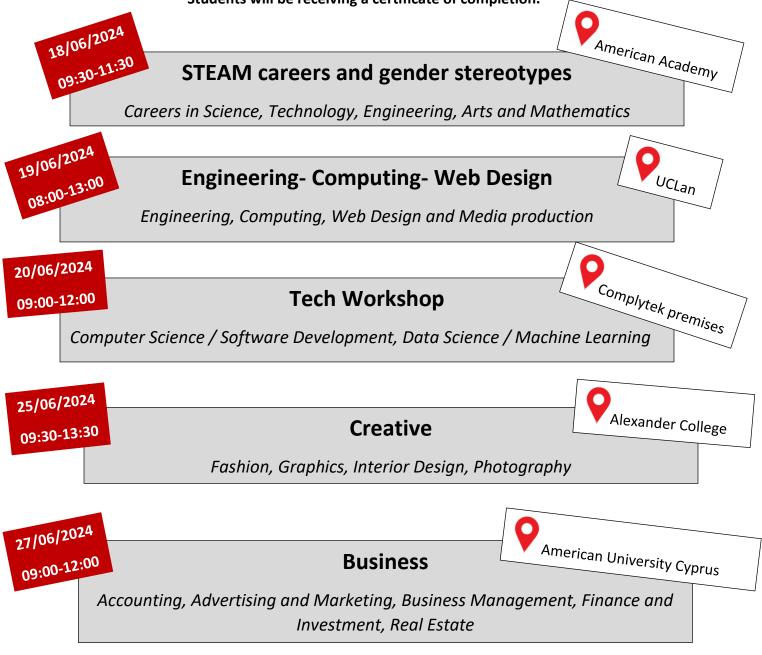
## Career Awareness Scheme

## WORKSHOPS

Students can register for any of the below interactive workshops. Due to the nature of some of the workshops we have a limit of how many students can participate. We will be accepting students on a first come-first served basis. The deadline to register is the 6<sup>th</sup> of June 2024. Students will be receiving a certificate of completion.











## American Academy

## STEAM careers and gender stereotypes

The Academic Counselling Department of our school and the Girls in STEAM Academy are organizing a workshop for year 4-6 boys and girls.

The workshop is designed to critically examine and dismantle gender stereotypes in STEAM fields. Through interactive activities and presentations, we aim to foster meaningful discussions among students, allowing them to express their views, concerns, and insights in a constructive environment. The program is organized into two distinct phases. It begins with engaging activities that help participants get acquainted and introduces them to the complexities of gender issues in STEAM through an interactive quiz on related facts. The second phase intensifies the dialogue by directly confronting gender stereotypes through engaging exercises. Participants will engage in a dynamic "Yes" or "No" response activity to various statements, which challenge preconceived notions and provoke thought. Additionally, a scenarios game will prompt students to consider their actions in hypothetical situations that call for civil courage in the face of gender inequality. The workshop will conclude with a presentation highlighting the importance and impact of inclusive participation in STEAM careers, using local initiatives as examples. Thus, this session is designed to engage students in critical thinking and discussion, preparing them to recognize and challenge gender biases in their current and future educational and professional environments.

Due to the nature of this interactive workshop, there is a <u>limited number of places</u> available. Students interested must register by emailing Mrs Fotini Nicolaou (<u>ffnicolaou@academy.ac.cy</u>)





