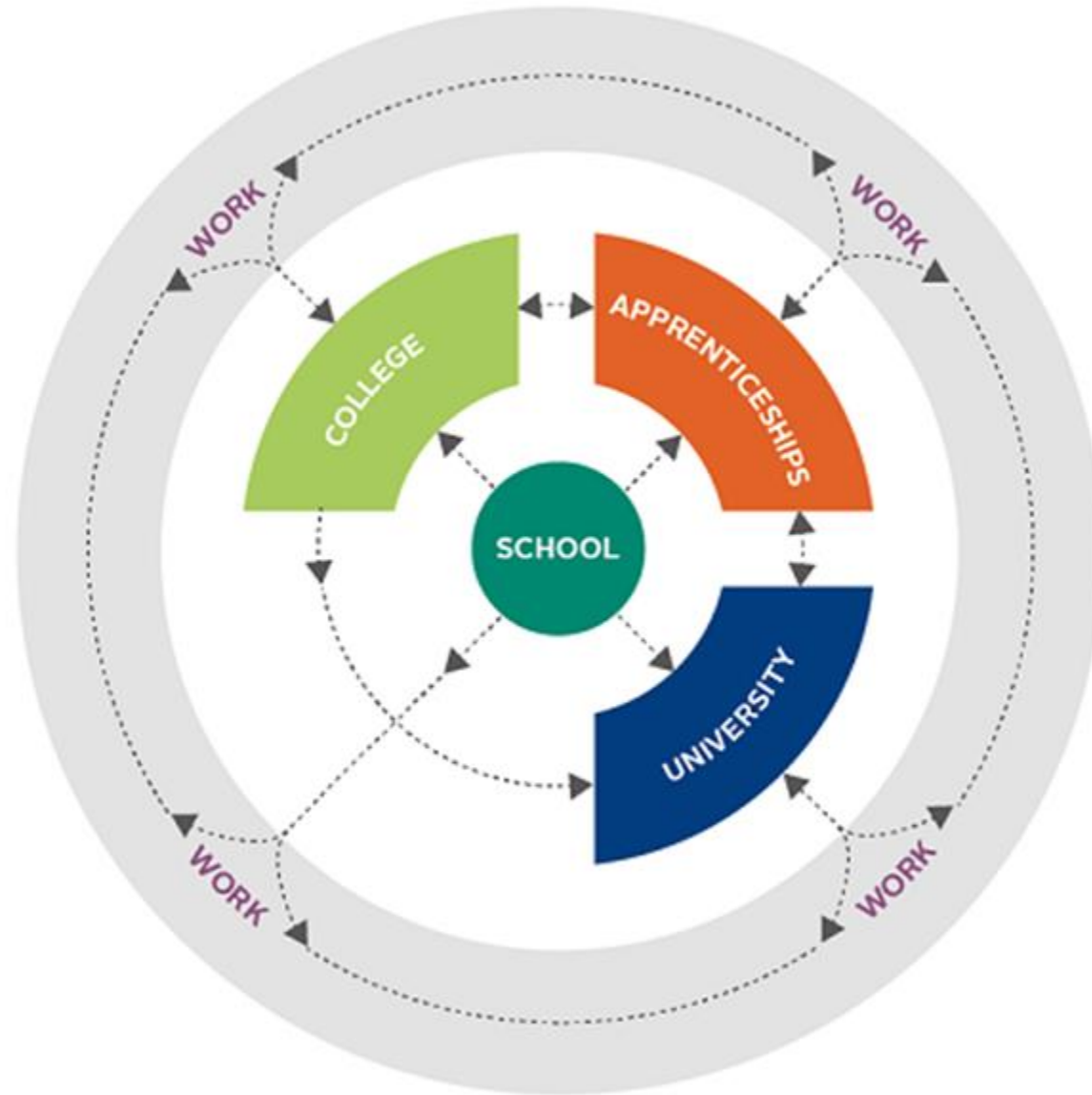




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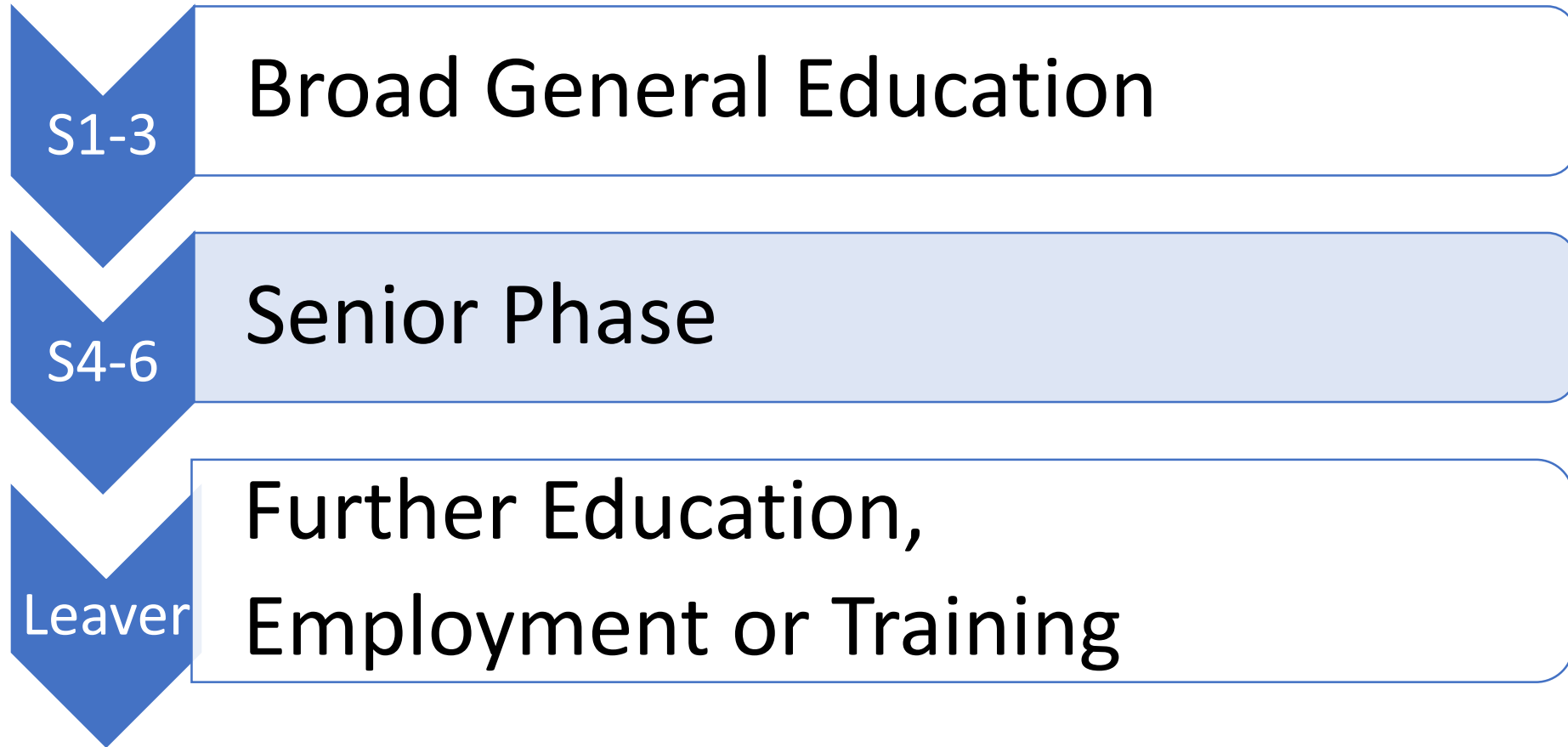
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# Routes to Employment



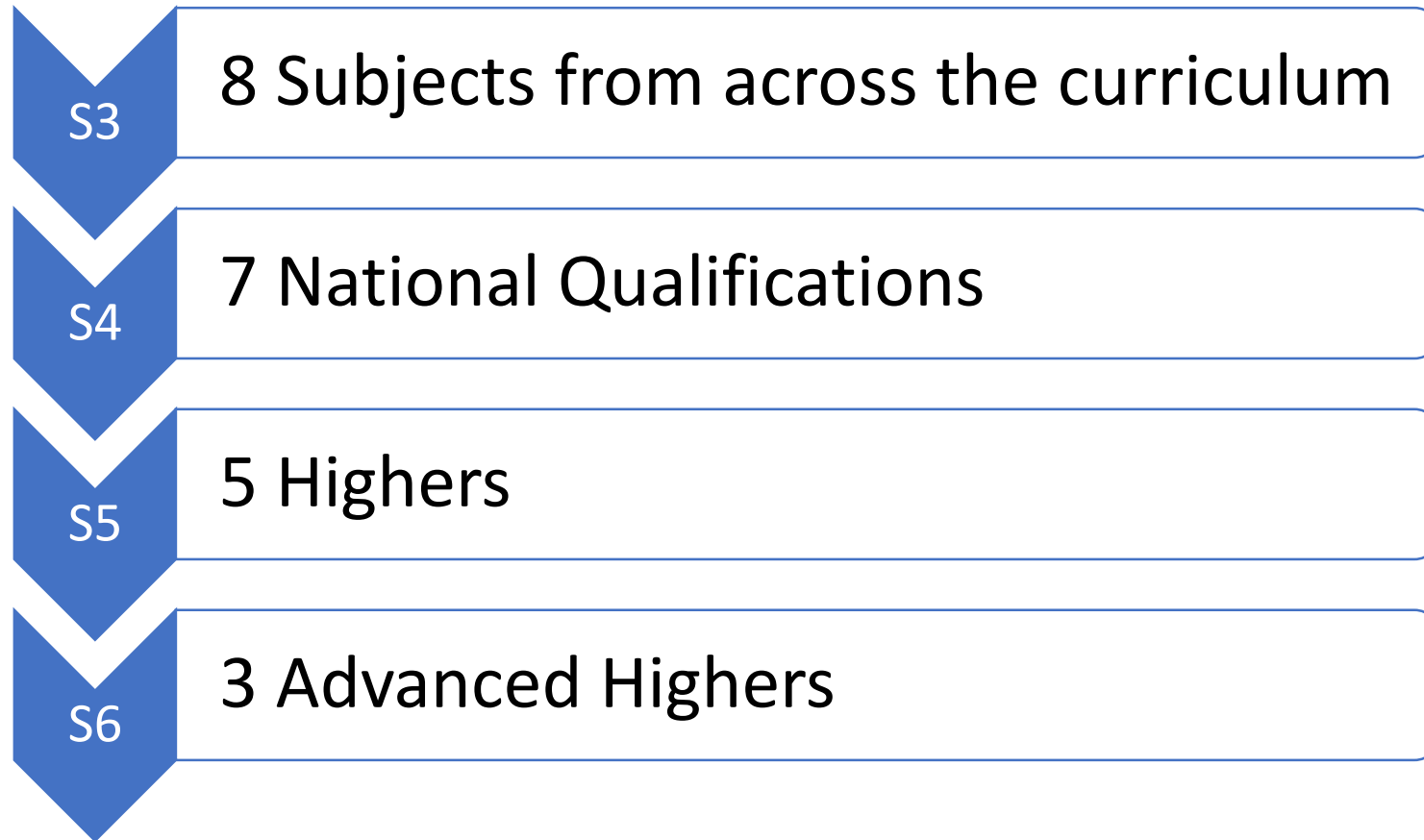


# What is the Senior Phase?





# Tynecastle's Senior Phase Course Structure





# The Scottish Credit & Qualifications Framework

SCQF Levels	SQA Qualifications		Qualifications of Higher Education Institutions	Apprenticeships & SVQs
12			Doctoral Degree	Professional Apprenticeship
11			Masters Degree, Integrated Masters Degree, Post Graduate Diploma, Post Graduate Certificate	Graduate Apprenticeship Professional Apprenticeship SVQ
10			Honours Degree, Graduate Diploma, Graduate Certificate	Graduate Apprenticeship Professional Apprenticeship
9			Bachelors / Ordinary Degree, Graduate Diploma, Graduate Certificate	Graduate Apprenticeship Technical Apprenticeship SVQ
8		Higher National Diploma	Diploma Of Higher Education	Higher Apprenticeship Technical Apprenticeship SVQ
7	Advanced Higher, Awards, Scottish Baccalaureate	Higher National Certificate	Certificate Of Higher Education	Modern Apprenticeship SVQ
6	Higher, Awards, Skills for Work Higher			Modern Apprenticeship Foundation Apprenticeship SVQ
5	National 5, Awards, Skills for Work National 5			Modern Apprenticeship SVQ
4	National 4, Awards, Skills for Work National 4	National Certificate	National Progression Award	SVQ
3	National 3, Awards, Skills for Work National 3			
2	National 2, Awards			
1	National 1, Awards			







# SCQF 4-5 Courses

## NAT4, NAT5, NPA, Skills for Work



- Art & Design
- Drama
- Early Learning and Childcare
- English
- ESOL
- Fashion & Textiles
- Physical Education
- Media Studies
- Mathematics
- Geography
- History
- Practical Woodworking
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Computing Science
- Administration
- Business Management
- Modern Studies
- French
- Spanish
- Languages for Life & Work
- Practical Cookery
- Health & Food Technology
- Music Performance
- Music Technology
- Graphic Communication
- Mandarin
- Design & Manufacture
- Physics
- Practical Cake Craft
- Travel & Tourism
- Exercise & Fitness
- Creative Thinking
- Dance
- Leadership in Sport



# SCQF 6-7 Courses HIGH, ADVH



- Art & Design
- English
- ESOL
- Physical Education
- Media Studies
- Mathematics
- Geography
- History
- Biology
- Chemistry
- Computing Science
- Administration & IT
- Business Management
- Modern Studies
- French
- Spanish
- Philosophy
- Health & Food Technology
- Music Performance
- Music Technology
- Mandarin
- Physics
- Young Enterprise
- Dance



# Edinburgh School Consortia

Neighbourhood schools across Edinburgh work closely together to collectively offer even more subject options at each level.

Through this strong partnership, Tynecastle has hosted students and continues to provide more options for our students.





# School College Partnership (SCP)

Attend college 2 times per week  
(Tues/Thurs afternoons)

Timetable supports arrangements

Wide range of vocational courses

Good transition for full time college



**Courses for School Pupils**

[www.edinburghcollege.ac.uk/courses/for-school-pupils](http://www.edinburghcollege.ac.uk/courses/for-school-pupils)



# New SCP Courses

## Level 4

- Introduction to Social Sciences
- Uniformed & Emergency Services

## Level 5/6

- Hair & Beauty
- Enterprise & Commerce Marketing
- Health & Social Care

## Level 6/7

- Criminology
- Early Years & Primary Teaching
- HNC Police Studies (2 years)



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[www.apprenticeships.scot](http://www.apprenticeships.scot)



## Still at school?

Get a head start with a Foundation Apprenticeship. You can get real-world work experience, while you're in fifth or sixth year.

[Foundation Apprenticeships](#)



## Modern Apprenticeships

Get a job, get paid, and get qualified with a Modern Apprenticeship.

[Modern Apprenticeships](#)

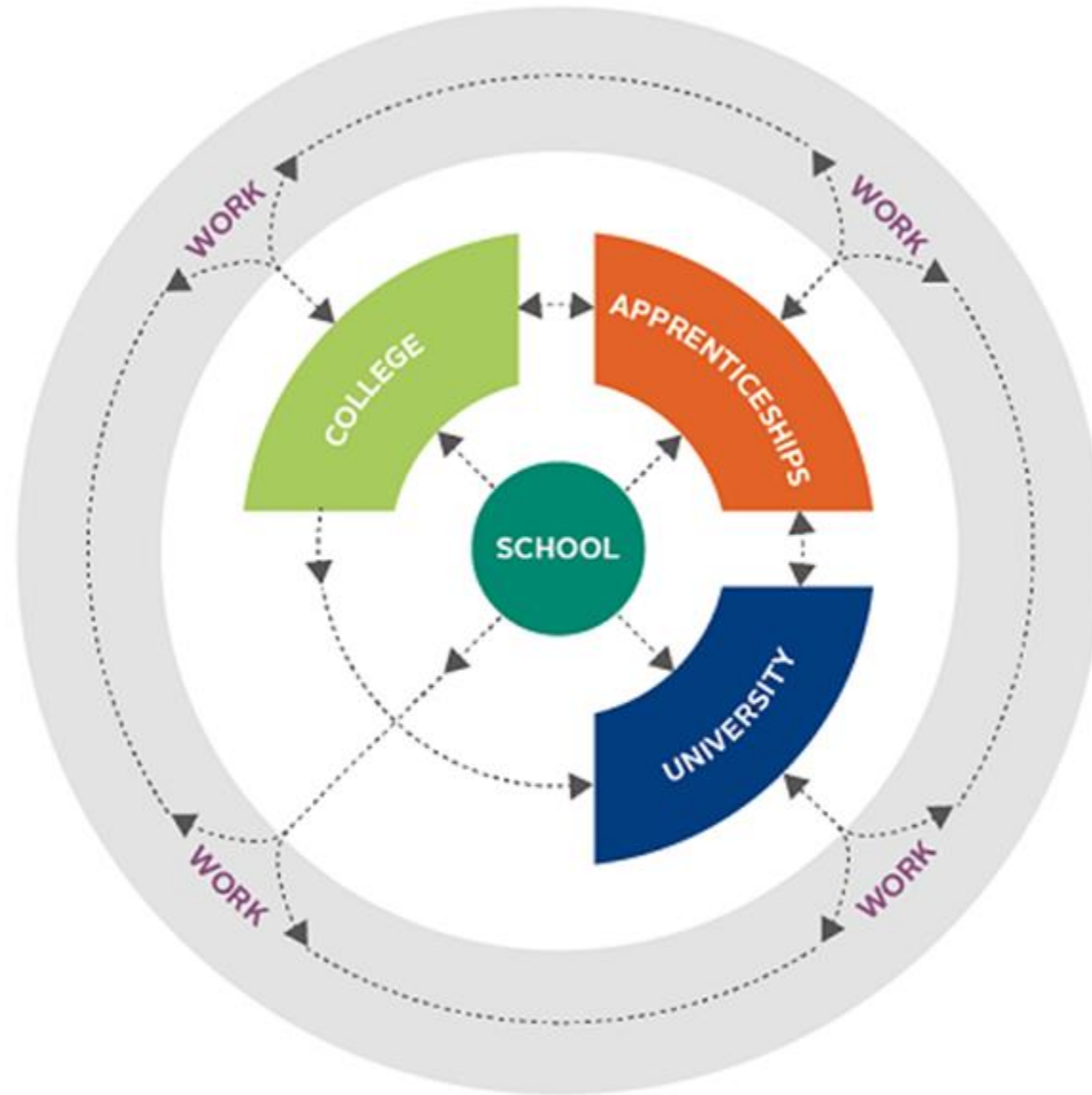


## Getting a degree?

Work a paid job while you're working towards your degree.

[Graduate Apprenticeships](#)

# Routes to Employment



# Pathway to College



S4

Administration & IT, Biology, English  
Computing Science, History, Mathematics

S5

English, History, Biology,  
Art & Design, Numeracy

S6

Computing Science, Philosophy,  
Mathematics

**Edinburgh College**  
Cyber Security, Networking & Forensics





# Pathway to a Foundation Apprenticeship



S4

Administration & IT, Chemistry, Dance, English, Practical Cookery, Mathematics

S5

Administration & IT, Mathematics, *Foundation Apprenticeship began*

S6

English, Fashion & Textiles, Dance  
*Foundation Apprenticeship completed*

**Modern Apprenticeship at Solicitors**

**Foundation Apprenticeship  
Business Skills  
Student of the Year 2020**



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# Pathway to a Modern Apprenticeship

S4

Administration & IT, Dance, Childcare, English, Mathematics

S5

English, Media, Modern Studies, Numeracy  
Practical Cookery

**Modern Apprenticeship**  
Administration at SNIPEF – Training Services



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[Modern Apprenticeships](#)

# From Tynecastle to University



S4

Biology, English, History, Mathematics,  
Physical Education, Spanish

S5

English, History, Human Biology,  
Mathematics, Modern Studies

S6

English, History, Modern Studies,  
Spanish

**Edinburgh University**  
History & Economics



# Pathway to the World of Work

S4

History, Physical Education, History, Mandarin English, Mathematics

S5

Media, English, Scottish Studies, Health & Food Technology, Employability award

S6

Leadership in Sport, Dance, Physical Education, English, Work Placement,

**Retail**

JD Sports



# Career Management Skills



Skills  
Development  
Scotland

Understanding your personality, interests and values is key to making the right career decisions.

*SELF*

Know how to use your talents, skills and personal qualities.

*STRENGTHS*

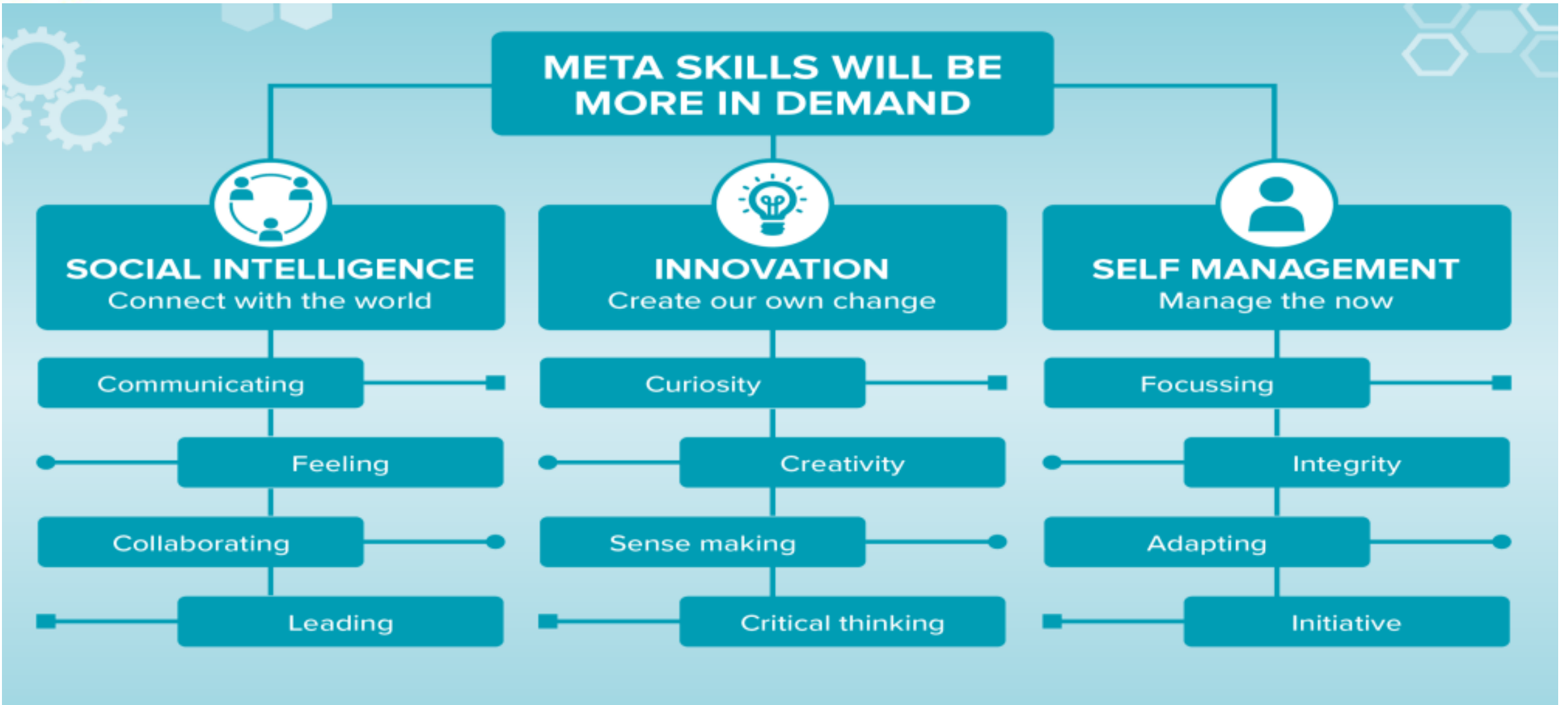
Explore the world of work, training and learning.

*HORIZONS*

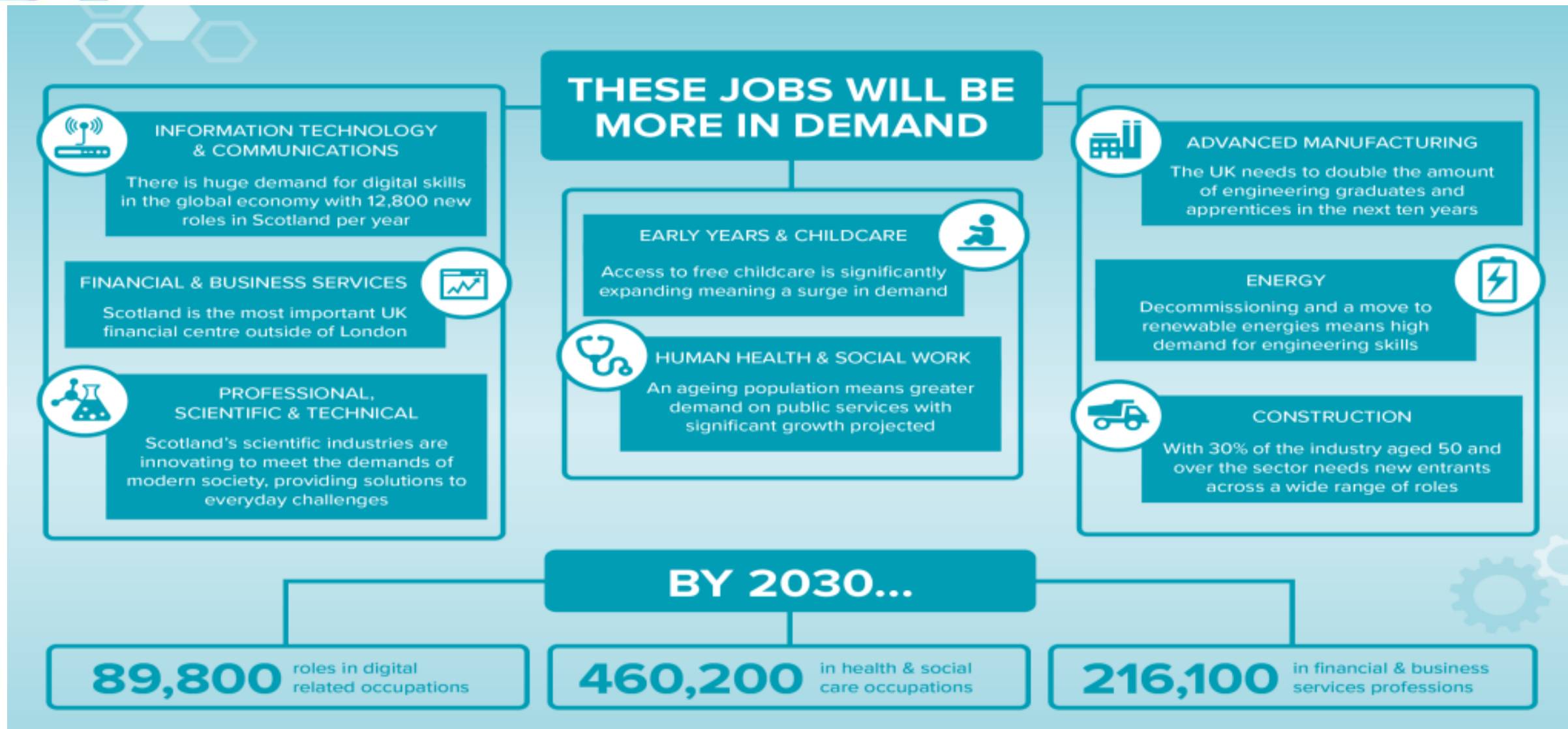
Identify who can help you, and how, in your career journey.

*NETWORKS*

# Skills for the Future



# The Future Labour Market





# Supportive websites for exploring careers & opportunities

- Careers Advisor: [lyn.sutherland@sds.co.uk](mailto:lyn.sutherland@sds.co.uk)
- [www.edinburghguarantee.org](http://www.edinburghguarantee.org)
- [www.mykidscareer.com](http://www.mykidscareer.com)
- [www.digitalworld.net](http://www.digitalworld.net)
- [www.apprenticeships.scot](http://www.apprenticeships.scot)
- [www.myworldofwork.co.uk](http://www.myworldofwork.co.uk)
- [www.planitplus.net](http://www.planitplus.net)





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Any questions?





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Please take 5 minutes to  
give us your feedback

<https://forms.office.com/r/PMaFJj9eQb>





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Thank you

