

CAREERS BULLETIN



Careers Bulletin: #113

Week commencing: 2 February 2026

LATEST APPRENTICESHIP VACANCIES

Hays Travel have now opened their apprenticeship recruitment. Opportunities available in both retail and head office. For further information see <https://www.haystravel.co.uk/careers/apprenticeships/>

Seta have now opened their recruitment and have a variety of engineering apprenticeship opportunities available including mechanical, mechatronic and welding. For further information see <https://www.seta.co.uk>

Engineering Maintenance Technician apprenticeship opportunities available with EDF Energy in Hartlepool. For further information see <https://careers.edfenergy.com/job/engineering-maintenance-technician-apprentice-in-hartlepool-jid-1512>

Wind Turbine Technician Apprenticeship with EDF in Durham. For further information see <https://careers.edfenergy.com/job/wind-turbine-technician-apprentice-in-durham-jid-1502>

Project Management Degree Apprenticeship with EDF in Hartlepool (suitable for Year 13 students). For further information see <https://careers.edfenergy.com/job/project-management-degree-apprentice-in-hartlepool-jid-1505>

BAE Systems are currently recruiting for apprenticeship opportunities in mechanical machinist /setter technician and degree apprenticeship opportunity in manufacturing engineering. For further information see https://jobsearch.baesystems.com/search-and-apply?src=JB-13240&search=apprentice&international_locations_checkbox=es=united-kingdom&location_checkboxes=sunderland

Nissan are now currently recruiting for apprenticeship opportunities in the following: maintenance technician, vehicle repair and paint. For further information see <https://careersatnissan.co.uk/apprentices/>

Quantity Surveying Degree Apprenticeship opportunities with National Highways (suitable for Year 13 students) For further information see <https://services.ucas.com/careerfinder/vacancy/174130/quantity-surveying-degree-apprentice>

Health Physics Monitor apprenticeship opportunity with EDF Energy in Hartlepool (suitable for Year 13 students) For further information see <https://careers.edfenergy.com/job/health-physics-monitor-apprentice-in-hartlepool-jid-1503>

CAREERS EVENTS & OPPORTUNITIES

GET INTO LAW VIRTUAL WORK EXPERIENCE EVENING Monday 9 February from 5pm to 6.30pm

Join this Get Into Law Workshop Evening to hear directly from leading law firms and legal experts about the different pathways into the legal profession through interactive workshops. The event is open to students in Years 11, 12 and 13 who would like to explore options such as legal apprenticeships, solicitor training contracts and university pathways. To register, click [here](#).

NATIONAL APPRENTICESHIP WEEK

Starting on Monday 9 February is the annual National Apprenticeship Week – a nationwide celebration of everything linked to Apprenticeships. For more information and links to some resources, click [here](#) to view a letter to parents.

APPRENTICESHIP EXPLORER OPPORTUNITIES FAIR

Thursday 12 February 4pm to 6pm in the Sixth Form Café
We are holding our annual Apprenticeship Opportunities Fair in the Southmoor Sixth Form Café. We have a number of organisations attending to speak to parents and students about Apprenticeships including BAE Systems, Hays Travel, Newcastle College, East Durham College, DWP, McDonald's and many more. The event starts at 4pm. No registration is needed. The event is open to all parents and students, with a focus on Years 11 and 13. Come along and meet with some apprenticeship providers and find out more about the range of apprenticeships available.

APPRENTICE OPEN EVENING

TUESDAY 10TH FEBRUARY 2026 - FROM 6:00PM
NISSAN SPORTS AND LEISURE CENTRE

JOIN US TO LEARN MORE ABOUT OUR APPRENTICESHIPS:

- MAINTENANCE TECHNICIAN
- SPECIAL SKILLS (MANUFACTURING) PAINT SPRAYER
- SPECIAL SKILLS (MANUFACTURING) VEHICLE REPAIR

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 LOCAL LEARNING PROVIDERS

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CONTACT: APPRENTICESHIPS@NISSAN-NUK.CO.UK
 https://careersatnissan.co.uk/
 APPRENTICESHIP APPLICATIONS CLOSE: 15TH FEBRUARY 2025

PLACES ARE LIMITED. PLEASE REGISTER YOUR INTEREST
 EARLY TO AVOID DISAPPOINTMENT!

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**APPRENTICESHIP EXPLORER
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4pm - 6pm

Part of
Apprenticeships
 National Apprenticeship Week



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Unifrog is our online careers platform. For more information about Unifrog, click [here](#) to see our dedicated webpage.

NEW for 2025! Sign-in using your school login details.
On the homepage click on 'Sign in with Microsoft' and use your Office 365 sign-in details (email addresses and school login password)

Upcoming events:

All webinars can be accessed on the Unifrog website by signing-up to receive a link.

Date	Time	Event
5 Feb	16:30	Interactive session: can AI analyse literature and language like we can?
10 Feb	16:30	The U.S. and Venezuela: how have politics, economics and psychology shaped their relationship?
10 Feb	17:30	Games design taster: how creative worlds are built
11 Feb	16:00	Unifrog Apprenticeship Fair
12 Feb	16:30	Sociology taster: what 'Love Island' reveals about power and gender

OPEN EVENTS & TASTER SESSIONS

Click [here](#) to see a summary of the Open Events taking place in Further Education providers in the local area.

KLEEK ACADEMY IN NEWCASTLE – open event on **Thursday 26 February** to showcase training and apprenticeship opportunities in hair, beauty and barbering. Further information and pre-book slot at <https://kleekapprenticeships.co.uk/academies/kleek-academy-newcastle/>

Sunderland College

HICSA campus (Housing Innovation and Construction Skills Academy) Thursday 12 February 5pm – 7pm

Pre-register to attend at <https://sunderlandcollege.ac.uk/the-college/events/>

Sports Academy at Sunderland College

February half term Basketball, Netball and Rugby events open to students in Years 10 and 11. Basketball – Wed 25 February from 1pm to 4pm; Netball – Wed 25 February from 10am to 1pm; Rugby – Mon 23 February from 10.30am to 12.30pm. All of these sessions will be held at Bede Campus. To sign up, click [here](#).

East Durham College

Peterlee Campus/Technical Academy

Wednesday 18 February 5pm – 6.30pm For further information see <https://edc.ac.uk/discover/events/peterlee-campustechnical-academy-open-event>

Gateshead College (all 4 campuses)

Monday 16 February 4.30pm - 7pm

Pre-register to attend at <https://www.gateshead.ac.uk/events/enrolment-event/>

To find out more information or for further careers advice & guidance, please contact Mrs Robinson, our Careers Advisor:

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