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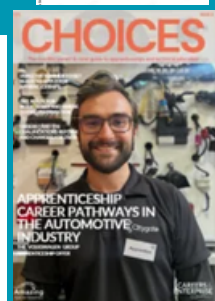


CAREER INFORMATION

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National Youth Theatre (NYT) – Join the NYT - Open Auditions – for ages 14+ – open now - no closing date listed

Every year, the National Youth Theatre runs courses around the UK for young people who want to become members of the National Youth Theatre. Being a member provides access to exclusive opportunities including castings for NYT and professional shows, access to professional R&Ds, free creative leadership and facilitation training, complimentary tickets, and much more. Entry to these courses is via audition only.

There are two routes to audition;

Open Auditions at a variety of venues in London between February-March 2026
Video Auditions, open now, which need to be submitted by Mid-February 2026

<https://www.nyt.org.uk/auditions>

Duncan & Toplis – Accountancy Work experience – flexible dates – No closing date listed - Apply Now

TDuncan & Toplis specialise in accountancy, tax, and business advice and have created a rich and exciting work experience programme to help students maximise their time with them.

During the work experience students will spend time at one of their locations, learning from experienced mentors. They will get hands-on experience working on real projects and develop key skills that will help with future accountancy applications. Based in central London

<https://duncantoplis.co.uk/vacancies/work-experience/>

JLL - Building Your Future - Virtual Work Experience – for year 10 - 13

Explore the world of real estate and the built environment through this free virtual work-experience programme created by JLL in partnership with Meta.

Complete interactive modules, real-world tasks, and insight sessions covering sustainability, smart buildings, project management, design, consulting and more.

Students will gain accessible, flexible industry experience, discover a wide range of real-estate career paths, and build valuable knowledge to strengthen future CVs, apprenticeship applications and university statements

<https://www.buildingyourfuture.springpod.com/experiences/building-your-future-uk>



CURRENT APPRENTICESHIPS AVAILABLE FOR YEAR 11



McDonald's - Level 3 Apprenticeship – No closing date listed – Start Sept 2025



On this 5 year programme apprentices work towards a L3 Hospitality Supervisor apprenticeship and upon completion the opportunity to gain a L6 Leadership & Management degree apprenticeship from Manchester Metropolitan. Apprentices will find themselves doing a huge variety of things, from working in the kitchen, to front counter and drive-thru. As they progress, they will also learn to make management decisions, get involved in rotas and recruitment, and keep an eye on budgets.

From years 2-5 of the programme, apprentices will get the opportunity to spend 3-4 days residential blocks on campus at Manchester Metropolitan University, completing theoretical degree modules whilst following the McDonald's management curriculum alongside this.

<https://people.mcdonalds.co.uk/job-search/restaurant-9999@51.5878918,-0.164487/london/school-leaver-degree-apprenticeship-england/pdx-mc-541a026d-8b8d-4ff7-87d5-e6235704bcd2-79098>

Babcock – L3 Heavy Vehicle Service and Maintenance Technician Apprenticeship – Closing 12th March – Start Sept

On this programme apprentices work towards a L3 Heavy Vehicle Service and Maintenance Technician apprenticeship. Apprentices will work on a wide range of Military Land Equipment, tackling challenging and varied tasks in an exciting environment. The work will play a crucial role in ensuring the armed forces have equipment they can depend on. During the programme, in both an academic setting and through practical experience in the workplace, apprentices will develop practical skills and skills working with hand tooling, learn how to understand technical information and diagrams and write reports, describing the repairs and services carried out. They will gain a full understanding of how machines work, including how to service, maintain, diagnose, and repair a wide range of military vehicles.

<https://jobs.babcockinternational.com/Babcock/job/Wareham%2C-Bournemouth-Heavy-Vehicle-Service-and-Maintenance-Technician-Apprenticeship-%28Vehicle-Mechanics%29-BH20-6JD/1270637901/>



Chubb Insurance – L3 Claims & Operations Apprentice - Closing 13th March – Start Sept

On this 2 year programme apprentices work towards a L3 Financial services administrator apprenticeship. This is a unique opportunity to gain hands-on experience in both the claims and operations functions, spending 12 months in each area, developing a well-rounded understanding of the insurance cycle along with a range of skills and practical experience.

<https://www.findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk/apprenticeship/VAC2000004059>



Mercer & Hole – L3/4 Audit (AAT) Apprenticeship – Closing 3rd Jan – Start Sept

On this programme apprentices work towards both L3 & 4 AAT Apprenticeship and on successful completion have the opportunity to study the ACA and become a chartered accountant. Apprentices will have the opportunity to work across a range of sectors, conducting independent checks on companies' financial situations and advising on ways for them to operate more profitably. Beginning their career in the Virtual Finance team they will work with a variety of clients, gaining valuable and well-rounded experience to support progression to the Audit team.

<https://mercerhole.peoplehr.net/Pages/JobBoard/Opening.aspx?v=ff1fc688-b45f-41b6-a21a-0f1b8683c338>





Warburtons - L3 Engineer Apprentice – Closing 30th Jan – Start Aug 2026

On this 4 year programme apprentices work towards a L3 Advanced Manufacturing Engineering. The first year of the programme will be spent attending a full-time residential course in Coventry, accommodation will be provided and funded. Apprentices will then join the family based bakery in Enfield. Apprentices will gain the knowledge, skills, and experience needed for the role of a multi-skilled Maintenance Engineer. These include performing plant maintenance and conducting failure diagnosis, maintenance, repair, and replacement of our highly automated control systems, mechanical, electrical, and production systems, along with learning about food and safety legislation.

<https://jobs.warburtons.co.uk/job/Enfield-Apprentice-Engineer-ENG-EN3-7XG/1264637401/>



Aldi – Stores Apprenticeship – L2 Careers Starter or L3 Store Management – No start date – No closing date listed

There are two pathways available for Aldi Stores Apprenticeships:

Career Starter - For applicants with no previous qualifications they can apply for the L2 Retailer Apprenticeship which takes around 12-15 months to complete. They will also complete Functional Skills at L2 (if necessary) alongside this.

Store Management - For applicants that already have their GCSE Maths and English grade 4-9 (minimum grade C or equivalent) they can apply for the Store Management Apprenticeship programme. They will complete both L2 Retailer and L3 Retail Team Leader which takes up to 36 months to complete.

Find out more about what it means to be an Aldi apprentice here

<https://www.aldirecruitment.co.uk/early-careers/apprenticeships/stores-apprenticeship> they currently have local vacancies in Shoreditch, Kilburn High Road, Finchley Road, North Finchley and Tottenham, apply here
<https://careers.aldirecruitment.co.uk/vacancies/vacancy-search-results.aspx>

