



CAREERS NEWSLETTER

This newsletter is a collation of all the opportunities we have heard about from employers and universities. Please use the links included to read more information and apply to anything you are interested in. Links are underlined.

OPPORTUNITIES

Speakers for schools have a range of new Virtual Work experience opportunities. Whether you are thinking of going on to university or into an apprenticeship/employment in the future, virtual work experience will show the uni/employer lots of important skills.

- [Renewable Energy with GENeco](#)
- [Waste and Energy Sectors with MVV](#)
- [Build Yourself with Wates](#)
- [STEM Challenge with Johnson Matthey](#)
- [The future of Gren Careers with S Three](#)
- [Introduction to Careers in Light rail with Midland Metro Alliance](#)
- [Design and Construction with Balfour Beatty](#)

Nationwide have opened their Apprenticeship Recruitment - read more and apply [here](#). Deadline is 8th March!

Study Higher are excited to launch and invite you to their Creative Futures programme, which is the first in a series of Study Higher subject-specific events! Creative Futures is an exciting series of free virtual workshops, which will give you an in-depth look into careers available within the creative industries. Commencing on Wednesday 24th March 2021, the sessions will run once a week at 5pm, outside of school hours. More information is available [here](#).

BMW have begun their recruitment process for this year. Here is more information: [Youtube video](#) | [Brochure](#) | [Link to apply](#)

Last chance to apply for the following vacancies: [Pfizer](#) | [National Audit Office](#) | [PwC](#) | [BT](#) | [IBM](#)

JOB OF THE WEEK

Computer Games
Developer



This role includes design games, coming up with ideas, design characters, objects and scenery, testing the game and creating the code to make sure it works!

You can earn up to £59,000 per year but your salary will start around £15,000. You can expect to work round 40 hours per week in this role.

You can read more [here](#).

LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION FACT

The 6 fastest growing industries in the UK so far in 2021 are: safety equipment, CRM providers, online food delivery, online alcohol retailers, language learning software and online greeting card retailers.

[Source](#)

If you need any further information, advice, guidance or support, please email Miss Tranter tranterc@ridgewayschool.com



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The Talent Tap have a library full of videos from people working in different industries. Check it out [here](#).

Want to learn more about careers in visual effects, animation and games? The VFX Festival 2021 will give you an insight into these amazing industries - all information is available [here](#).

The University of Law has an online game to see if business is the right industry for you. There is the chance to win an iPad mini and 50 other prizes! Take the challenge now by clicking [here](#).

Pearson Business School are holding a live open day on Saturday 27th March. Perfect for those interested in finding out more about a career in Management, Marketing, Finance or Entrepreneurship. Click [here](#) to book.

On 8th March, RAF are running a webinar for female students in Years 10-13 called "No room for cliches". Find out more about what it is like to be a woman working for the RAF and see if it's the right career option for you. Click [here](#) for more information.

Norland are running an open day to learn more about their award winning early years degree and diploma. Click [here](#) to read more and book your place.

The University of Bath have a series of "Be Ready" Webinars running on a Thursday. [Here](#) is the link to read more and register.

EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT Tata Consultancy Services

Tata Consultancy Services is an IT services, consulting and business solutions organization that has been partnering with many of the world's largest businesses in their transformation journeys for over 50 years.

They do not have an apprenticeship scheme, only a graduate scheme. This means you have to go to university to specialise within your chosen IT discipline before you work for them.

You can read more [here](#).

UNI SPOTLIGHT

London School of
Economics and Political
Science
Uni Ranking: 4th

At LSE, students will have a unique opportunity to study social sciences in a specialist university with a global academic reputation. Its campus is at the heart of London, one of the world's liveliest capital cities.