

I am writing to let you know of a new “outreach” scheme that the Lister Institute is undertaking.

The Lister Institute funds biomedical research in universities and other not-for-profit organisations. Some of our research scientists have expressed a willingness to give talks in schools and colleges to generate a scientific interest in school children.

Details of which scientists are willing to give talks may be found on our website (www.lister-institute.org.uk) under the tab marked “School Speakers” on the left hand side of the home page. I am writing in the hope that you will be able to pass this information on to head teachers/science teachers in your area. Interested schools/colleges can then contact the scientist direct by email to organise a talk.

This scheme has been designed to generate interest in science amongst school children in the hope that some of them might consider making science their chosen career