



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



Following the announcement of our new Prime Minister, Liz Truss, you may be considering a career in politics. Check out our job of the week to learn about what MPs do. Do you know who your local MP is? If not, use the internet to find out and read about their career!

Systemic barriers make it hard for underrepresented groups to access the exciting opportunities on offer in the Airline Pilot industry. Fantasy Wings is on a mission to change the status quo. As the only programme of its kind, this pioneering course brings together pilots from leading airlines, aviation professionals and flight training organisations to help launch BAME people and women into the aviation industry. To read more, please [click here](#).

Success at School are delighted to announce that their brand new 2022/23 Parents guides to university and apprenticeships will be released digitally on the week commencing 12th September. Both guides will be available for parents and carers to access for FREE and will be sent directly to your inbox along with a free bonus STEM careers guide. Download your copies [here](#).

Not Going to Uni are launching their first Apprenticeship Academy on 14th September 2022. This is a 6 week programme that covers:

- Week 1: What Apprenticeship am I looking for?
- Week 2: Where can I find apprenticeships?
- Week 3: How can I write successful applications?
- Week 4: What will the application process be?
- Week 5: What to expect at interviews and assessments
- Week 6: How to manage my applications

The sessions run after school from 4-5pm. If you cannot make the time, the recording will be sent to you. To sign up for your place, please [click here](#).



JOB OF THE WEEK



MPs represent people's concerns and interests in the House of Commons. You can earn £82,000 to £150,500 per year and expect to work 44-46 hours per week. There will be 5.1% more MP jobs by 2026.

You can read more about this [here](#).

LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION FACT

There are currently **1,056,336** live vacancies in the UK.

The top sectors being recruited for are:
Healthcare & Nursing, Teaching, IT and Engineering,

[Source](#)

If you have any questions or need support, please email swilson@sheldonschool.co.uk or kwitchell@sheldonschool.co.uk



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We hope you had a great summer. Did you manage to spend any time researching or thinking about your career? Maybe you took part in new things that have developed your skills? It might be a good idea to start a reflection log. When you come to apply to university, jobs or apprenticeships in the future, you can use your log to look back and remember what you have taken part in! A reflection log should include:

- What you did
- What you learnt from it
- What skills you gained
- How you felt after doing it



The UK Apprenticeship & University Search Fairs are taking place across the UK and online over the next few months. Find your local event, register for a ticket and you can meet lots of universities, employers and support services all in one place! [Click here](#) to find out more and sign up.



Don't forget, you can use the UniTasterDays site to learn more about different careers, how to access them and what the course at university includes. The information is all in video format, so you can watch in them in your own time, at your own pace. [Click here](#) to see all the videos and find the ones that interest you.



Over the next few weeks, universities will begin to announce their autumn open days. Some will be online and some in person. It is never too soon to start your planning, so check it out and see what they have to offer. [Click here](#) for more information on open days. To find specific universities open day dates, go to their website.



As well as university open days, colleges and sixth forms will also have open evenings for you to learn more about their courses. If you are in Year 11, it is a really good idea to attend these so you can apply early. The earlier you apply, the less things you have on your "to do list" when you start revising for your exams. If you need help, speak to us for careers advice and support.

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EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT

"We recognise that the world works differently now and that you expect to too. We embrace both agile and flexible working, enabling our people to make responsible but informed choices about their working. No matter where you are in the UK if your skills and experience suits one of our roles, we want hear from you."

You can read more about Azets jobs [here](#).

UNI SPOTLIGHT



"Discover the University of Reading, a global university that enjoys a world-class reputation for teaching, research and enterprise. We are proud to report that 94% of graduates are in work or further study within 15 months of graduation."

You can read more about their courses [here](#).