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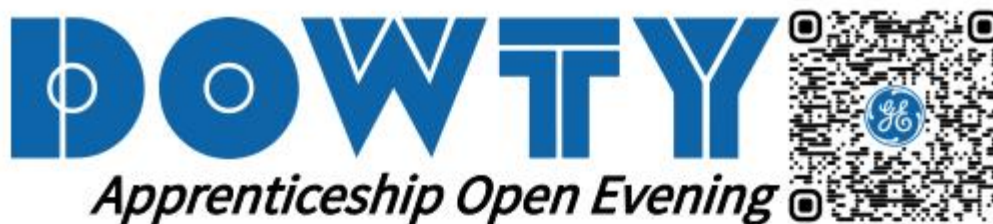
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# Apprenticeships

For information on how to find an apprenticeship you can either search via local college apprenticeship vacancy pages, individual company vacancy pages, via the national [Find an Apprenticeship](#) website or via Unifrog.

During Y10 I feel it is a good idea to have a look at what type of apprenticeship are being advertised so that you can have a think about which ones you might be interested in applying for at the end of Y11. Please click on the below links for more information on some local apprenticeship vacancies that are currently being advertised

## Dowty / GE Aviation Apprenticeship Event – 8<sup>th</sup> March-



### Event Details:

- Interested in a career in aviation or engineering? Come along to one of our open evening sessions on the 8th March!
- Unsure if an apprenticeship is what you want to do? Learn about our wide range of paid apprentice positions and the qualifications that you can achieve along the way.
- Discover the variety of engineering work that we do and how, as an apprentice, you will be able to get involved in a variety of roles across the business.
- This event will provide you with information on available opportunities, and give you the chance to ask industry experts any questions that you have.

### What Dowty Do:

- We are a world class manufacturer of composite propeller blades, used on both civilian and military platforms across the world.
- We started as a small company in 1937, supplying 100,000 propellers for aircraft including the Spitfire and Hurricane.
- Now, with our developed manufacturing techniques and materials, we produce cutting edge composite blades.
- With 20,000 composite blades in service, sites all over the world and 300 million flying hours under our belt, we are keen to carry on our work and design for the future.

If you would like to attend, please sign up for one of the sessions that we are running using the links below. We will be running an early session and a later session with some of our colleagues from GE Aviation based in Bishops Cleeve.



Register for our early session 4pm—5:30pm by scanning the QR code to the left or following this link:

<https://lnkd.in/dgDqXrZ4>

Register for our later session 6pm—7:30pm by scanning the QR code to the right or following this link:

<https://lnkd.in/dCXJz2p>



# Career and Apprenticeship Open Event



 **Redwood Education Centre**  
Gloucestershire Royal Hospital

 **Saturday 5 March 2022**  
11am - 12pm

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## Career and Apprenticeships Open Event

by Gloucestershire Hospitals NHS Foundation Trust

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An open event for young people.

### About this event

### Date and time

Sat, 5 March 2022  
11:00 – 12:00 GMT  
[Add to calendar](#)

### Careers and Apprenticeships Open Event

Do you have a passion for care but you're not sure what pathway to take? Why not come and meet our professionals to talk about what it means to work in healthcare, and more specifically, apprenticeships and careers within Nursing or Midwifery.

**To be held on Saturday, 5th March 2022**

**11:00 – 12:00 GMT**

**Location: Redwood Education Centre, Gloucestershire Royal Hospital, Great Western Road**

**Gloucester**

**GL1 3NN**

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/career-and-apprenticeships-open-event-tickets-256802943517>

This event is free and open to all students in Year 11 and above who either live or study within Gloucestershire. Parents, guardians and carers are more than welcome to accompany (just make sure each person books a ticket!)

Follow us @GH\_Apprentices

- Learn about our wards, departments and specialities
- Discover apprenticeships available – they are an ideal way to learn and earn on the job!
- Meet and chat with some of our current apprentices and healthcare professionals
- Obtain careers advice of current pathways available



## Apprenticeship Recruitment

### Open Evening

Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2022

4pm to 7pm

Are you interested in a career in Engineering?

Do you want to find out more about what's involved?

Then come along to our recruitment event.....

There will be a range of people available to support you, including:

- |                               |   |  |
|-------------------------------|---|--|
| <b>Apprentices</b>            | - | to share with you their views and experiences      |
| <b>Delivery Staff</b>         | - | to discuss the programme content                   |
| <b>Business Service Staff</b> | - | to explain the application and recruitment process |
| <b>Employers</b>              | - | to discuss their current apprenticeship vacancies  |

**Please note booking is essential and a slot  
must be booked in advance.**

**To do so please click the link**

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/get-open-evening-tickets-242976267557>

**or use the QR code below**



**We look forward to welcoming you to GET**

Gloucestershire Engineering Training

Barnwood Point, Corinium Avenue

Barnwood, Gloucester, GL4 3HX





## Engineering Apprenticeships at BorgWarner Apprenticeship Recruitment Open Day Thursday March 10<sup>th</sup>, 2022, 12.00 – 8.00pm

- Are you looking for a career in high-precision engineering?
- Looking to develop skills that will place you amongst the very best in the field?
- Working for a world class company which is a leader in its field?

### Then we would like to meet you...

BorgWarner Technologies are looking for enthusiastic individuals to join our 2022 mechanical engineering apprenticeship training program to become our engineers of the future.

Prospective applicants, parents, school and college parties are invited to visit our Stonehouse site to tour the facility, meet our existing apprentices, find out more about BorgWarner Technologies and our advanced apprenticeship program.

[borgwarner.com](http://borgwarner.com)

For more information or an application pack please contact:

**Gary Miller, Talent Development Manager**

Tel.: 01453 793736 / 07800531873

E-Mail: [garmiller@borgwarner.com](mailto:garmiller@borgwarner.com)

BorgWarner Technologies, Brunel Way,  
Stonehouse, Gloucestershire, GL10 3SX



**Apply  
now!**

Closing date  
for apprenticeship  
applications:  
Friday April 8th, 2022



## Apprenticeship Information Evening

**Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2022**  
Talks at 5:30pm & 6:30pm



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SUPPORT US BELOW THE WATER



## ROYAL NAVY SUBMARINE SERVICE VIRTUAL SHOWCASE

A career in the Submarine Service isn't just a job, it's a journey. Travel the world, gain skills like no other and make friends for life. Where can we take you? Join us on Tuesday 1st March for the brand new Royal Navy Submarine Service Virtual Showcase where you can explore the wide variety of roles we have available, along with the fantastic benefits and experiences that accompany being a Submariner. Tickets are FREE – secure your spot today!

### EVENT DETAILS

ROYAL NAVY SUBMARINE SERVICE VIRTUAL SHOWCASE  
TUESDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> MARCH 2022  
18:30

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## Gloucestershire Apprenticeship Schemes

Scheme	Provider	Level	Minimum Entry Requirements	Minimum Grade Requirements	Qualification on Completion
Building Maintenance	Gloucestershire College	2	GCSEs or Functional Skills	Grade 3/D in Maths and English or Functional Skills (level 1)	Level 2 Property Maintenance Operative
Engineering Technician	Gloucester Engineering Training	3	GCSEs	Grade 5/B in Maths and grade 4/C in four other subjects including Science and English	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Level 2 Diploma in Advanced Manufacturing Engineering</li> <li>Level 3 Diploma in Advanced Manufacturing Engineering</li> <li>Level 3 Diploma in Advanced Manufacturing and Engineering</li> </ul>
Manufacturing	Gloucester Engineering Training	3	GCSEs	Grade 3/D including Maths, English and Science	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Level 2 Diploma in Machining</li> <li>Level 2 Diploma in Advanced Manufacturing Engineering</li> <li>Level 3 Diploma in Machining</li> <li>Level 3 Diploma in Advanced Manufacturing and Engineering</li> </ul>
Business (Commercial)	South Glos & Stroud College	3	GCSEs	Grade 4/C in Maths, English and 3 other subjects	City & Guilds Level 3 Diploma for the Business Administrator
IT (Trainee Support Analyst)	Gloucestershire College	3	GCSEs	Grade 4/C in Maths, English, IT and 2 other subjects	Level 3 Infrastructure Technician Standard
Software Tester	Gloucestershire College	4	A-levels or Level 3 IT Apprenticeship	GCSE's Grade 4/C in Maths, English and 3 other subjects and 2 A-levels (one in a STEM subject)	Level 4 Software Tester Apprenticeship
Embedded Electronic Engineer	Gloucestershire College & University of the West of England	6	A-levels	Grade BBB (120 UCAS points) in Maths and two of the following subjects: Computing/Computer Science, Design & Technology, Electronics; Engineering, ICT or Further Maths	BEng (Hons) in Electronic and Computer Engineering
Software Engineer	University of Exeter	6	A-levels or BTEC	Grade AAB or a BTEC Level 3 Extended Diploma at DDD, in a Computer Science related subject	BSc in Digital and Technology Solutions
Mechanical Engineer	University of the West of England	6	A-levels or Engineering Technician Apprenticeship	Grade BBB, including Maths, a Science and another STEM subject or a Level 3 Engineering Technician Apprenticeship at Distinction level	BEng (Hons) in Mechanical Engineering
Manufacturing Engineer	Gloucestershire College & University of the West of England	6	A-levels or Engineering Technician Apprenticeship	Grade BBB (or 120 UCAS points) in Maths, a Science and another STEM subject or a Level 3 Engineering Technician Apprenticeship at Distinction level	BEng (Hons) in Manufacturing Engineering

More details about the schemes, the most up to date information and application forms can be found at:  
[www.renishaw.com/careers](http://www.renishaw.com/careers)

## Apprenticeships

**Job** AAT Apprenticeship - Intermediate Level

**Employer** Henson Motor Group

**Location** Henson Motor Group, Henson Motor Group, Henson Motor Group

**Key dates**

<b>Deadline</b>	25 May
<b>Interview</b>	Check their site
<b>Start</b>	25 May

**Qualification required**

English and maths at GCSE level - 6 grade (or equivalent) or above

**Skills and personal qualities required**

The successful candidate will be proficient in using Microsoft Excel and managing spreadsheets. They will be confident with numbers and have a high level of attention to detail.

- A passion for accountancy
- Professional attitude
- Well organised

**Quick facts**

<b>£</b>	<b>🕒</b>	<b>🏢</b>	<b>📅</b>	<b>🚗</b>
<b>Weekly Wage</b>	<b>Hours a week</b>	<b>Employment type</b>	<b>Duration</b>	<b>Distance from home</b>
Competitive	Working 8.5-10 Minutes from	5	12 months	1 miles

**Job description**

The apprentice will gain experience in a range of duties for which they will be responsible:

- Purchasing and/or
- Stock control
- Financial forecasting
- Preparing invoices
- Allocation of expenses
- Customer relationship
- Processing transactions

**Employer description**

Henson Motor Group is one of the UK's largest car superstores. Established in 1986 Henson Motor Group was the first to provide the car and van superstore concept, now only in the North East.

- Students can find live apprenticeship vacancies
- Vacancies are updated daily
- Rank and filter opportunities by factors like distance from home, weekly wage and application deadlines
- Direct link to the 'apply' page
- Each apprenticeship vacancy includes practical information about the opportunity, employer and training
- Save unlimited shortlists to refer back to later

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We are extremely lucky in Gloucestershire to be served by a wide variety of colleges, all of which have different strengths and focuses. From Hartpury's Countryside Management course through to SGS's Sports Journalism BTEC, no matter what your passion there are Post-16 courses to aid you to get your dream job. Please click on the below college name to be taken to their website and below you will also find up-to-date information on their open-days and taster sessions.

**Cirencester College** – their next openday is:- Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> April – you need to BOOK onto this event.  
[April Open Day – Cirencester College](#)

**Higher Education and Careers Convention – Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> March** – We have over 70 exhibitors from a range of employers as well as Universities coming to the college to talk to our students. We will also be inviting all our current applicants and parents to visit the convention which runs from 1pm to 6pm.

**Apprenticeship Information Evening – Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> March** – we are running two sessions at 5.30pm and 6.30pm on our Apprenticeship offering – and an information poster is attached for distribution to interested students and parents.

**High Achievers Academy Information Evening - Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> March, 6pm** – Our High Achievers Academy offers our most able students additional support to develop higher level academic skills with weekly tutor groups and workshops. We also run tutor groups for students interested in Medicine, Dentistry or Veterinary to offer them tailored support with the application process. We are attaching a flyer which can be sent through to interested students and parents.

**Open Day – Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> April – 10am to 3.30pm.** Bookings for our next Open Day are **now open** – please encourage any student who has not made a decision about their post-16 option to register for this event and book subject talks. Our new format Open Days have been extremely popular with most subject talks filling up fast. A flyer is attached.



The flyer is for an Apprenticeship Information Evening at Cirencester College. It features the college's logo at the top left. The main title 'Apprenticeship' is in a large, bold, purple font, with 'Information Evening' in a smaller, italicized purple font below it. The date 'Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2022' is in a bold black font, followed by 'Talks at 5:30pm & 6:30pm' in a smaller italicized black font. Below this is a photograph of four students (three women and one man) smiling. Under the photo, text states: 'The Apprenticeship Team at Cirencester College offer a wide range of Apprenticeship training across different levels in the following areas:'. This is followed by a bulleted list of areas: Accountancy, Business and Administration, Digital Media & Design, Customer Service, Financial Services IT & Computing, Marketing & Social Media, Teaching & Learning in Schools, and Supervisory & Management. Below the list, it says 'Register online now at www.cirencester.ac.uk to reserve a place'. At the bottom, it provides the phone number 'T: 01285 626103' and email 'E: apprenticeships@cirencester.ac.uk W: www.apprenticeships.org.uk'. The footer includes social media icons for Facebook, Twitter, and Instagram, all labeled 'Cirencester College Apprenticeship Team'.

**Apprenticeship**  
*Information Evening*  
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Cirencester College Apprenticeship Team



Gloucestershire College - their next openday is:-

A promotional poster for Gloucestershire College's Open Evening 2022. The background features a young man with glasses looking at a computer screen. A large blue location pin graphic is overlaid on the image. The text 'OPEN .22' is in the top right corner. Below it, the slogan 'YOUR FUTURE, UNLOCKED.' is displayed in white text on blue rectangular backgrounds. Further down, it says 'Find out more and book your place at [gcisopen.co.uk](https://gcisopen.co.uk)'. The Gloucestershire College logo (GC) is in the bottom right. A circular graphic on the left lists the 'OPEN EVENINGS' for three campuses: Gloucester Campus (2 March 5.00pm - 8.00pm), Cheltenham Campus (7 March 5.00pm - 8.00pm), and Forest of Dean Campus (9 March 5.00pm - 8.00pm).

Students can sign up by visiting the website or clicking on this link [Open Evening Gloucestershire College | Gloucestershire College \(gloscol.ac.uk\)](https://gloscol.ac.uk)

We will also be having our annual **Apprenticeship Open Evening on Wednesday 16th March** from 5.00-8.00pm at our Gloucester Campus. Students can sign up by visiting the website or clicking on this link [Apprenticeship Open Evening | Gloucestershire College \(gloscol.ac.uk\)](https://gloscol.ac.uk)

**GET-** If you want an engineering apprenticeship you MUST attend this - [Gloucestershire Engineering Training | Home \(get-trained.org\)](https://get-trained.org)

A poster for the GET Gloucestershire Engineering Training Apprenticeship Recruitment Open Evening. The header features the 'get' logo and 'Gloucestershire Engineering Training'. The main title is 'Apprenticeship Recruitment Open Evening' followed by the date 'Thursday 3rd March 2022' and time '4pm to 7pm'. It asks if the reader is interested in a career in engineering and invites them to the event. A list of attendees includes Apprentices, Delivery Staff, Business Service Staff, and Employers, each with a brief description of their role. It emphasizes that booking is essential and provides a link to book: <https://www.eventsforus.co.uk/get-open-evening-tickets-247976267057>. A QR code is also provided for booking. The footer states 'We look forward to welcoming you to GET' and provides the address: Gloucestershire Engineering Training, Barnwood Point, Corinium Avenue, Barnwood, Gloucester, GL4 3HX.

**Hartpury College** – Please see below the note on Opendays... and visit the web link to register to visit the campus [Open Days | College | Hartpury University and Hartpury College](#)

## VISITING CAMPUS

Our campus open events are full at the moment. If you're applying or have applied for September 2022, we're busy putting plans in place to make sure you have the opportunity to visit us, safely.

Please complete this form to let us know that you're interested in visiting our campus. We'll soon be in touch with more information on how you can visit. This could be a place on an existing open event or an opportunity to visit us on a different date.

Please note, we'll require attendees for any campus-based visits to complete a Covid-19 lateral flow test and show the NHS email/SMS negative result on arrival. We'll continue to monitor and respond to government guidance and be in touch if anything changes

**REGISTER INTEREST** ➤

**MPCT** – For more information why not look at their recent newsletter

**Stage Door Learning** -

**South Gloucestershire & Stroud (SGS)** – Future Fridays Zoom on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> September and their next open-day is:-

SGS	Thursday	In person	28th	April	2022	5.30pm-8pm
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## #NCW2022 VIRTUAL Careers Fair.



### Virtual Careers Fair

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- ✓ No registration required
- ✓ No data is collected from students.
- ✓ Tons of opportunities for students to explore

[ncw2022.co.uk](https://ncw2022.co.uk)

7th - 12th March 2022



# One-to-One Careers Appointments



Independent and unbiased careers guidance is provided by Mrs Georgie Blackburn, a professional careers advisor, who visits the school once a week during term time to meet with students individually and to give group talks. We try to arrange at least one appointment during KS4 for every single Severn Vale student, most will receive two meetings.

If you would like to book a careers appointment please email [noakey@severnvaeschool.com](mailto:noakey@severnvaeschool.com)





Just as Gloucestershire has a wide range of colleges it also has a wide range of Sixth Forms, each one having its own strengths and offering unique opportunities. Not all sixth forms are the same, and therefore please make sure you visit as many open-days as possible. Please click on the below Sixth Form name to be taken to their website and below you will also find up-to-date information on their open-days and taster sessions.

[All Saints Academy](#) -

[Archway School Sixth Form](#) - Archway are taking part in a Careers Zoom on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> January 2022

[Balcarras School](#) -

[Cheltenham Bournside School](#) -

[Chosen Hill School](#) -

[Churchdown School](#) -

[The Crypt School](#) -

[Denmark Road Sixth Form](#) - [Denmark Road High School - Denmark Road Sixth Form](#)

[Holmleigh Park Sixth Form](#) -

[Katherine Lady Berkley School](#) -

[Marling Sixth Form](#) - Key Dates for Marling Sixth Form

**March 2022** - Advice and Guidance meetings for all new applicants to discuss subject choices and additional interests. **June 2022** - Sixth Form Induction Days

[Pates Sixth Form](#) -

[Ribston Hall Sixth Form](#) -



The poster for Ribston Hall Sixth Form features the school's crest and the text 'Sixth Form' in a large, bold font. Below this, it says 'The Sixth form that places you at the centre of everything we do'. There are three small images showing students in various settings. The main text reads 'Sixth Form applications are now due!'. Below this, it says 'Please submit your form by 28th February. If you have any queries, please contact the Sixth Form team on sixthform@ribstonhall.gloucs.sch.uk'. At the bottom, there are three QR codes labeled 'Sixth Form website', 'Subject Information Booklet', and 'Application Form'. The logo 'we are RIBSTON' is at the bottom right.

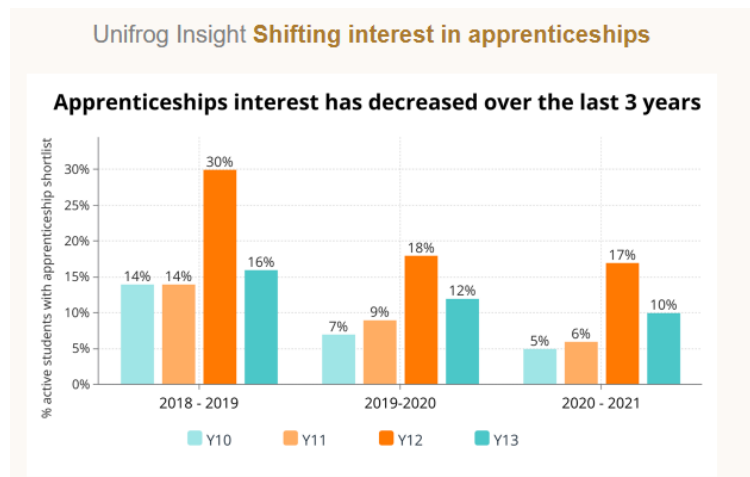
[Sir Thomas Rich's Sixth Form](#) -

[St Peter's RC High School](#) - **Applications will Close on Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2022 -**

[Stroud High School Sixth Form](#) -

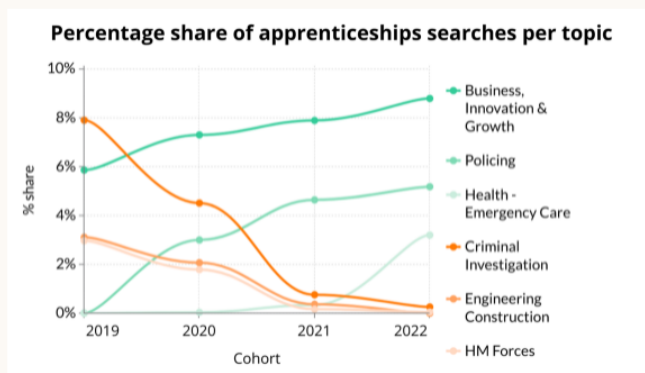
## Launch of Unifrog

September saw the launch of Unifrog at Seven Vale School. To support our commitment to provide students with outstanding careers guidance and tailored support when choosing their next step after school, we will now be using Unifrog; an award-winning, online careers platform. The Unifrog platform is designed to support learners in making the most informed decisions about their futures and has a range of tools that are suitable for all year groups. Each student (Years 7-11) has their own personal account that provides a wide range of information related to their interests and aspirations.



## Unifrog Insights: Shifting interest in apprenticeships

The pandemic also appears to have had an impact on **which sectors students are searching** for apprenticeship opportunities in. The chart below shows the three sectors that have seen the highest growth in popularity, and the three that have seen the biggest drop:



While apprenticeships in HM Forces and Engineering Construction have seen a decline in interest, sectors in which workers have been prominent during the pandemic have benefitted. Students have been searching for opportunities in **Policing** and **Emergency Care**, both sectors in which workers visibly continued to work throughout lockdowns, as well as opportunities in **Business, Innovation & Growth** which may be down to apprenticeships in this sector tending to be easier to do remotely.

## Work Experience & Careers Fairs

While Severn Vale School's Y10 Work experience takes place in the 1<sup>st</sup> week of July (4<sup>th</sup> -8<sup>th</sup> July 2022) work experience is not limited to this one week in July nor is it limited to just Y10s. I would encourage students from Y10 and Y11 to also have a placement in the summer holidays as well as taking advantage of the weekend 'insight into industry' days that are offered by local companies and the GROWS network. Please see below for current work experience / insight into industry days.



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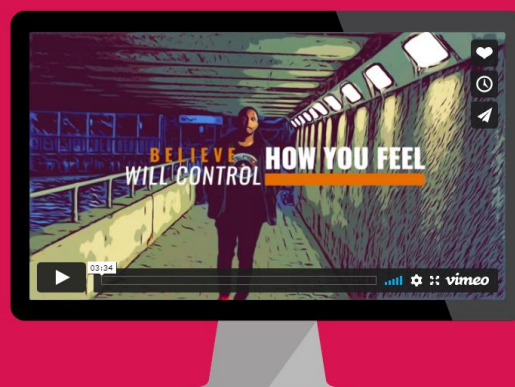
Tens of thousands of students across the country took part in Careers Week last year, having an opportunity to access the Virtual Careers Fair and take part in other careers activities.


The careers fair had close to 100 exhibitors last year for you to look at and investigate.

You don't just have to be in school to access the Virtual Careers Fair though.

After the 7th March, you can visit:

[ncw2022.co.uk](https://ncw2022.co.uk)





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## Healthcare Science Week

by Gloucestershire Hospitals NHS  
Foundation Trust

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We are celebrating Healthcare Science Week and inviting you to come and see what our Healthcare scientists do.

Date and time  
Sat, 12 March 2022  
10:00 – 14:00 GMT

Healthcare Science Event	
<p>Healthcare science week is an annual celebration to raise awareness for the many careers in healthcare science. It provides our healthcare science professionals with an opportunity to promote their profession and inspire the scientific workforce of the future.</p>	<p>We are proud to present students, guardians and career advisors a unique opportunity to attend an event hosted by Gloucestershire Hospitals and Medical Mavericks to showcase the interesting world of Healthcare Science. You will be able to engage with our scientists, talk about their careers and what interests them to go down this career pathway. You will have an opportunity to have a go at some of their specialist equipment and you can walk away from the event with a couple of goodies courtesy of GHNHSFT as well as a certificate of attendance which can be used in your portfolio when applying for higher education.</p>
<p><b>To be held on Saturday 12th March 2022</b></p>	<p>- <a href="https://www.medicalmavericks.co.uk">https://www.medicalmavericks.co.uk</a> will be showcasing all the wonderful and quirky things that our talented Healthcare Scientists do.</p>
<p><b>10:00 – 14:00 GMT</b></p>	<p>Our specialists will be from:</p>
<p><b>Cheltenham General Hospital site, Sandford Education Centre</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Pathology</li> <li>• Vascular Science</li> <li>• Histopathology</li> <li>• Neurophysiology</li> <li>• Audiology</li> <li>• Reconstructive Science</li> <li>• Radiotherapy</li> </ul>
<p>Please ask your students to book their place using the Eventbrite link below.</p>	<p>And many more.</p>
<p>Students may need to use Google Chrome to open the link <a href="https://www.eventbrite.com/e/healthcare-science-week-tickets-265918016947">https://www.eventbrite.com/e/healthcare-science-week-tickets-265918016947</a></p>	<p>If you have any queries, please contact Sana Khan on 0300 422 5113 or email: <a href="mailto:sana.khan28@nhs.net">sana.khan28@nhs.net</a></p>
<p>Please see attached Posters for this event</p>	





We, the UK Space Agency, have announced the opening of our [SatelLife Competition](#) today.

The competition asks young people (aged 11-22) for their ideas on how satellites can benefit life on Earth, with the chance to win a share of £50,000 and expert advice for their ideas.

We would appreciate if you could support the competition and share the message on social media to engage as many young people as possible. Please see our posts below:

Twitter: <https://twitter.com/spacegovuk/status/1489168242631495682>

Facebook: <https://fb.watch/aXmAC0jeVd/>

Instagram: [https://www.instagram.com/p/CZgo4eiMuK0/?utm\\_medium=copy\\_link](https://www.instagram.com/p/CZgo4eiMuK0/?utm_medium=copy_link)

If you would like to share your own post, you can find our [press](#)

[notice](#) and [resource/application](#) pages here.

Thank you for your time and support.

Best wishes

**Thursday 3rd March – The Apprenticeship Company are coming to Severn Vale for a Business Breakfast in The Space / old LRC / Library – 8.20 – 8.50 am**



**Friday 4<sup>th</sup> March – Cheltenham Town Football Club are coming to Severn Vale for a Business Breakfast in The Space / old LRC / Library – 8.20 – 8.50 am**

We are looking to recruit students/players for the CTFC U19 Development Football Programme for next year. (Current Y11s).

We are looking to invite all prospective students who are interested in representing CTFC alongside their education at ASA to some Open Training session that will be delivered by the Academy coaching staff.

Dates, times and locations for these open sessions will be confirmed at a later date, and all player who complete the registration form will be made aware of this.

Please may you pass on the link below to any students at your school who may be interested in representing a professional football club alongside completing their education at an established and high performing 6th form.

To register your interest in these open training sessions, please complete the form below:

<https://forms.gle/rMvsbr2AdSJRgFSP7>

If you have any questions or queries about the CTFC U19 Development Programme, please don't hesitate to drop me an email, or pass on my details below to any parents of students who are interested.

# Post-16 Timeline

I have had some requests from parents & students for a suggested timeline around Post-16 applications for current Year 11s – please find a guide below:-

**September 2021** - There are lots of school Sixth Forms and Colleges in Gloucestershire and so using the summer holidays to whittle them down to a shortlist may well be a sensible first step in deciding where to go after Severn Vale School. Why not begin researching via Unifrog or 6th Form / Colleges own websites. Aim to compile a short-list of Post-16 choices by the end of September, having checked first that your GCSE estimated grades are on target to meet the course requirements. Following this you need to apply to attend a selection of open-days / open evenings (**Top tip** - If applicable - remember to research what student bursaries are available for you to apply for e.g. travel bursaries).

**Sept - November 2021** - Attend at least two College or Sixth Form open-days (these may be in-person or virtual open-days depending on Covid-19). Most colleges only have a couple of open days a year, while some Sixth Forms only have one a year and so you do need to get organised early. Please note you will find many of the popular colleges open-days get full early. (**Top tip** - Severn Vale School will be issuing all students with a list of open-days at the start of September but some are already being advertised (see Colleges & Sixth Form pages of Newsletter for more information)).

**FLD 25th November 2021** - Severn Vale School will be taking all of Year 11 off timetable for the day to allow them to visit a Post-16 destination of their choice. Transport will be provided by Severn Vale School, however as students are only able to visit one venue, it is important that students choose carefully. As well as getting to see the facilities, an open day is a great opportunity to find out more about the different courses on offer from those who teach and study it - current students and academic staff. (**Top tip** - For many students choosing a college or sixth form is a bit like buying a house - and so you may well find that you end up going with your gut feeling and choosing the college or sixth form that feels like it could be your home for the next 2 years. Remember what is right for your friends might not be right for you).

**November – December 2021 - January 2022** - Submit applications to College / Sixth Forms (**Top tip** - you can submit multiple applications and can also accept courses at more than one provider, and you do not need to decide on where you are going until GCSE Results Day in August 2022)

**December 2021** – Complete, via Unifrog, your Post-16 destination form, remembering to include a Plan A and a Plan B – this information will allow us to be able to review all of Year 11s applications and do a check on suitability and ensure all of Year 11 have the balance right between being aspirational and attainable.

**January - February 2022** - If appropriate - apply to local grammar schools - please see their website for the application window (normally only a few weeks).

**February - May 2022** - If appropriate - apply for apprenticeships via either Unifrog or Find and Apprenticeship website [Find an apprenticeship \(findanapprenticeship.service.gov.uk\)](https://findanapprenticeship.service.gov.uk)

**August 2022** - GCSE results day - decide on which Post-16 place you are going to enrol at.