



CEIAGS update: 13DEC24

UNIFROG should be your 'go-to', your starting point for all things careers related – you can explore a wealth of resources, save them to your area, do quizzes and skill tests, and focus on you. These other resources & opportunities ADD to UNIFROG

- Note that you can access all careers resources on the Magdalen **Sharepoint- student-documents** folder [here](#)
- Previous Careers Newsletters are available [here](#)

CURRENT OPPORTUNITIES:

UpToDate Local Labour Market Information (Oct24) - [here](#)

Details of apprenticeship at Mercedes - [here](#)

Support to access Oxbridge – check criteria and review [here](#)

Thinking of Russell Group universities – guidance [here](#)

Interest in Finance / Banking – look [here](#)

Interested in Law / becoming a solicitor – details of apprenticeships [here](#)

Interested in Cyber security – course [here](#)

Not wanting to go to university but unsure what to do – support [here](#)

Wanting to go to university but not sure of what the subject is like - [here](#)

Work experience

Well done to all **year 10s & Y12s** who have arranged their placements – those not yet done this, **make it a focus now!!**

Links to school work experience documents are [here](#)

This link supports you in preparing for work experience [here](#)

Work experience needn't be limited to the weeks you do in year 10 and year 12 – As an extra, a lot of employers now offer 'virtual' work experience that give a taste and a window into jobs and careers and industries (some cost / some free – take care!)

Great sources of *virtual* work experience is [Springpod](#), and [Speakers-for-schools](#); you'll need to sign up & register with both. I would recommend you look at this.

REFERENCE RESOURCES

Links to National Careers weeks

National Apprenticeship week (February 2025) [here](#)

National University week (December 2024) [here](#)

National Green Careers week (November 2024) [here](#)

National Careers week (March 2025) [here](#)

National Work experience week (April 2025) [here](#)

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Find out more about yourself at Red Bull

[Take the Red Bull Wingfinder to find your next career](#)

Useful starting point: Career Pilot [Careerpilot : Plan your future work & study](#)

Worried about interview questions? Guidance is [here](#)

Careers Webinars are available [here](#) – between now and Christmas – that include interview advice, how to write a cover letter, how to write a CV, and so on. It's worth having a look, not just for year 11s and 13s but for everyone interested in preparing for the future.

Explore your education and training choices

Whether you know where you're heading or not, knowing about the different routes open to you is a great place to start.



National Careers Service

[Explore careers](#) [Skills assessment](#) [Find a course](#) [Contact us](#) [Action plans](#) [Careers advice](#)

The [‘Get the Jump’ Skills for Life content hub](#) on the National Careers Service website has been designed to help young people to understand their post 16 and post 18 education and training choices.

It contains information on how to combine work and study, study options for when you leave school, and work routes. It also provides opportunities to explore careers, take a skills assessment, search for courses, and find careers advice so is worth looking over and ‘book-marking’ for the future. Follow the link [here](#)

There are also **career webinars** here <https://www.eventbrite.com/cc/career-webinars-autumn-series-1162079> Please review - one on work experience may be particularly useful

Apprenticeships:

The National Apprenticeship week is February 2025 – register your interest here <https://nationalapprenticeshipweek.co.uk/>

Websites about Apprenticeships

<https://www.allaboutschooleavers.co.uk/>

<https://www.ratemyapprenticeship.co.uk/>

<https://www.amazingapprenticeships.com/zones/school/>

<https://notgoingtouni.co.uk/>

<https://www.getmyfirstjob.co.uk/>

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

‘Starting work as an Apprentice’:

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z6jf92p>

General information [Apprenticeships - resources](#)

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For Year 12s & 13s, - The National University week was December 2024

<https://nationaluniversityweek.co.uk/> Visit and register – could still be useful!

Year 13s – if you are considering applying for university, you should have visited those you are considering applying to. There are still open days offered, for example:

<https://www.dmu.ac.uk/study/undergraduate-study/open-days/open-days.aspx>

<https://www.buckingham.ac.uk/events/tasters>

<https://www.northampton.ac.uk/about-us/contact-us/open-days/>

<https://www.amazingapprenticeships.com/higher-degree-listing/>

Northampton university an open day - 18 January 2025. Visit UON website for details - <https://www.northampton.ac.uk/>

For Year 12s and 13s, Springpod offer a **university subject spotlight** – if you want to find out more about a subject at university – try [here](#) (Cyberpsychology anyone?)

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