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Employer SPOTLIGHT ☑ Y10 ☑ Y11

The BBC Early careers

The BBC is the UK's public service broadcaster, producing television, radio, news, online content and entertainment, offering careers in journalism, production, technology, engineering, data, business, marketing and many other areas. Its early careers offer includes apprenticeships, trainee schemes and taster experiences.

BT Group Graduates & Apprentices - Early careers - Careers | BT Plc

BT Group is one of the UK's largest telecommunications companies, helping connect millions of people through broadband, mobile and digital technology. Early career opportunities can include apprenticeships, graduate programmes, internships and industrial placements. Career areas include software engineering, data and AI, cyber security, networks, engineering, project management and business operations, making BT particularly interesting for students curious about technology and how the connected world works

University SPOTLIGHT ☑ Y11

University of Manchester The University of Manchester

The University of Manchester offers hundreds of courses across science, engineering, humanities, social sciences, business, medicine and healthcare. Its location also puts students close to major employers and growing sectors including digital technology, healthcare, engineering, media, finance and the creative industries.

The University of Bristol Homepage | University of Bristol

A research-intensive university located within the vibrant city of Bristol. Students can study subjects ranging from engineering and science to humanities, social sciences, law and medicine. Bristol has strong aerospace, technology, creative and sustainability sectors, providing useful connections beyond university.

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Labour Market Information ☑ Y10 ☑ Y11

Green Jobs Estimates of green jobs, UK - Office for National Statistics

The UK had an estimated 652,100 fulltime green jobs in 2024 around 28% or 140,000 more jobs than in 2015.

Engineering & Technology Working in engineering and tech careers

With 6.3 million people employed in engineering, the demand for skills continues to grow, but there are significant skills shortages and a need for greater diversity.

Events ☑ Y10 ☑ Y11

University of Reading - super curricular subject webinars
Super-Curricular Webinar Series - University of Reading

Boost your personal statement! The University of Reading is offering free super curricular subject taster sessions Monday 9 – Thursday 12 November. Learn from top academics, explore big ideas, and gain fresh material for your university applications.

Apprenticeships: What's the real story?
Apprenticeships: What's the real story Tickets, Tuesday 24 November • 6 PM - 6:45 PM GMT | Eventbrite

Thinking about an apprenticeship after Year 11? Join Activate Apprenticeships for a FREE online webinar designed for young people and their parents or carers. Their apprenticeship experts will explain how apprenticeships work step by step and answer your questions in a live Q&A.

Tuesday 24 November 2026 from 6pm–6.45pm -Online and free to attend

The University of Law

Below are some forthcoming events for those interested in a Legal career:
30th November 4:30 – 5:30pm**:** Careers in Law – Book your place
15th December 4:40 – 5:30pm**:** Personal Statements Workshop - Book your place

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A Green career within the Legal sector White & Case UK ESG – Forage

White & Case's virtual programme allows you to gain first-hand insight into life as a White & Case lawyer and experience the realities of working on cross-border environmental, social, and governance matters. This programme offers you the chance to develop crucial skills in ESG due diligence, legal analysis, and corporate sustainability, providing you with real-world experience that will set you apart during future application processes.

Pharmacology JOB OF THE WEEK - EPISODE #293 - PHARMACOLOGIST

Pharmacologists study the effects of drugs and chemicals on living things and develop new products to help tackle disease. In terms of routes into this industry, an undergraduate degree in pharmacology, biochemistry, or a related biomedical science is often followed by an MSc or PhD for research roles. Alternatively, a Level 7 Degree Apprenticeship is available.

Aviation Careers AISB Hub | Powered by Springpod

The Aviation Industry Skills Board (AISB) has launched brand-new, free Career Simulations on Springpod. Step into real aviation roles, tackle real-world challenges and hear from people who do the job today.

Lloyd's Banking Group Connectr

Lloyd's are inviting students to join Lloyd's Banking Group's Connectr platform. Here, students will find a wealth of resources, insights, access to work experience, and advance notice of vacancies as they become available. Once registered, students will receive alerts for new opportunities, including their monthly Lloyds Careers Live Experience sessions. These sessions are streamed on Zoom and the Lloyd's Early Careers YouTube channel on the first Tuesday of every month at 18:00.

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Airline Disptacher JOB OF THE WEEK - EPISODE #295 - AIRLINE DISPATCHER

An airline dispatcher, also called a flight dispatcher or flight operations officer, is a licensed ground-based aviation professional who shares legal responsibility with the captain for the safety, planning, and operational control of commercial flights. They are responsible for calculating fuel requirements, weight and balance limits, optimum flight paths, and alternate airports based on weather and airspace conditions.

Careers in Engineering and Technology Real jobs in engineering

Discover real jobs in engineering and tech. Learn what engineers and STEM professionals love about their jobs, what they do and how they got started in our short videos. Find out more about the routes into engineering, including apprenticeships, T Levels and university.

Interested in engineering but not sure where to start? Born to Engineer is packed with resources for students aged 14–18. Explore different engineering careers, compare universities, discover work experience and competitions, check engineering salaries and find out which subjects could lead to different engineering careers. Follow the links below:

Engineering careers resources for Students | Born to Engineer
Choose a discipline | Born to Engineer
Choose a route | Born to Engineer

Not sure which area of engineering might be right for you? Try the NIPES Engineering Career Path Test. The online quiz asks 19 questions about your interests and preferences to help identify engineering career paths that may suit you: Engineering Career Path Test

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The Careers Journey ☑ Y7 ☑ Y8 ☑ Y9 ☑ Y10 ☑ Y11

STEM Virtual Careers Fair – Climate change

STEM Ambassadors: Careers in Climate Change Virtual Careers Fair - STEM Learning

Destination STEM have created a virtual Careers Fair. This 360- degree online careers exhibition is aimed at supporting young people to explore the work of those mitigating and adapting to the challenge of climate change.

Green Careers Organisations 2026 - Green Careers Week

This can be any job that contributes to preserving or restoring the environment and our planet. It can be any industry, not just those seen as 'green'. Green skills are the abilities, knowledge, and technical skills needed to adapt services, processes and procedures to support climate change. Click on the link above to discover how the companies listed and many more are raising awareness of green careers through activity resources, case studies, webinars, videos, events, and employment information.

The Green Buzz Quiz is a fun way to help you explore green careers that match your personality strengths: Green Buzz - National Careers Week During the quiz, you self identify your preferences across four different parts of your personality.

Here are a range of video resources that help you to explore green careers:
STEM Learning Green Careers Videos | Resource Collection
Green Horizons Green Horizons - Green Careers Hub
Institute of Sustainability & Environmental Professionals Day in the life

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