



National Apprenticeship Week 2022

This week is National Apprenticeship – there are loads of online events for you to explore, and in tutor this week we will be focusing on apprenticeships and answering questions like:

- What is an apprenticeship?
- What levels are there?
- What subjects/areas can you get apprenticeships in?
- What are apprenticeships like?

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What is an apprenticeship?

Apprenticeships combine practical training in a job with study.
Apprenticeships take 1 to 5 years to complete depending on their level.

As an apprentice you'll:

- ✓ be an employee earning a wage, getting benefits like sick pay, holidays and other perks
- ✓ work alongside experienced staff
- ✓ gain job-specific skills
- ✓ get time for training and study related to your role (at least 20% of your normal working hours)

- [Now.....Take the quiz!!!](#)
- [The Apprenticeship Quiz 2022 - Amazing Apprenticeships](#)
- Send your scores to Ms Bell/Mr Laidlaw

	Level	Equivalent educational level
Intermediate	2	GCSE
Advanced	3	A level
Higher	4,5,6 and 7	Foundation degree and above
Degree	6 and 7	Bachelor's or master's degree

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• What's on today???

1. [Nestlé Academy – Building Skills for the Future Virtual Careers Fair \(vfairs.com\)](https://vfairs.com)
2. [IBM Application Workshop - helping you accelerate your application for IBM! Tickets, Mon 7 Feb 2022 at 11:00 | Eventbrite](#)
3. [Welcome to the World of Apprenticeships! An Intro to Apprenticeships Registration, Mon 7 Feb 2022 at 13:30 | Eventbrite](#)
4. [All week: Online Careers Fair - Festival of Apprenticeships](#)
5. [Exploring Apprenticeships with National Highways Tickets, Multiple Dates | Eventbrite](#) one each day of the week focusing on different aspects from:
 1. Monday 7th February 2022 @12-1pm: Aligned to roles in Project Management
 2. Monday 7th February 2022 @ 4-5pm: Aligned to roles in Digital Services

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• What subjects/areas can you take an apprenticeship in?

You can get an apprenticeship in almost any area that there is, just be aware they might not be in your local area.

Task One:

Pick 2-3 videos to watch as a class in areas you are interested in:

[Think Apprenticeships Films - Amazing Apprenticeships](#)

Task Two:

Go onto Unifrog and browse for apprenticeships (Use the filters to see what is near to Ashington, and what you could do if you travelled further away).



Searching for opportunities

UK universities You have 11 shortlists Start >	US universities Make your first shortlist Start >	European universities Make your first shortlist Start >
Oxbridge Make your first shortlist Start >	Apprenticeships You have 8 shortlists Start >	College / Sixth Form Make your first shortlist Start >

* Your postcode NE63 8DH (change?)

* Choose radius

2 miles - 2 vacancies	5 miles - 2 vacancies	10 miles - 2 vacancies	20 miles - 5 vacancies
50 miles - 15 vacancies	100 miles - 35 vacancies	200 miles - 85 vacancies	
No Limit - 156 vacancies			

and 47 nationwide vacancies



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• What's on today??

1. [Apprenticeships in the Spotlight Tickets, Tue 8 Feb 2022 at 09:45 | Eventbrite](#)

2. [*Big Assembly | BIG ASSEMBLY - NATIONAL APPRENTICESHIP WEEK 2022 -*](#)

8th February 2022 | 11.10-11.40am | Online event

A free interactive live broadcast that enables students and teachers to engage in conversation about exciting career opportunities, national events and more.

3. [All week: Online Careers Fair - Festival of Apprenticeships](#)

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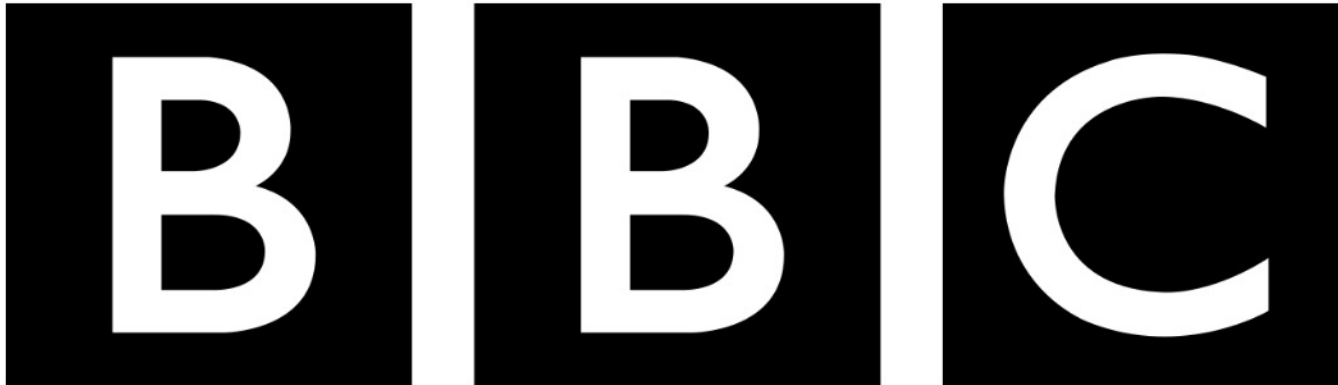
- **What is it like to be an apprentice at the BBC??**



APPRENTICE STORY: BEN @ BBC



What jobs do you think people do at the BBC?



The BBC stands for British Broadcasting Corporation

What job do you think
Ben does at the BBC?



BEN





Discussion

2. Answer these three questions
 - What surprises you most about the different apprenticeship roles featured?
 - What are the benefits of being an apprentice?
 - What steps would you take to explore apprenticeships further?

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• What's on today??

1. [Discover Apprenticeships | Exhibition | UCAS](#) Wednesday 9th
2. [National Apprenticeship Week 2022 \(macegroup.com\)](#) Wednesday 9th
3. [Apprentice Debunk - considering your apprenticeship myths ! Tickets, Wed 9 Feb 2022 at 15:00 | Eventbrite](#) Wednesday 9th
4. [The World of Apprenticeships 2022 – NAW22 Tickets, Wed 9 Feb 2022 at 16:00 | Eventbrite](#) Wednesday 9th
5. [STFC Daresbury Laboratory | Apprenticeship Virtual Open Evening 2022 Tickets, Wed, Feb 9, 2022 at 6:00 PM | Eventbrite](#)
6. [All week: Online Careers Fair - Festival of Apprenticeships](#)
7. [Exploring Apprenticeships with National Highways Tickets, Multiple Dates | Eventbrite](#) one each day of the week focusing on different aspects from:
 - Wednesday 9th February 2022 @12-1pm: Aligned to roles in Civil Engineering
 - Wednesday 9th February 2022 @ 4-5pm: Aligned to roles in Legal

Explore these, this afternoon in school.

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- What is it like to be an apprentice at Coca Cola?



APPRENTICE STORY: SAMAH @ COCA-COLA



**What do you know about Coca-Cola?
Are the following statements true or false?**

1. Coca-Cola was created before Pepsi?
True or false?
2. Coca-Cola is sold in 25 countries.
True or false?
3. Coca-Cola employs 700,000 people worldwide.
True or false?



What job do you think
Samah does at Coca-Cola
Europacific Partners?



SAMAH





Samah's story

Samah started her level **3 Business Administration** apprenticeship in 2019 and achieved an amazing **distinction** grade when she finished it in June 2021. She works for Coca-Cola Europacific Partners in the **Quality Control** department and investigates customer complaints.

When Samah was on her way to college one day, she saw a large Coca-Cola **poster** advertising their apprenticeship scheme. She was studying **Business Administration** at college and knew that she wanted to work in an office environment. Her application for the apprenticeship was completed by doing the following steps –

1. Playing **online games** (skills testing)
2. A **telephone** interview (getting to know you)
3. An Assessment Centre day (an **interview**, a presentation, and a **group task**)
4. A second **interview** (all about the CV)

Samah's story

Remember that every organisation is different so their recruitment process may not be the same!

Samah was inspired to work for Coca-Cola Europacific Partners because of the range of opportunities and her future possibilities to become a **site manager** or work in a leadership position.

Samah has some amazing advice for both you and your parents or carers. Do your **research**. Check out all of your options as there are so many available and in different career paths. **University** is not the only option! She recommends that your parents or carers understand that doing an apprenticeship is the best of both worlds as you will be **earning** money, getting a **qualification** and **work experience**.

Don't be worried! The opportunities are **endless**.

What do you think are the main benefits of an apprenticeship?

Why is Samah's BAME Apprentice Award such an amazing achievement?

Discussion

2. Write three questions that you would like to ask the apprentices.
 - 1.
 - 2.
 - 3.

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1. [Online Apprenticeship information session Tickets, Thu 10 Feb 2022 at 10:00 | Eventbrite](#)
2. [All week: Online Careers Fair - Festival of Apprenticeships](#)

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- What is it like to be an apprentice at the Houses of Parliament??



APPRENTICE STORY: CARLY @ THE HOUSE OF COMMONS



Do you know....?

Where is this place? What is it? What do people do here?





Why does Carly think
her apprenticeship
is amazing?



CARLY



Discussion

1. In addition to finance, which other apprenticeships are on offer at UK Parliament?
2. Why do apprentices shadow different teams?
3. What was surprising about Andy and Jack's job roles?
4. How are apprentices supported when their contracts end?
5. Which words were used to describe the apprenticeships?

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- Friday 11th February 2022 @ 4-5pm: Aligned to roles in Project Controls