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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

Knowing what you're good at is one of the keys to finding a career that's right for you, but identifying your strengths and weaknesses isn't always that easy. Join Radio 1's Katie Thistleton for the second series of The Bitesize Careers Podcast, tackling the most popular questions you've asked about the world of work.

Careers expert Mark Anderson explores the opportunities AI is creating and how you can prepare for this brave new world. Many roles require creativity, communication, judgement and ethical thinking. Find out more here.

Tesco apprenticeships are perfect for anyone who wants to kick-start their career while studying towards a qualification. There'll be loads of opportunities for you to grow personally too, with chances to join and connect with supportive colleagues. Check them out here.

As a London Underground Track Apprentice, you will undertake regular placements across the network. Here, you will work alongside our highly skilled track engineers, learning how to maintain a key asset without which London Underground could not operate. Find out more here.

Join this Sprint with the Met Office, and use your skills to understand the relationships within data sets, and, with the help of expert professionals, explore how the Met Office uses data to understand our weather and its implications.

The UK Intelligence Agencies, MI5, MI6 and GCHQ, work together to keep the country safe. Their highly trained staff use cutting edge techniques to uncover and stop plans to harm. Find out more in this session, UK's Intelligence Agencies, Virtual Insight Session. Wed 20th May 11:00AM - 12:00PM. Register here.

Uptree is a free professional network, aimed at students aged 14-21, designed to help you get started in the world of work. Get work experience, find apprenticeships and other opportunities, and begin your dream career. Check out some of the jobs and placements that you may be interested in here.

Dive into the world of apprenticeships with Best Apprenticeships' collection of articles, blogs, guides, and interviews. It's the perfect place to start if you're looking for ideas and inspiration. Discover more here.



## Career of the Week



### Aquaponics Technician

Aquaponics is a sustainable food production system that combines aquaculture (the raising of fish) with hydroponics (the growing of plants in water).

Aquaponics technicians are responsible for the day-to-day operation of aquaponics systems, including feeding the fish, monitoring water quality, and harvesting the plants.

## Labour Market Fact

Jobs involving core AI-related activities are expected to grow to 3.9 million by 2035.

By then, as many as 9.7 million people may work in roles that use AI technology.

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## Opportunities

Google Summer of Code (GSoC) program gives students and beginners in open source an unique opportunity to gain real world experience in open source projects with the newest technologies by working on a 12+ week coding project along with one of the ~200 open source organizations under the support and guidance of talented mentors. [Apply here.](#)

The Allied Healthcare Mentor Residential Summer School is more than just preparation, it's a transformative experience. Across five days, you'll develop the skills, confidence, and portfolio needed to excel in your UCAS application and future healthcare career. 11th-15<sup>th</sup> August in London. [Apply here.](#)

JPMorganChase Work Experience Programme 2026. "We are looking for curious and enthusiastic students aged 14 to 16 (in Year 10 or Year 11 at the start of the programme), who are interested in learning about the finance industry." Find out more and [apply here.](#)

LSE Empower (formerly the Black Achievement Conference) is a one-day online conference for year 12 students of Black heritage from across the UK. This interactive event provides an opportunity for attendees to hear the authentic experiences of Black students and alumni, gain an insight into studying at LSE, and receive bespoke guidance on how to make a competitive application. Deadline is 26<sup>th</sup> April - [Register here.](#)

## Employer Spotlight



"Our critical weather forecasts and groundbreaking climate science help individuals plan for today, and the world prepare for tomorrow. Using supercomputing technology and world-leading expertise, every day we help millions of people make better decisions to stay safe and thrive."

You can [read more about careers at the MET Office here.](#)

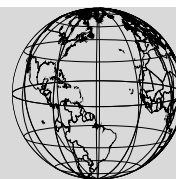
## World Spotlight

**Country:** Iceland

**Key Links:** [Study in Iceland](#) | [Visa information](#)

**Key Information:**

- The University of Iceland and Reykjavik University are the largest institutions. Three of the seven universities are located in the capital, with two in West Iceland and two in the North.
- A Bachelors course in Iceland takes three or four years of full-time study. While nursing (B.S.) and compulsory education (B.Ed.) degrees are classed as professional certification.
- As an international student (of both EU/EEA and non-EU/EEA countries), you won't be charged tuition fees at Iceland's public universities, but you'll be required to pay an annual admin fee. At the University of Iceland this costs ISK 75,000 (around £426).
- Iceland is home to some of Europe's largest glaciers and the world's most active volcanoes. Thingvellir National Park is a UNESCO world heritage site and Gullfoss waterfall is known as the 'golden falls'.



## Uni Spotlight



"Join UWE Bristol as a student and we'll equip you with the knowledge, guidance and experience you'll need for the future you want. You'll be inspired by a supportive community, build your skills using industry-standard kit and practice hands-on learning."

You can [read more about the UWE Bristol here.](#)

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**HOUSE COMPETITION**

# HOUSE 5KM

**Thursday 16th April 2026**

**1.05pm outside the pavilion**

**Come in house kit and be ready to run 5km  
(which is 2.5laps of the fields).**

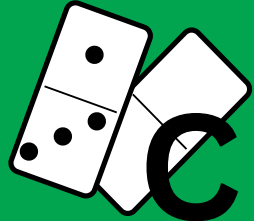
**Medals for all runners.**

**[SIGN UP LINK](#)**

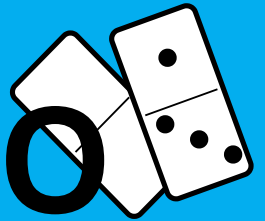


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HOUSE COMPETITION



# CEREAL DOMINO CHALLENGE

Please donate an unopened cereal box to your head of house to take part in our Cereal Dominos challenge.

(No cereal containing nuts)

Gawthorpe-Rm 34

Samlesbury-PE office

Leighton-Rm 38

Rufford- Mrs Fitzpatricks Office - Library Corridor

