

Useful Careers Links for Students, Parents and Staff

The National Careers Service:

- The National Careers Service provides information, advice and guidance across England to help you make decisions on learning, training and work. The service offers confidential and impartial advice and is supported by qualified careers advisers.
- Audience: ALL
- <https://nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk/>

Icould:

- Icould is a careers website helping young people make the most of their potential and talent by showing them how others have used theirs. The icould storytellers relate, in their own words, their real life career journeys in over 1,000 career videos and hundreds of written articles aimed at students, career starters, career changers and careers professionals, parents, teachers and employers. Articles include information about the future world of work and future career prospects in a number of industries.
- Audience: ALL
- <http://icould.com/>

Plotr:

- Plotr is a free-to-access, highly engaging, careers information website for 11-24 year olds, that aims to connect young people with employers and jobs that fit their interests, skills and personality
- Audience: ALL
- <http://www.plotr.co.uk/>

Careersbox:

- Careersbox is a free on-line library of careers related videos, news and information aimed at careers advisers and job seekers. Case study videos show real people doing real jobs, giving viewers an insight into entry routes and skill requirements for careers in all sectors.
- Audience: ALL
- <https://www.careersbox.co.uk/>

Pure Potential:

- Pure Potential is an independent organisation which raises the aspirations of thousands of sixth-formers every year, encouraging them to apply to and achieve offers from excellent universities and leading employers.

- Audience: KS5
- <http://purepotential.org/>

LBTH Careers Service:

- LBTH Careers Service can help you apply for colleges, training, apprenticeships and jobs. They can also refer you for impartial careers guidance, help you create CVs, covering letters and develop your employability skills. Their website includes useful links including apprenticeship bulletins and interview skills and tips.
- Audience: ALL

Future Learn:

- Future learn offer a diverse selection of courses from leading universities and cultural institutions from around the world. These are delivered one step at a time, and are accessible on mobile, tablet and desktop, so you can fit learning around your life.
- Audience: KS4 + KS5
- <https://www.futurelearn.com/>

Not going to university:

- Notgoingtouni.co.uk is a website full of information about other paths to lead other than going to university. From apprenticeships to debt free learning, there are literally thousands of other opportunities out there.
- Audience: KS4 + KS5
- www.notgoingtouni.co.uk

TALKINGJOBS – Careers Planning for FS3

<http://www.talkingjobs.net/learning-materials/lesson-plans>

UCAS – Buzz Quiz Careers Test

<https://www.ucas.com/careers/buzz-quiz>

UCAS – Career Resources for KS3

<https://www.ucas.com/advisers/which-for-teachers/use-which-university-in-class/careers-planner-for-11-14s>

CAREERPILOT – Career Resources for KS3

<https://www.careerpilot.org.uk/adviser-zone/key-stage-3-resources-and-presentations>

STREET STYLE SURGERY - Fun and inter-active workshops for young people, including Dj-ing, Music production, Film making, Make up skills, Forensic science, Skateboarding, Soccer skills, Screen printing T-shirts, Cooking skills, Money Matters and many more.

www.streetstylesurgery.co.uk

MY WORLD OF WORK – work with primary and secondary school teachers to create resources that work in the classroom. These are designed to support young people at different stages, from primary five through secondary and beyond.

Each resource helps you introduce young people to a different aspect of the world of work, help them with their career management skills and support them as they use the My World of Work site.

<https://www.myworldofwork.co.uk/partner-resources>

INSPIRING WOMEN - 20,000 inspirational women going into state schools/colleges to inspire girls to think about a wide range of professions.

www.inspiringthefuture.org/

CHILD'S UNIVERSITY – EAST LONDON - is a charity that works in partnership with schools to develop a love of learning in children. We do this by encouraging and celebrating participation in extra-curricular activities in and outside of school.

<https://www.childrensuniversity.co.uk/universities/east-london-childrens-university>

CITIZENSHIP FOUNDATION - a skills-based employee volunteering programme run by the Citizenship Foundation. The scheme places practising and trainee lawyers into the classroom to work with young people to develop their awareness and understanding of the law.

<https://www.youngcitizens.org>

ENGINEERING UK - Engineering UK offers a wide range of careers resources, including lesson plans and activities to nurture tomorrow's engineers.

www.tomorrowsengineers.org.uk/

SKY ACADEMY - works with young people from primary school right through to starting their career, using the passion they share for TV, creativity or sport, to build skills and experience. The Academy links up with schools and bring

together inspirational role models to offer a range of opportunities, supported by Sky staff and well-known faces from its TV channels.

www.skyacademy.com/building-skills/

SOLUTIONS FOR THE PLANET - encourages BIG IDEAS that can improve society, the economy and the environment. Runs competitions and activities in schools for young people.

www.solutionsfortheplanet.co.uk/ourPartners/

INSPIRING THE FUTURE - This initiative connects teachers with volunteers from the world of work. It provides free resources such as an Events Checklist for Schools

www.inspiringthefuture.org/

HALF MOON THEATRE - CAREERS IN THEATRE - this programme gives participants the opportunity to work alongside theatre specialists culminating in creating a performance piece over just one day.

www.halfmoon.org.uk/%20participate/educators/secondary-college/careers-in-theatre/

MEDICAL MAVERICKS – NHS - bringing science and fun into the classroom including a FREE Career Inspiration Pack, including Free Book, 40 Career Posters & Workshop Information.

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

INSPIRING GOVERNORS ALLIANCE - offer a free matching resource supporting teachers to access a vast network of volunteers from different backgrounds and professions.

www.inspiringgovernance.org/

LONDON EDUCATION BUSINESS PARTNERSHIP - Offers a wide range of services to schools and colleges ranging from apprenticeship insights, enterprise, mentoring and work experience.

<https://www.inspire-ebp.org.uk>