

WHY CHOOSE AN APPRENTICESHIP?

If you're thinking about your next step after school or college, an apprenticeship is a great way to start your career while continuing to learn. It's a real alternative to full-time classroom study and puts you straight into the world of work.



1. Get Paid While You Train

With an apprenticeship, you earn a salary from day one. That means you can start making your own money while learning new skills and building your future.

2. Learn by Doing

Instead of just studying in a classroom, you'll spend most of your time working in a real job. You'll learn practical skills that employers actually use and get hands-on experience in your chosen industry.

3. Gain a Recognised Qualification

You'll work towards a qualification that's recognised across the UK. This means you're building something valuable for your future, not just gaining experience.

4. Real Career Opportunities

Many apprentices go on to get full-time jobs with their employer after finishing. You can also progress to higher-level apprenticeships, university-level qualifications, or move into different roles as you gain experience.

5. Build Skills for Life

As well as job-specific skills, you'll develop things like confidence, teamwork, communication, and problem-solving - all of which are useful in any career you choose later on.

6. Support Every Step of the Way

You won't be doing it alone. You'll have support from your employer, a training provider, and mentors who help you succeed and grow throughout your apprenticeship.