



# Apprenticeships

National Apprenticeship Week  
7<sup>th</sup> to 13<sup>th</sup> February 2022

**National Apprenticeship Week** takes place from **Monday 7th to Sunday 13th February** with the aim of raising awareness of apprenticeships.

This is your chance to explore the different levels of qualifications and the industries you can work in, as well as the benefits of apprenticeships and how they compare to university as a potential future pathway.

Be curious. Even if you think you know for sure that university is the path for you, take a look.

You never know what you might discover!

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## UCAS

UCAS's **Discover Apprenticeships** is a live virtual event on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> February 10.00-18.00 offering a variety of sessions to help you understand more about what's involved in apprenticeships.

- Hear from current apprentices about their experiences
- Meet and speak to employers and apprenticeship providers about what opportunities await you
- Discover live interview clinics and CV workshops
- Join live sessions to find out how you can land your dream apprenticeship

Find out more and sign up on this link:

[Discover Apprenticeships | Exhibition | UCAS](#)

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**The National Apprenticeship Show** takes place live online on Wednesday 9th February between 11am - 6pm and will bring together employers and providers with those wanting to find out more about what apprenticeships can offer. Employers will include Sky, NHS, EDF, IBM, Home Office, Google, KPMG and Astra Zeneca amongst others.

Please visit the link below to book your place at the show:

[NAW 2022 \(vfairs.com\)](#)

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Manchester Metropolitan University, a leading university provider of Degree Apprenticeships, will be hosting a dedicated virtual parent and carer session designed to give a clearer understanding of Degree Apprenticeships and the application process, and answer frequently asked questions. This takes place on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> February:

[Introduction to Degree Apprenticeships for Parents and Guardians Tickets, Sat 12 Feb 2022 at 11:30 | Eventbrite](#)

Additionally, you can sign up now for their Degree Apprenticeship open evening, scheduled for Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> March, to hear more about their programmes from current apprenticeships, the academic team, and partner employers.

[Degree Apprenticeship Open Evening March 2022 Tickets, Thu 17 Mar 2022 at 17:00 | Eventbrite](#)

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The **Amazing Apprenticeships** website is a huge source of information. With everything from vacancy snapshots where you can take a look behind the scenes at some of the world's biggest companies and their recruitment processes, to interactive quizzes, to over 200 inspirational free resources to kick start your research, there is so much on offer.

[Apprenticeships - Amazing Apprenticeships](#)

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**Where do you start researching apprenticeships? How do you work out if they could be a good option for you?**

A good way to start is by looking at the subjects you are interested in, the subjects you could see yourself continuing to study after you leave school. Take a look at the subject films and other resources created by Amazing Apprenticeships on the link below.

What apprenticeships are available in each of your favourite subject areas? Did any surprise you?

[Apprenticeship resources for schools, teachers, parents \(amazingapprenticeships.com\)](#)

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**Use these websites to search for current higher and degree apprenticeships:**

[Find and Apply to Apprenticeships | StudentJob UK](#)

[Vacancy Snapshot - Amazing Apprenticeships](#)

[Find an apprenticeship - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](#)

[Apprenticeship jobs \(ucas.com\)](#)

[Degree Apprenticeships | GetMyFirstJob](#)

[Higher & Degree Listing - Amazing Apprenticeships](#)

[Discover Jobs for School & College Leavers in the UK | NGTU \(notgoingtouni.co.uk\)](#)



## Take a look at the full events list for National Apprenticeships Week

There are events covering all sorts of different apprenticeship roles, sectors and key employers, including pathways into engineering, finance, technology, energy, and transport to name but a few. Sign up for those that interest you:

[Upcoming Events - National Apprenticeship Week](#)

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## Still unsure whether an apprenticeship is right for you?

Take a look at this article and video to help you weigh up the pros and cons of both the apprenticeship and university route:

[Apprenticeship v university: What course to take? - BBC News](#)

<https://youtu.be/tDnb9wWhPgE>

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