

National Apprenticeship Week

Week commencing 6th February 2023

During this week we would like to raise the profile of apprenticeships, and let you know what events and information are out there for both parents and students. Apprenticeships have changed so much over the last decade, and this can be a great option for many students as an alternative pathway. Students and parents can also learn about Higher and Degree apprenticeships which are a debt free alternative to university.

For Parents

- **Parent/Carer Webinars Information Event**

There are two parent/carers apprenticeship webinar events in partnership with Pathway CTM (Careers, Training and Mentoring) during National Apprenticeship Week, from **18:00-19:00 on 7th and 8th February.**

This events will cover;

- The range of apprenticeship roles available across sectors such as Space, Life Sciences, Health Care and Construction.
- How to find an apprenticeship
- What you need to do to start searching and applying.

7th Feb: <https://pathwayctm.com/event/an-introduction-to-apprenticeships-for-oxfordshire-parents>

8th Feb:

<https://pathwayctm.com/event/an-introduction-to-apprenticeships-for-oxfordshire-parents-2>

For Year 10, 11,12,13 Students and Parents/Carers

The events below are being advertised by school but are not school events, so please make sure you attend with a parent/carers. Some of the events are virtual and the rest are held where the employer is.

- **Rolls-Royce Apprenticeships**

www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/start-your-career-your-way-with-rolls-royce-insight-webinar-tickets-513826407617

At this webinar on **2nd February from 18:30-19:30** for students in **Years 10 to 13** and parents/carers, Careers Leads and teachers, you'll find out how you can kick-start an exciting career and contribute to ground-breaking work as a Rolls-Royce apprentice.

- **Women Engineering Society (WES) Apprentice Showcase**

www.wes.org.uk/events/apprentice-showcase-2023

Registration is now open for the 2023 Women's Engineering Society Apprentice Showcase. This will take place during National Apprenticeship Week from **6th-10th February** and will

give **students aged 15-18** the opportunity to hear from current and past engineering apprentices.

- **FMB Oxford (Oxford)**

www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/national-apprenticeship-week-fmb-oxford-open-evening-tickets-491162780097

A multi-disciplinary engineering company with around 60 employees they specialise in the design and manufacture of instruments for fundamental scientific research which plays an important role in developing the technologies of the future. **6th February, 15:30-18:30**

- **UKAEA Apprenticeship Scheme Open Evening - February**

Join us for an in-person Open Evening to find out what the UK Atomic Energy Authority's Apprenticeship Scheme is all about.

The aim of the UKAEA Apprenticeship Scheme is to enable people with different educational achievements to reach agreed standards of skills and competence in the workplace. Since 2005 apprenticeship training at Culham has mainly focussed on engineering, however in recent years it has broadened its apprenticeships on offer to professional support in different areas of the business.

In 2023 we will be offering a range of Degree Apprenticeships; Robotic, Engineering and Electrician apprenticeships; Nuclear Health, Business Administration, Finance and Marketing and Production Apprenticeships.

Tue, 7 February 2023

16:30 – 19:35 GMT

Culham Science Centre Culham Science Centre Abingdon OX14 3DB

Schedule:

16:30 – Open evening begins.

16:30 – 19:30 – Introduction to UKAEA's apprenticeship scheme, talks and networking.

16:55 – 18:10 – First set of RACE & OAS tours.

18:20 – 19:35 – Second set of RACE & OAS tours.

19:35 – Depart site.

You can reserve your place here:

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/ukaea-apprenticeship-scheme-open-evening-february-2023-tickets-467434297567?scribrkr=12d09c5b#:~:text=UKAEA%20Apprenticeship%20Scheme%20Open%20Evening,2023%20at%2016%3A30%20%7C%20Eventbrite>

- **Norbar Torque Tools (Banbury)**

<https://app.10to8.com/book/xiixdqaufydhmwqyno>

State-of-the-art factory facilities ensure they provide the very latest design, manufacturing and quality control technology to achieve the highest level of innovation and precision in the field of torque control equipment. **7th February, 18:00-20:00**

- **NHS Oxford Hospitals Apprenticeship**

This will be an opportunity for teachers/students/parents to join and obtain information on our Apprenticeships and career paths within Oxford University Hospitals.

There will be short presentations on each area and there will be an opportunity to ask any questions or clarify any queries/myths you may have on Apprenticeships. Current and past apprentices will be available to speak about their experiences.

You will need to only attend one session as this will be repeated at the following times:

Wednesday 8th February 4pm - for this session please click on the link below:

[Click here to join the meeting](#)

- **Navtech Radar (Wantage)**

www.eventbrite.com/e/apprenticeship-careers-open-evening-navtech-radar-grove-oxfordshire-tickets-511497401497

A world-leading innovator, award-winning designer and manufacturer of commercially deployed radar solutions, they produce ground-breaking technology used by businesses across industry sectors. **8th February, 18:00-20:00**

- **Rutherford Appleton Laboratory, Harwell, Oxfordshire**

STFC Apprenticeship

Open Evening - Whether you're leaving school, changing career, or seeking a challenging alternative to university, STFC offers a range of opportunities to launch your new career through one of our Apprenticeship programmes.

Wednesday 8th February 2023

There are three time slots available: **17:00-18:00, 18:00-19:00, 19:00-20:00**

Please register your chosen time slot in advance via:

[ral-open-evening.eventbrite.co.uk](https://open-evening.eventbrite.co.uk)

- **OAS Engineering Apprenticeships**

Engineering Apprenticeship open evening

Thursday 9th February 2023

<https://www.oas.ukaea.uk/apprenticeships/events-and-open-evenings/>

You will also have the opportunity to ask any questions to our training team, employer partners and apprentices.

There will be two, 60-minute sessions on each day at **5pm to 6pm and 6pm to 7pm**.

Spaces are limited to a total of 40 people per session.

- **Get Into Apprenticeships**

<https://pathwayctm.com/event/get-into-apprenticeships-national-apprenticeship-week>

At this Pathway CTM event on **9th February from 17:30-20:15**, students can find out about

apprenticeships with Google, PwC and KPMG and ask questions about apprenticeships. It is being livestreamed so students can tune in.

- **Viridor (Ardley, near Bicester)**

www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/apprentice-recruitment-tours-ardley-energy-recovery-facility-near-bicester-tickets-503470272137

Viridor operate a network of advanced energy recovery facilities across the UK, processing non-recyclable waste to create electricity, powering the equivalent of c. 635,000 British homes. At Ardley, since the site became fully operational in 2014, the maintenance engineering apprenticeship programme has been very successful. **9th February, 19:00-20:00**

- **EDF Energy Apprenticeships**

www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/energy-sector-apprenticeships-webinar-with-edf-energy-tickets-510556246477

At this webinar on **21st February from 18:30-19:30** for students in **Years 10 to 13** and parents/carers, Careers Leads and teachers, you can meet some of EDF's apprentices to hear first-hand about their experiences in the energy sector.

- **Rate my Apprenticeship Virtual Event**

Tuesday 21st February from 4pm

Why attend?

- Hear from some of the UK's Best Employers, including **Deloitte, Mazars, BDO and PwC**.
- Listen to discussions with a panel of current apprentices discussing life free of university debt, filled with incredible career prospects.
- Get to attend an exclusive CV and Interview workshop with The University of Law.
- Attendees receive a certificate of attendance for their record of achievements, CV or LinkedIn profile.

Please register

https://events.ratemyapprenticeship.co.uk/?dm_i=7BMZ,23LP,10QQYM,6VEE,1

Apprenticeship Resources

For parents and Students <https://amazingapprenticeships.com/>

Search for current apprenticeships being advertised

For parents and Students <https://www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship>