

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.

OPPORTUNITIES



Are you interested in finding out more about the NHS's new Medical Apprenticeship? Yes that's right, you can now become a Doctor via an Apprenticeship! [Read the Frequently Asked Questions here.](#)



Buro Happold are currently recruiting for over 40 different summer placements. [Read more and see if there are any that interest you here.](#) *Some of them require you to be studying at degree level so they may be a name to remember for the future rather than applying to right now.*



If you're considering studying Social Work in the future, you'll be interested to hear that [councils across the UK are currently being given extra funding to offer more Apprenticeship opportunities.](#)



Your Career As A Doctor Starts With Medic Mentor. They are a non-profit national medical organisation that invests in wellbeing, mentoring and widening access programmes for all applying students who want to become doctors. Your medical career starts with Medic Mentor, and our mentoring support continues throughout medical school and even when you become a qualified healthcare professional. 1000s of students obtain medical school offers every year with our help. [Learn more here.](#)



Festival of Apprenticeships 2024. [This FREE online event](#) is a one-stop shop for anyone looking to find out more about apprenticeships. From discovering opportunities with organisations first-hand, through to guidance on how to apply for and make the most of an apprenticeship, the event will cover all!

If you have any questions or need support, please email
Zoe.Uphill@akslytham.com

JOB OF THE WEEK



This week's video focuses on the job role of a [Furniture Designer.](#) They are responsible for creating and developing designs for various types of furniture, considering aspects such as aesthetics, functionality, and ergonomics. Watch the video to learn more about how much you could earn, the qualifications you need & what subjects link to this career.

LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION FACT

Listed below are the occupations with the highest median average pay for full-time workers according to ONS research for 2023:

- Chief executives: £84,131
- Marketing, sales and advertising executives: £83,015
- IT directors: £80,000


[Source](#)

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Next Month marks the start of the 2024 UK University and Apprenticeship Search fairs. Exhibitors include Red Brick, Modern and Russell Group Universities and Apprenticeship providers from across a variety of sectors. Each Fair has a range of vital seminars/talks covering topics such as student finance, why take an apprenticeship and how to write a personal statement. We want to give students the floor when it comes to making a decision about their next step. [Read more here.](#)



Are you dreaming of working for a Luxury Fashion House when you're older? It is becoming easier than ever with big companies, such as LVMH now offering [internships](#) and [apprenticeships](#). Want to learn more now? Keep reading...



INSIDE LVMH: Launched in March 2021, the [INSIDE LVMH Platform](#) gives the next generations access to the behind the scenes of the luxury industry and to the LVMH ecosystem. It is a new digital meet-up to find exclusive content and events, and to obtain a unique certification twice a year, the INSIDE LVMH Certificate, to learn the fundamentals of luxury and of LVMH. Read more on the [INSIDE LVMH Program here.](#)



Ready to make your mark in film and TV? Enrol in this [FREE Storytelling Course](#) and ignite your journey into the entertainment industry! Learn the art of transforming your raw ideas into captivating short films that'll leave audiences spellbound!



BAE Submarine Early Careers Open Day will be held during half term on Monday 12th February 2024, tickets must be booked through [the link](#)

EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT

BURO HAPPOLD

"Buro Happold are integrated consulting engineers and advisers. Delivering creative, value led building and city solutions for an ever changing world. Our strength is in our diversity, and you'll join a team that thrives on openness, respect and collaboration."
You can read more about their careers [here.](#)

UNI SPOTLIGHT

"Studying at Bath means joining our multicultural student community on a vibrant, friendly campus in a Historic City. We're a highly ranked university for overall performance, student satisfaction, and graduate employment."

You can read more about University of Bath courses [here.](#)













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17 FREE WAYS TO LEARN SOMETHING NEW courtesy of Martin Lewis. If you're looking to learn a new skill or broaden your knowledge, we've rounded up some free ways to learn something new this year. There are tons of free online and app-based resources that can help you learn and develop new skills in a fun way, from free courses, to tutorials and quizzes – and all can be done in your own time.

Of course, we can't cover everything, so we've picked some favourites below including:

-  [Learn a new language](#)
-  [Free piano lessons](#)
-  [Learn to draw from Disney animators](#)
-  [Free Open University qualifications](#)
-  [Crack the basics of coding](#)
-  [Scope out space & constellations](#)
-  [Improve your typing speed & accuracy](#)
-  [Brush up on hair & beauty techniques](#)
-  [Revisit history with free online museums](#)
-  [Learn how to get the most from AI](#)
-  [Read/listen to ideas for career success](#)
-  [Boost your general knowledge](#)

1-1 Guidance Appointments

If you are in year 11 or 12 and would like a 1-1 guidance interview with Mrs Uphill, please use the link below to book your appointment.

[GUIDANCE INTERVIEW APPOINTMENT](#)



MEET THE PROFESSIONALS

Over the next few months we have a number of our Oaks Alumni coming in to talk to students about their career pathway. Take the opportunity to attend one of our sessions in the Oaks Hall, 1.30-2.15pm.

6TH FEBRUARY
SIMON BOYNTON
DATA AND FINANCE

6TH MARCH
IAN TOTTMAN
MARKETING AND SALES

16TH APRIL
SHEENA KING
BRAND & MARKETING

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Paper Aeroplane Challenge

HOUSE COMPETITION

Wednesday 31st January 2024

Oaks Hall

1.30-2.15pm

If you are interested in joining your house team please speak to your Head of House.

