





# CAREERS NEWSLETTER


This newsletter is a collation of all the opportunities we have heard about from employers and universities. Please use the links included to read more information and apply to anything you are interested in. Links are underlined.


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## OPPORTUNITIES


 Takes place on 19th, 25th and 26th April from 9:00-1:30. All aspiring doctors in years 10-12 are invited to register using [this link](#). These conferences offer tailored advice for medicine and dentistry, covering a range of crucial topics.

 [UK University Search](#) is taking place from the 28th to 30th April, they have five 90-minute sessions each featuring four or five expert panellists who will offer clear, impartial guidance for students looking at taking the next step in their educational journey.

 The House of Lords Social Mobility Work Experience Programme will offer students the opportunity to go beyond the headlines and experience Parliament from the inside. Over one exciting week, participants will explore how the House of Lords operates. Apply [here](#) by Wednesday 22nd April.

 Keystone Pro Bono University Programme supports academically talented students from disadvantaged backgrounds in preparing for admission to top UK universities. You need to be in Year 12 at the time of applying and interested in reading Classics, English, History or Maths at undergraduate level and have GCSE grades of predominantly 7/ 8/ 9/ A/ A\*. Apply [here](#) before 1st May deadline.

 This [Publishing Springpod Careers Insight Programme](#) takes you through eight key modules to explore the full lifecycle, understand the roles that drive success, and build the foundational knowledge required for a career in books and how to bring a creative product to life on a global scale.

 Love Geography? See where it can take you with this on demand [Geography Career Options](#) programme.

 You might be wondering how AI could impact your future job search? [This study](#) conducted by King's College London, analysed millions of job postings and LinkedIn profiles from 2021 to 2025. Take a look to understand their findings.

## JOB OF THE WEEK

 [Satellite Engineer](#)

Satellite engineers design, build, and look after satellites that are used for things like TV, internet, weather forecasting, and space exploration.


They make sure the satellite systems work properly both before and after they are launched into space. This can involve testing equipment, solving technical problems.

The most in-demand jobs in the UK right now are in healthcare, IT and the tech sector, engineering, construction, and education. Roles such as doctors, nurses, carers, software developers, data analysts, engineers, secondary school teachers, are seeing sustained skills shortages and strong hiring. Read more [here](#).




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A CityFibre expert walks you through a real planning challenge based on genuine industry scenarios. You'll explore how planners balance skills, demand, and daily capacity to keep installation dates on track and deliver a smooth experience for customers, even when unexpected changes occur. Complete your industry sprint [here](#).




Enter the [Young Songwriter 2026](#)! It is the leading international songwriting competition for 8-22 year olds and you can win a home recording studio!




[Write on Art](#) is a nationwide competition for 13-19 year olds. Submit a piece of writing about an artwork that interests you to win a place on a Royal College of Art course, a £100 goody bag & more!




Students can apply to this placement relating to an area of science, quantitative social science, computing, technology, engineering or maths - or a combination! Placements take place in a variety of locations including offices, museums, research centres, laboratories or fieldwork settings. Details and how to apply [here](#)



This Green Apprenticeships 90-minute webinar will explore the range of green-sector apprenticeships. Hear from leading industry employers, get application top tips, and listen to apprentices sharing their real experiences. Takes place on Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> May from 5-6:30pm. Sign up [here](#).



There is an Arm, Technology Work Experience Event taking place on Tue 30<sup>th</sup> Jun from 10am – 1pm. Students aged 16-21 take part in a hands-on Micro:bit activity to explore basic coding and understand “Tech for Good” in more detail. With only 60 places available, book yours [here](#).



Your experiences - at school, work and in daily life - matter! This isn't just another survey, it is your chance to speak up and drive change. [The Youth Voice Census](#) is for people aged 11 - 30 in the UK. Your answers will help us understand what you and other young people need right now - whether that is better opportunities, more training courses or improved mental health support.

## EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT

“From shops to distribution centres, to opticians and pharmacies, and Head Offices, ASDA offer a range of opportunities.

ASDA offer school leave and degree apprenticeships, graduate programmes, and optical pre-reg programmes for you to choose from.”

Find out more about [Early Careers at ASDA here](#).

## UNIVERSITY SPOTLIGHT

“Ranked in the Top 50 Universities, at the University of South Wales we deliver courses that will change lives and our world for the better. This is education in action.”

Also offering a travel bursary for their next open day on 13th June.

Explore courses, resources and guides further on their website [here](#).

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### Springboard to Hospitality Summer Kickstart

Training: 6–10 July | Work Experience & Graduation: 13–17 July | London | Ages 16–18 | Free

This exciting two-week programme is designed for school and college leavers who are interested in starting a career in hospitality. Participants will gain industry-recognised qualifications while developing essential employability skills such as communication, interview techniques, and CV building. The programme also includes hands-on activities to help students build confidence and practical experience in a real-world setting. No prior experience or qualifications are required—just enthusiasm and a willingness to learn.



### Leading with Ambition Work Experience at MHA

6–10 July | Hybrid (In-person & Online) | Year 12 | Deadline: 1 May

This week-long work experience programme offers Year 12 students a valuable opportunity to explore careers in professional services. Participants will gain insight into key departments such as audit, tax, and accounts, while developing a deeper understanding of the industry. The programme is designed to help students build confidence, expand their professional awareness, and take their first steps towards future career pathways.

### The BBC and Me: What the BBC Does and Career Opportunities

6 hours | Virtual | Age 13+ | Free

This flexible online work experience programme provides a behind-the-scenes look at how content is created and delivered at BBC. Students will explore the wide variety of roles involved in bringing media to life, from journalism and production to technology, business, and engineering. It's an excellent opportunity to discover different career paths and gain insight into one of the world's leading media organisations.



### Next Steps in London – Wellbeing & Exam Special

Developed by the London Careers Hubs, this special edition magazine is packed with practical advice and resources to support students during exam season. It focuses on managing stress, building resilience, and staying motivated, while also helping students plan their next steps with confidence. The guide also supports schools and colleges in enhancing careers education and engaging parents in line with the latest Gatsby Benchmarks.