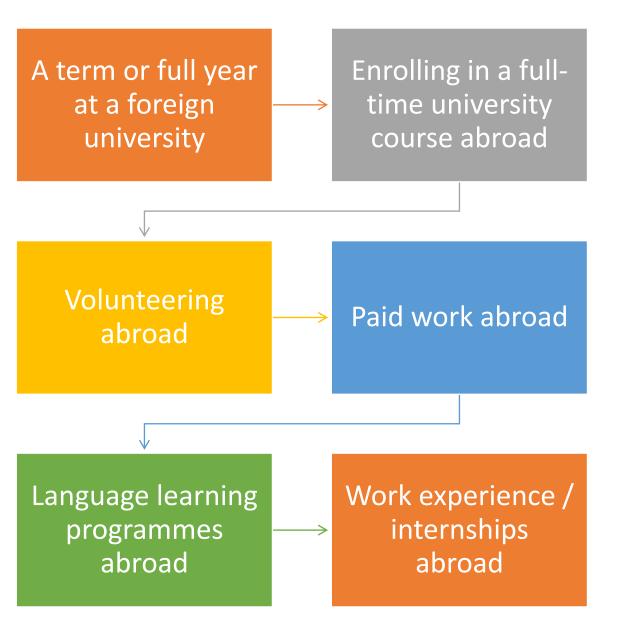
### Working and Studying Abroad

Post-18 opportunities

#### Has your child considered any of the following?





# Studying abroad

## Turing Scheme (previously Erasmus+)

#### UK Government

#### TURING

## SCHEME

The UK's global programme to study and work abroad The UK's global programme for studying, working and living abroad, offering once-in-a-lifetime opportunities for personal and professional development for students.

This year (2022) the funding application submission window started on **31 March** and ended on **29 April**.

## Important considerations



- Hidden costs of working/studying abroad travel, accommodation, currency, Visas
- Many volunteer programmes incur costs
- International courses and scholarships are very competitive
- Visa restrictions may prevent part-time work whilst studying
- Foreign university courses may seem cheaper but are not covered by UK Student Loans
- If considering a 'gap year' before university study, we **strongly** recommend making a UCAS application in Year 13 and then ask to defer a place
- Many UK university courses (not only Modern Languages) offer a 'Year Abroad' in the 2<sup>nd</sup>/3<sup>rd</sup> year - Business, Law, Engineering, English, Politics, Economics, Drama...
- Many university courses in non-English speaking countries may require a Language qualification (e.g. B2/C1 European Framework)

#### Melissa Thompson – Year 13 Student

- Study abroad guide : 'One Stop Shop'
- Applied through Sutton Trust Programme



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## Working abroad

#### **Example programme - Volunteach Peru**





<u>The Teaching</u> <u>Assistantship</u> <u>Internship: paid</u> <u>role</u>

Volunteer and paid placements are available between Peruvian term dates (March – November). Applications for 2023 are now open.



#### **British Council**

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#### Erasmus+ funding for UK students, trainees, academic staff and youth projects

UK students and staff currently participating in the Erasmus+ 2014-2020 programme can participate fully and for the full duration of their placement.

#### Study and work abroad





#### Teach abroad as an English Language Assistant

Teach English in one of 14 destinations. Applications for 2022-23 are now closed.

This year the application submission deadline to work as an English Language Assistant was 1<sup>st</sup> February 2022.

#### How we can help

If you child expresses an interest in studying or working abroad, they should signal this to their form tutor in Year 13

Tutors / Sixth Form collegiate can provide references for work or study courses and read applications

Whilst they are a student at SWCHS, there is central guidance for applying to popular foreign universities

We are able put your child in touch with SWCHS alumni who have been successful

If applying for foreign universities it is strongly recommended to apply to UK universities as well via UCAS as insurance