

Flourish In the Future



ISSUE 3 - Welcome to your newsletter all about your opportunities to help you flourish in the future! This issue we are concentrating on Apprenticeships as we celebrate National Apprenticeship Week. You can find out more [here](#) or search #NAW2022 on socials Challenge: Take the quiz! How much do you know about Apprenticeships? Click [here](#) to find out



Internships – Year 12 and 13

There is still time to apply for our paid work experience opportunities with KDR, Yordas, and CFC Underwriting for autistic job seekers. See more of our current [internship opportunities!](#)

Calling all year 9 students!

If you are enjoying your Tech, Design, Maths or Science studies at school and would like to know what exciting future these subjects could lead to, then we have the course for you! Our Virtual Routes into STEM course makes finding out about your future STEM options, developing your skills and knowledge, and hearing from experts easy to do. Click on the link to find out more!

[click here](#)

Have you completed tasks on Unifrog?

Login and see what you can do to Flourish in the Future!

[Unifrog](#)



Careers team: Ms Jordan, Miss Goldberg, Mrs Lane, Miss Pye



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Apprenticeships in Energy and Water

This year's National Apprenticeship Week is about building the future, and with the national pledge to cut carbon emissions to net zero by 2050, there's never been a better time to consider an apprenticeship in the energy and utilities sector

An apprenticeship in the energy and utilities sector is an opportunity to train for a new role in a fast-developing set of industries at the forefront of the fight against climate change.

[Click here for more information](#) .

Sign up here: <https://www.surveymonkey.co.uk/r/Goldman-Sachs>

Midwifery Workshop - year 12 and 13

Are you considering a career within Midwifery starting in 2023? Places on our BSc Midwifery course are highly competitive, so we have put together these workshops to help you prepare for your interview and improve your chances of being offered a place.

Our two hour virtual workshops will help you gain the skills to be successful in your application for the BSc (Hons) Midwifery course. The workshops will be run on Microsoft Teams.

Date: **Wednesday 9th February, 5-7pm**

Students interested in attending this workshop will need to book their place through the following link:

<https://www.canterbury.ac.uk/study-here/applying/visit-us/midwifery-virtual-orientation-event>

Spaces are limited to approx. 35 so this opportunity is only for those that are considering applying for Midwifery as it will support their application and personal statement.



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Year 12 - Accounting, Finance and IT Virtual Insight Week

Applications close 13th march. Find out more [here](#).

Year 10-13 NHS Virtual Work experience

NHS Allied Work Experience Programme is in full swing and available for your year 10-13 or S3-S6 students to participate in.

Students who wish to participate in the session on 5th February still have time to register and can register individual spaces or you can register them as a group online on the following link:

<https://alliedhealthmentor.org/nhs-healthcare-careers-virtual-work-experience/>

Year 13 - PWC

We have a variety of programmes for school and college leavers to start their career in Consulting, Operate or Tax - [Explore](#)

Year 13 – Software Engineer Apprenticeship £22-24k

For more info: click [here](#)

Year 10s-13 – Construction

Find out more about an apprenticeship in construction industry with Morgan Sindall click [here](#)

Year 11 and 13 – Latest Apprenticeship Vacancies Click here for [more info](#)
And [here](#)

BAE Apprenticeships – Years 10-13

BAE are offering apprenticeships from level 2 (GCSE) to degree. There are some amazing opportunities including construction, software engineering and finance. The opportunities close in February and re open in November for next year's year 11 and 13. [Click here](#) [More info](#)



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Pathways to Banking and Finance: Pathways to Banking and Finance offers you the opportunity to explore a range of careers in the financial sector. The programme, created with our founding corporate partner Deutsche Bank, will help you make an informed decision about your future career. Through work experience, skills workshops and mentoring, and networking opportunities with finance professionals, you'll be able to experience what working in the financial sector is like and decide whether it's the right choice for you. <https://www.suttontrust.com/our-programmes/pathways-to-banking-and-finance/>

Pathways to Engineering: Pathways to Engineering provides academic and sector-specific support for students who are interested in pursuing a career in Engineering. You can look forward to skills sessions, project work and mentoring where you will have the opportunity to explore whether Engineering is the right path for you, and build the essential knowledge, skills and confidence required to go on to higher education and the world of work. <https://www.suttontrust.com/our-programmes/pathways-to-engineering/>

Pathways to Law: Ever considered a career in law? This two-year programme offers you the opportunity to explore what entering the legal profession might look like. You can look forward to meeting students from across the UK, networking with professionals and developing your skills. Through work experience, skills workshops, mentoring, and networking opportunities with law professionals, you'll be able to experience what working in the law sector is like and decide whether it's the right choice for you. <https://www.suttontrust.com/our-programmes/pathways-to-law/>

Year 11 and 13

Looking for an apprenticeship?

Bank of England [click here](#)

Find an apprenticeship [click here](#)

Want to know more about Apprenticeships?
[Click here](#)



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Apprenticeships

National Apprenticeship Week 2022

Dear Parent/Carer

It's National Apprenticeship week and there are lots of events that for parents and students to find out more about what an apprenticeship means now. Gone are the days where apprenticeships were only for construction trades. Now there is an apprenticeship for almost everything!

Have a read of [Highest Paid Apprenticeships](#) and [Best Apprenticeships in the UK](#) pages. They're chock-full of useful info.

How much do you know about apprenticeships? Take the [quiz here](#)

Apprenticeships and lifelong learning

7th February 2022 | 10-11am | Online event

For parents, apprentices and teachers

This webinar will consist of a panel of expert apprentices, across a range of programmes and levels, answering questions on their experiences in the industry.

[JOIN THE EVENT](#)

Apprenticeship Information:

There are many good resources for finding apprenticeships. Within school we use [Notgoingtouni.com](#), [Findanapprenticeship](#), and [Springpod](#). Do review these with your child as it can become overwhelming with the choice available. Looking at the apprenticeships allows will help your child to get focused for their exams as there will be a required entry level.

Years 10-13 Parent Insight Webinar - Google

Want to find out how your could kickstart their career at one of the biggest technology companies in the world? Join us on **Wednesday 9th March at 6.30pm** to find out about how Google apprenticeships could get your child's career off to a flying start! Click [here](#)

All about APPrenticeships

An apprenticeship is a real job where you learn, gain experience and get paid.
You're an employee with a contract of employment and holiday leave.

Apprenticeship benefits

Gain experience that is appealing to employers

Meet new people

Gain a recognised qualification

Receive all employee benefits

Enjoy a salary of at least the apprentice minimum wage

Intermediate APPrenticeships- Level 2

As an intermediate apprentice, you will work towards qualifications equivalent to five GCSEs, such as NVQ Level 2, and also a knowledge-based qualification, such as a BTEC Diploma and Certificate, which is relevant to the sector and job role. You can advance to advanced and higher apprenticeships.

Advanced APPrenticeships - Level 3

Advanced apprenticeships, also recognised as Level 3 apprenticeships, are commonly considered to be at the same level as two A levels. People with Level 3 qualifications, including A levels, favour the advanced apprenticeship route because it helps to boost work based skills and experience in a given position and sector. As a consequence, some advanced apprenticeships are extremely competitive.

Higher APPrenticeships - Level 4 or above

Higher apprenticeships offer the opportunity to obtain qualifications at the Level 4 or higher level, with the vast bulk of apprentices achieving an NVQ Level 4, HND, or foundation degree. Some also provide opportunity to pursue to Level 7 (which is postgraduate degree level). A higher apprenticeship could last one to five years and involves part-time study at a college, university, or training provider.

Degree APPrenticeships - Level 5-7

Degree apprenticeships are a fresh programme which some universities are providing. As part of their apprenticeship, students earn a full bachelor's or master's degree. Companies, universities, and professional bodies are collaborating to create these programmes. Degree apprenticeships combine work with part-time university study.

Starting an apprenticeship

Requirements change for different apprenticeships, so it is important you research the type of apprenticeship you'd like to apply for.

To start an apprenticeship, you'll need to be:

- 16 or over
- living in England
- not in full-time education





REACHING FOR THE STARS THIS SCHOOL YEAR

TALK TO SOMEONE

If you are feeling stressed or low, make sure you speak to someone who can help you figure out your issue.

LISTEN

Listen to what your teachers tell you and what advice they give you - it is beneficial!



CORRECT EQUIPMENT

Make sure you have the correct equipment for your studies so you don't miss out on important lessons.



EXTRA-CURRICULAR

Doing an extra-curricular activity can help you mentally and physically - plus they're fun!



CATCH THE Z'S

Make sure you have enough sleep! If you are tired, you will not be able to achieve your best.



REVISE

Revise as early as you can so you have plenty of time to cover your topics.



EXTRA RESEARCH

Take some time to do your own research on your subjects to help consolidate your learning.



TIME FOR YOU

Make sure you take a break for yourself to recharge your batteries - a good balance will work great for you outside and inside school.



USE THIS POSTER TO HELP GUIDE YOU REACH YOUR FULL POTENTIAL THIS ACADEMIC YEAR!