

Apprenticeships



Apprenticeship placements (Blackfen students):

- **Traditions**
- **Unilever**
- **Home Office**
- **Warner Bros HR**
- **Ministry of Justice**
- **Bond Byron Architects**
- **Aspect Capital**
- **Horwich Farely Law Firm**
- **Frank Hirth UK Tax Advisory**
- **Lambeth Council**
- **Met Police**
- **CMS Level 7 (Solicitor Apprenticeship)**

What is an Apprenticeship?



- An Apprenticeship is a career option for you to consider, alongside all other options.
- An Apprenticeship is a **paid job** with **training**, leading to a package of **qualifications** which relate to the job.
- It allows you to be in full-time **work** as well as continuing your **education** and gaining **qualifications**.



You "earn as you learn"

www.careerpilot.org.uk



An Apprenticeship helps you get ahead with.....



Job

Pay

Training

New Skills

Experience

Qualifications

www.careerpilot.org.uk

**Average salary for an
apprentice 2024
£21,203**

**Average salary for a
degree apprenticeship
2024
£23,713**

**The current
minimum
apprenticeship
wage is £6.40
per hour.**

		LEVEL					
UNIVERSITY	8	Doctorate PhD					
	7	Master's Degree MA, MSc,MPhil				Higher Apprenticeships	Degree Apprenticeships
	6	Undergraduate Degree BA, BSc					
	5			Foundation degree FdA, FdSc	Higher National Diploma HND		
	4				Higher National Certificate HNC		
COLLEGE	3	A level	A2 AS	BTEC Nationals		Advanced Apprenticeships	
SCHOOL	2	GCSE Grades 9–4		BTEC Firsts			
	1	GCSE Grades 3–1				Intermediate Apprenticeships	

Apprenticeships



After completing your level 3 courses, ideally you should be looking at a Level 4 'Higher' apprenticeship.

You should only consider level 3 if it is in a specific area where you have little or no experience eg Engineering

- Apprentices are employed and paid a wage throughout the course.
- Apprentices will gain a head start in their chosen profession.
- Training costs are co-funded by the government and the employer
- Apprentices are assessed at the end of the apprenticeship term
- Many apprentices are kept on after their apprenticeship

Apprenticeships...you need to consider this...

- It's a real job, you have to be there on time and do what's expected of you!
- Working and studying on the job can be tough
- Although there are chances to socialise and meet new people. It won't be like going to university!
- You'll get paid....however you will also pay tax and National Insurance

Applying for an apprenticeship

- As an apprenticeship is a job, you apply directly through the employer
- You will need to submit a CV/letter of application
- There will be an interview
- There may be an assessment to complete

How to apply for an apprenticeship



- **www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship**

A screenshot of a web browser displaying the GOV.UK website. The browser's address bar shows the URL "https://www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship". The page has a dark blue header with the GOV.UK logo and a search bar. Below the header, there's a blue banner with a survey link. The main content area is white and titled "Find an apprenticeship". It includes links for searching, creating an account, logging in, and finding apprenticeships in Scotland, Northern Ireland, and Wales. A sidebar on the right contains links for becoming an apprentice, finding a traineeship, and more. The footer includes contact information for the National Apprenticeship Helpdesk.

<https://www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship>

File Edit View Favorites Tools Help

Bexley FSM Blackfen Video Library Eclipse Fronter IntranetOld Office 365 login YouTube Accelerated Reader Intranet Web Slice Gallery Suggested Sites

GOV.UK Search

Tell us what you think of GOV.UK
[Take the 3 minute survey](#) This will open a short survey on another website [No thanks](#)

[Home](#) > [Education and learning](#) > [Apprenticeships, 14 to 19 education and training for work](#)

Find an apprenticeship

[Search the find an apprenticeship service](#) for apprenticeships in England.

You don't need an account to search.

Create an account

You need to [create an account](#) to:

- apply for apprenticeships
- get email and text alerts about new apprenticeships and your applications
- track your applications

Log in to your account

You need your email address and password to [log in](#).

The process is different in [Scotland](#), [Northern Ireland](#) and [Wales](#).

Contact

National Apprenticeship Helpdesk
nationalhelpdesk@findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk

Apprenticeships, 14 to 19 education and training for work

[Become an apprentice](#)
[Find a traineeship](#)
[More](#)

Elsewhere on the web

[Help with your application](#)

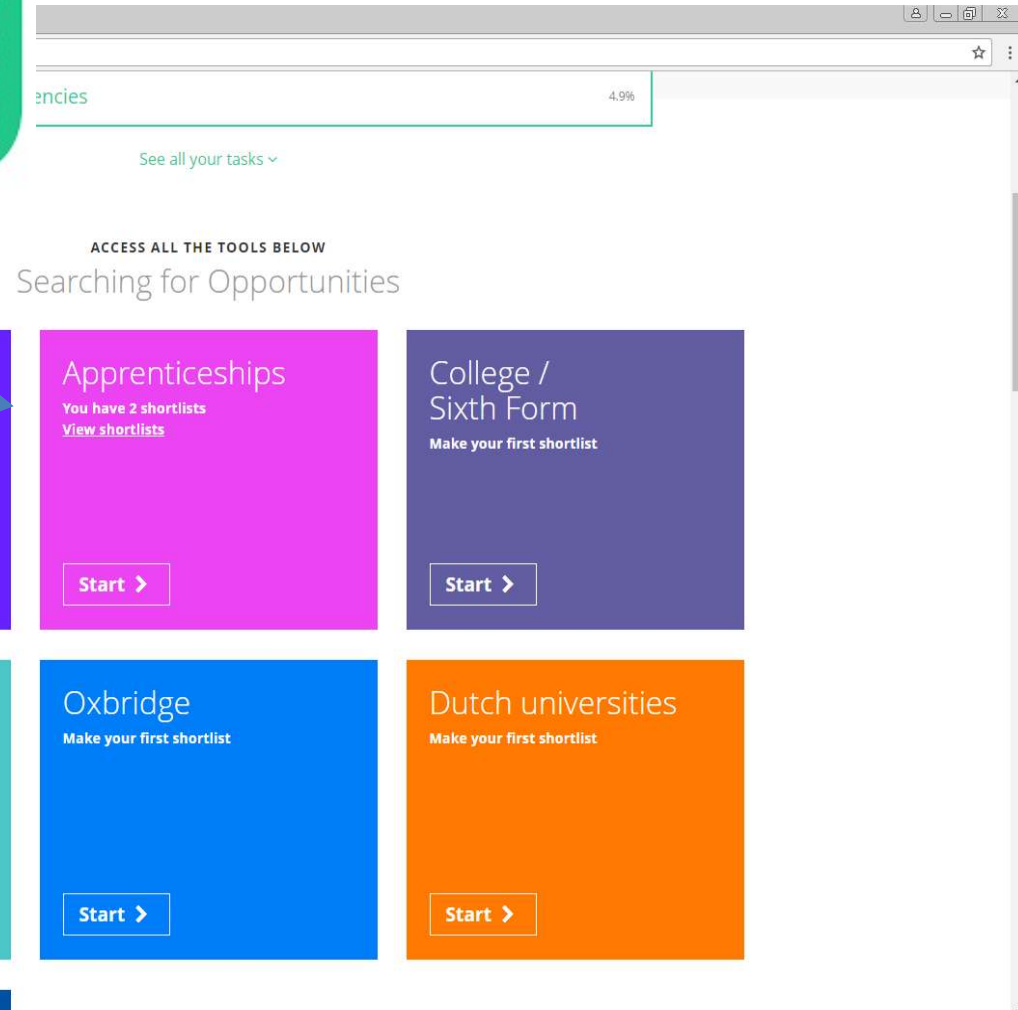
100%

How to apply for an apprenticeship



unifrog

Search for apprenticeships using Unifrog




<https://www.unifrog.org/student/apprenticeships/start>

[https://www.findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk
/apprenticeship/1000217573](https://www.findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk/apprenticeship/1000217573)

Buying and Merchandising Apprentice

AMAZON UK SERVICES LTD.

[Return to search results](#)

 [Print this page](#)

[Report this vacancy](#)

Do you have a curious mind and a thirst for learning? Do you enjoy analysing data, identifying trends, trading patterns and highlighting anomaly's? If you're committed to best serving our customers, and have a passion for learning, this is a fantastic opportunity to join our team.

This apprenticeship requires you to apply through the employer's website.

[Apply now](#)

Closing date: 23 Apr 2024

Apprenticeship summary

Annual wage

£33,592.00

What you will do in your working day

Where you start with Amazon doesn't determine the course of your career, so



Tips for applying for an apprenticeship

- Investigate now – look at possibilities this year (use Unifrog and UCAS)
- Get your CV up to date
- Take up opportunities to build up your CV
- Undertake work experience
- Apply early
- Get interview experience
- Attend 'Skills for London' event in November
- Strive for best grades in your A Level/BTEC qualifications

Further guidance:

<https://www.ucas.com/apprenticeships>

Search

Blackfen School for Girls

KB



General

Posts

Files



Meet



KB



Kim Brewer 21/02, 10:46

Opportunities and Apprenticeships Year 13 <https://www.investment2020.org.uk/employer/mg-plc/>



Reply

22 February 2023

KB



Kim Brewer 22/02, 09:48

Opportunities and Apprenticeships Year 13 Here's a good one....solicitor apprenticeship:
https://www.dlapipergraduates.com/uk/apply/options.html?goal=0_65c6d67e71-734fe13faa-211979485&mc_cid=734fe13faa&mc_eid=4842261ee3



Reply

KB



Kim Brewer 22/02, 09:50

Opportunities and Apprenticeships Year 13 https://www.dlapipergraduates.com/uk/apply/options.html?goal=0_65c6d67e71-734fe13faa-211979485&mc_cid=734fe13faa&mc_eid=4842261ee3





General

Posts

Files



Meet



← Reply



Nicola Eiffert Yesterday 12:52

Opportunities and Apprenticeships Year 13



Newham-06-Mar-2023.xlsx



Sevenoaks-06-Mar-2023.xlsx



Southwark-06-Mar-2023.xlsx



Tower Hamlets-06-Mar-2023.xlsx



Tunbridge Wells-06-Mar-2023.xlsx



Wandsworth-06-Mar-2023.xlsx



Westminster-06-Mar-2023.xlsx



Westminster-06-Mar-2023.xlsx

<https://blackfenschoolforgirls.sharepoint.com/sites/OpportunitiesandApprenticeships/Shared Document>

Westminster-06-Mar-2023.xlsx

← Reply