**Email template to secondary schools**

Dear [teacher name],

Calling all KS3 teachers: are you looking to inspire your students, learn about NHS careers and develop their job-seeking skills?

The [**Step into the NHS**](https://www.stepintothenhs.nhs.uk/secondary-schools) competition invites all secondary schools in England to explore over 350 job roles in the NHS, help raise their students’ career aspirations and work towards Gatsby Benchmarks with free resources. This year, teachers can deliver all this learning in just one hour with the new [one lesson launch resource](https://www.stepintothenhs.nhs.uk/secondary-schools#deliver).

**Enter the Step into the NHS competition in three simple steps:**

1. [**Download**](https://www.stepintothenhs.nhs.uk/secondary-schools) the teacher guide, curriculum-linked resources and the competition briefing sheet to inspire entries
2. Or download [**the one lesson launch resource**](https://www.stepintothenhs.nhs.uk/download_file/view/14983) if you’re short on time
3. [**Watch**](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=RPqil65j7hY) the competition video with your class to prepare them to enter

After your pupils have created their entries, it’s easy to submit them online or by post. See our [competition pages](https://www.stepintothenhs.nhs.uk/secondary-schools/KS3-competition) for more information.

Your school and students could be in with a chance of winning great prizes and experiences:

* Overall national winner will get the chance to have their entry put on public display, receive an Amazon voucher worth £50, a certificate, a goody bag and a prize for their class
* Regional winners will each receive an Amazon voucher worth £25, a certificate and a goody bag
* Highly commended certificates will also be awarded
* There is also the chance this year to be featured on our new [online gallery](https://www.stepintothenhs.nhs.uk/secondary-schools) for both entrants and winners

This year is even more special as it’s the 75th birthday of the NHS. We look forward to seeing your entries – make sure they’re submitted by **30 April 2023!**

**Step into the NHS team**

Have questions? Email us at: stepintothenhs@hopscotchconsulting.co.uk