

## CAREERS MATCHING PROGRAMMES



[www.fasttomato.com](http://www.fasttomato.com) Sign up as a guest user and take a test to find out what kind of careers would suit your personality.



[www.icould.com](http://www.icould.com) Take the Buzz Test and explore career interests you may be suited to.



[www.futurmorph.co.uk](http://www.futurmorph.co.uk) Interested in STEM subjects (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) see what you can become. Futuremorph also has a values game which allows you to think about what is important to you, enabling you to make an informed careers decision.

## CAREERS RESEARCH



[www.nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk](http://www.nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk)

Providing over 750 job profiles, each of them giving essential information including expected salary, what the job involves and entry requirements. The associated careers section allows students to consider other possible careers linked to their original interests. A dedicated careers planning support area is also available.



[www.prospects.ac.uk](http://www.prospects.ac.uk)

The official graduate careers site. Identify which careers your studied subjects can lead to in the future.



[www.careersbox.co.uk](http://www.careersbox.co.uk)

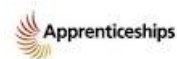
The national online careers film and video library. Undertake the skills explorer to view possible career suggestions.



[www.bestcourse4me.com](http://www.bestcourse4me.com)

is your independent and free guide which shows the link between what you study, what you earn and the jobs you can get.

## APPRENTICESHIPS



[www.apprenticeship.gov.uk](http://www.apprenticeship.gov.uk)

Find out all you need to know about apprenticeships and register and apply.

## HIGHER EDUCATION/UNIVERSITY

[www.ucas.ac.uk](http://www.ucas.ac.uk)

Central organisation through which applications to university are processed. Search by subject to identify which universities are offering degree courses which are of interest to you and the entry requirements.

[www.accessprofessions.com](http://www.accessprofessions.com)

One stop site for aspiration raising opportunities linked to university, graduate careers and the professions.

[www.whatuni.com](http://www.whatuni.com)

University reviews, course rankings and details to help you decide

[www.suttontrust.com](http://www.suttontrust.com)

Offer residential summer schools that are subject specific for year 12 students

[www.push.co.uk](http://www.push.co.uk)

Independent University Guide

[www.nus.org.uk](http://www.nus.org.uk)

National Voice of students; discounts and living life to the full

## SCHOLARSHIP SEARCH

[www.scholarship-search.org.uk](http://www.scholarship-search.org.uk)

Resource for UK student funding from Hardship Funds/Grants to Bursaries, Awards & Academic Scholarships

## ALTERNATIVES TO UNIVERSITY

[www.notgoingtouni.co.uk](http://www.notgoingtouni.co.uk)

To find out more information about distance learning, school leaver programmes and apprenticeships

## CV WRITING AND INTERVIEW PREPARATION

[www.alec.co.uk](http://www.alec.co.uk)      [www.nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk](http://www.nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk)      Free tips on writing your CV, finding a job, handling interviews, plus careers. Recruitment agency sites can be helpful too.

## JOB SEARCH

There are several jobsites where you can upload your CV and employers can search for candidates using keywords. You can also visit a recruitment agency on the high street, as well as recruitment fairs.

## SPECIFIC OCCUPATIONAL AREAS

*(Please note that this is not an all inclusive list)*

Accountancy      [www.icaew.co.uk](http://www.icaew.co.uk), [www.acca.global.com](http://www.acca.global.com) and [www.aiaworldwide.com](http://www.aiaworldwide.com)

Advertising      [www.ipa.co.uk](http://www.ipa.co.uk)

Animal Care      [www.lantra.co.uk](http://www.lantra.co.uk), [www.rspca.org.uk](http://www.rspca.org.uk) and [www.pdsa.org.uk](http://www.pdsa.org.uk)

Architecture      [www.riba.org.uk](http://www.riba.org.uk), [www.architecture.com](http://www.architecture.com)

Army Officer      [www.army.mod.uk](http://www.army.mod.uk), [www.dsfc.ac.uk](http://www.dsfc.ac.uk)

Biochemist      [www.ibms.org](http://www.ibms.org), [www.acb.org.uk](http://www.acb.org.uk) and [www.biochemistry.org](http://www.biochemistry.org)

Civil Engineering      [www.bconstructive.co.uk](http://www.bconstructive.co.uk), [www.istructe.org.uk](http://www.istructe.org.uk) and [www.ice.org.uk](http://www.ice.org.uk)

Chemical Engineer      [www.cogentskills.com](http://www.cogentskills.com) and [www.icheme.org](http://www.icheme.org)

Doctor – GP      [www.healthcareers.nhs.uk](http://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk), [www.rcgp.org.uk](http://www.rcgp.org.uk), [www.ukcat.ac.uk](http://www.ukcat.ac.uk),  
[www.bma.org.uk](http://www.bma.org.uk) and [www.gmc-uk.org](http://www.gmc-uk.org)

Economist      [www.ges.gov.uk](http://www.ges.gov.uk), [www.sbe.co.uk](http://www.sbe.co.uk) [www.bankofenglandjobs.co.uk](http://www.bankofenglandjobs.co.uk)

Electrical Engineer      [www.semta.org.uk](http://www.semta.org.uk)

Fashion Design      [www.csd.org.uk](http://www.csd.org.uk) [www.textileinstitute.org](http://www.textileinstitute.org)

Forensic Psychologist      [www.gov.uk/government/organisations/hm-prison-service](http://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/hm-prison-service)  
[www.skillsforjustice.com](http://www.skillsforjustice.com) and [www.bps.org.uk](http://www.bps.org.uk)

Green Careers      [www.greenenergyjobs.com](http://www.greenenergyjobs.com), [www.greenbiz.com](http://www.greenbiz.com)

Law – Solicitor      [www.lawsociety.org.uk](http://www.lawsociety.org.uk), [www.cilex.org](http://www.cilex.org)

Media      [www.skillset.org](http://www.skillset.org)

NHS Careers      [www.healthcareers.nhs.uk](http://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk), [www.stepintothens.nhs.uk](http://www.stepintothens.nhs.uk)

Nuclear Industry      [www.cogent-ssc.com](http://www.cogent-ssc.com), [www.world-nuclear.org](http://www.world-nuclear.org)

Pharmacist      [www.rpsgb.org.uk](http://www.rpsgb.org.uk)

Police Officer      [www.skillsforjustice.com](http://www.skillsforjustice.com) [www.policecouldyou.co.uk](http://www.policecouldyou.co.uk)

Product Design      [www.ied.org.uk](http://www.ied.org.uk), [www.csd.org.uk](http://www.csd.org.uk)

Sports Coach      [www.sportscoachuk.org](http://www.sportscoachuk.org) [www.bst.org.uk](http://www.bst.org.uk) [www.skillsactive.com](http://www.skillsactive.com)

Speech & Language Therapy      [www.rcslt.org](http://www.rcslt.org)

Teaching      [www.tda.gov.uk](http://www.tda.gov.uk), [www.getintoteaching.education.gov.uk](http://www.getintoteaching.education.gov.uk)

## VOLUNTEERING

[www.vinspired.com](http://www.vinspired.com)

[www.do-it.org](http://www.do-it.org)

[www.volunteeringmatters.org.uk](http://www.volunteeringmatters.org.uk)

## VOLUNTEERING ABROAD / GAP

[www.yearoutgroup.org](http://www.yearoutgroup.org)

[www.frontier.ac.uk](http://www.frontier.ac.uk)

[www.vso.org](http://www.vso.org)

## RESEARCHING THE JOB MARKET

Labour market information can tell you the number of people in certain types of jobs, whether they work full or part-time, how many people are unemployed and what is likely to happen locally.

[www.semplep.com](http://www.semplep.com)      [www.unistats.direct.gov.uk](http://www.unistats.direct.gov.uk)

[www.nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk/advice/in-your-area/Pages/default.aspx](http://www.nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk/advice/in-your-area/Pages/default.aspx)

## **CAREERS OF THE FUTURE:**

The following is a list of those careers which may be in demand for the foreseeable future:

*Please note this is not an all encompassing list, however the intention is to provide a guide of future careers drawing on a range of research which could be subject to change*

### **Technology**

- Programmer
- Internet Specialist
- Systems Analyst
- Network and Cable Engineer
- Web Designer, Copywriter
- Web Host Provider
- Telecommunication Technicians

### **Creative**

- Writer
- Editor
- Journalist
- Designer
- Photographer
- Interior Designer

### **Healthcare**

- Surgeon, Neurosurgeon, Doctor, Consultant
- Dentist, Hygienist, Dental Assistant
- Nurses and Ancillary Healthcare Workers
- Nursery Nurse, Child Carer
- Pharmacologist
- Home Carers
- Physiotherapist, Psycho-Analyst
- Nutritionist
- Dietician

### **Professional**

- MPs
- Local Government
- Public Servants
- Pilot
- Lawyer, Solicitor, Barrister, Court Official
- Veterinary Surgeon
- Air Traffic Controller

### **Commercial**

- Analyst
- Accountant
- Financial Adviser
- Auditor
- HR Strategist
- PR Marketing
- Business Strategist
- Recruitment Consultant
- Business Development Manager
- Market Researcher
- Advertising Executive
- Corporate Event Organiser

### **Beauty Industry**

- Hairstylist
- Beauty Therapist
- Nail Technician
- Fashion Models

## Travel, Leisure and Entertainment

- Life Coach
- Career Counsellor
- Airline crew, ground staff
- Hotel and restaurant staff
- Sports people
- Exercise Coach

## Scientific

- Forensic Scientist
- Nano Technologist
- Research Scientist
- Molecular Scientist
- Medical Practitioner
- Chemical/Nuclear Engineer
- Toxicologist
- Buyer Merchandiser
- Salesperson
- Teacher, Lecturer, Teaching Assistant

## Entertainment

- Dancer
- Broadcaster
- Film Producer/Director
- Actor
- Lighting Director
- Musician
- Theatre Management
- Script Writer

## Security

- Security, Police
- Anti-Terrorist Specialist
- Foreign Diplomat
- Prison Workers
- Customs & Excise Officer
- Immigration Officer

## Construction

- Surveyor, Architect, Construction Workers
- Electrical, Mechanical and Civil Engineers
- Plumber, Carpenter, Plasterer and associated trades

## Green Career Industry

- Wind Power, Solar Power, Organic Farming, Natural Building, Mass Transit
- Holistic Medicine
- Hydropower
- Green Engineering
- Geophysicist
- Meteorologist
- Geothermal Power
- Green Automobiles
- Climatologist
- Environmental Science, Conservation, Clean Energy, Bio fuels, Carbon/ Co2 Emissions