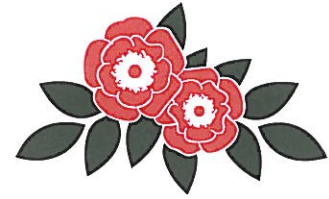


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Winning design for nurses on-line

Pupils at a Preston school have come up with an award winning design to help promote an innovative new project aimed at providing on-line resources for nurses.

Year Ten students at Priory Technology College, Penwortham, were asked to come up with a suitable logo for the Students On-line in Nursing Integrated Curricula (SONIC) project, as part of their GCSE art portfolio. Overall winner was Charlotte Lepre-Slater, with Rachel Gibson and Jenny Ng getting second and third prizes.

The SONIC project is being delivered by a consortium of nursing departments in four universities, including the University of Central Lancashire. As a problem-based learning method (PBL), it encourages nursing students to use web-based learning materials, including practical case studies, to help them in their studies and in day-to-day work situations. Priory Technology College was recruited to help project directors in their aim to publicise the scheme more widely throughout the country.

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Photo Opportunity: The winning pupils will be presented with prizes at the morning assembly on Tuesday 17 December. Staff from the University of Central Lancashire Nursing Department will be there to present the awards. The press are invited to come along and take photographs at approximately 9.00 am. For further information, please contact Pam Culley, University Media & PR Office, tel: 01772 894425.