



WHAT is Engage?

Engage is a Boroughmuir Parent Council careers initiative – its aim is to help S1-S6 pupils connect with professionals in a relaxed environment.

There are three events a year in **September, February/March** and **June**. **Five speakers** from a range of fields tell us about their role and how they got there.

WHO are our Speakers?

Healthcare:

Maddy Millar, *Occupational Therapist*,
NHS Lothian

Data Analytics:

Daniel Batey, *Managing Director*,
Union Data

Politics:

Ian Murray, *MP*,
UK Parliament

Publishing:

Francis Bickmore, *Publishing Director*,
Canongate Books

Geosciences:

Niamh Shortt, *Professor of Health Geographies*,
University of Edinburgh

WHY should you attend?

Attend and you'll get the chance to:

- Meet professionals from a wide range of fields and hear inspiring stories about their decisions and career paths
- Ask them questions in a small-group setting
- Gain information to make subject choice easier
- Hear about different fields of work, from the traditional to the careers of the future
- Make potential contacts for work experience
- Increase your chances five-fold of leaving school with a positive destination
- Learn that there are *always* second chances!

HOW & WHEN does it happen?

Tuesday 28th September 2021

18:30-20:00

Via Zoom

Boroughmuir parents/carers are welcome to join their young people on the call.

Please register at **EventBrite** to receive the meeting link:

<https://boroughmuir-engage-280921.eventbrite.co.uk>