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National Apprenticeship Week (NAW) 2024 runs from the 5th - 11th February and its aim is to shine a light on the great opportunities that apprenticeships can offer to individuals and businesses. I hope you find this special edition of the Carers Newsletter useful and informative.

WHAT IS AN APPRENTICESHIP?

8 key facts you need to know

- 1 An apprenticeship is a real job**
Available to individuals aged 16+ (with no upper age limit), apprentices are typically employed for at least 30 hours per week.
- 2 Apprentices are paid a salary**
All apprentices will earn a salary of at least the National Minimum Wage for apprentices which is currently £4.81* per hour. Many employers pay more!
- 3 Apprenticeships last a minimum of 12 months**
Most apprenticeships take between 1 - 4 years to complete. It will depend on the level and delivery model of the apprenticeship.
- 4 Apprenticeships range from level 2 to level 7**
There are apprenticeships at levels equivalent to GCSEs right up to Master's level and you can now achieve a degree through an apprenticeship.
- 5 Apprentices do not pay for their training**
All apprenticeship costs are paid for by the employer and/or the government meaning that an apprentice will never have to pay for their training.
- 6 Apprentices will receive paid off-the-job learning**
The equivalent of 6 hours per week of an apprentice's paid time will be spent undertaking off-the-job learning, gaining valuable skills and qualifications.
- 7 Apprentices will spend the majority of their time on-the-job**
Most of an apprentice's paid time will be spent on-the-job, working with colleagues to learn new skills and gain experience of the workplace.
- 8 There are thousands of apprenticeships in more than 170 industries**
New apprenticeships are advertised each week covering a wide range of job roles. You will be amazed at the variety and breadth available!

*The National Minimum Wage for apprentices is reviewed each April.

Discover more about apprenticeships:
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IT'S NATIONAL APPRENTICESHIP WEEK

Please book onto any that interest you – these are Free of Charge and are virtual live sessions – please give them a go.

<https://www.eventbrite.com/cc/naw-2024-the-ask-programme-550109>

Monday 5th February – Launch Day

18:00 “Welcome to the World of Apprenticeships”

Eventbrite link - <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/welcome-to-the-world-of-apprenticeships-6pm-tickets-744916333807?aff=oddtcreator>

Tuesday 6th February – Employers

18:00 “Meet the Employer- NHS Chesterfield Royal Hospital”

Eventbrite link- <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/meet-the-employer-nhs-chesterfield-royal-hospital-tickets-753770958227?aff=oddtcreator>

18:00 “Meet the Employer- DWP Civil Services”

Eventbrite link- <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/meet-the-employer-department-for-work-and-pensions-civil-services-tickets-753777457667?aff=oddtcreator>

18:00 “Meet the Employer- Workpays”

Eventbrite link- <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/meet-the-employer-workpays-tickets-755297133057?aff=oddtcreator>

18:00 “Meet the Employer- Compass Group”

Eventbrite link- <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/meet-the-employer-compass-group-tickets-755294234387?aff=oddtcreator>

18:00 “Meet the Employer-Nestle”

Eventbrite link- <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/meet-the-employer-nestle-tickets-756244165657?aff=oddtcreator>

Wednesday 7th February – Apprentices

18:00 “Meet the Apprentice- Workpays”

Eventbrite link- <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/meet-the-apprentice-workpays-tickets-755518715817?aff=oddtcreator>

18:00 “Meet the Apprentice- Boots”

Eventbrite link- <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/meet-the-apprentice-boots-tickets-755539818937?aff=oddtcreator>

18:00 “Meet the Apprentice- Samworth Brothers”

Eventbrite link- <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/meet-the-apprentice-samworth-brothers-tickets-755533780877?aff=oddtcreator>

Thursday 8th February – T Levels

18:00 “Welcome to the world of T-Levels”

Eventbrite link - <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/welcome-to-the-world-of-t-levels-tickets-745213091417?aff=oddtcreator>

Saturday 10th February – Parents/Carers Day

11:00 “A Parents & Carers Guide to understanding Apprenticeships”

Eventbrite link – <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/a-parent-carers-guide-to-understanding-apprenticeships-1100am-tickets-745489869267?aff=oddtcreator>

13:00 “A Parents & Carers Guide to understanding Apprenticeships”

Eventbrite link - <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/a-parent-carers-guide-to-understanding-apprenticeships-100pm-tickets-745493319587?aff=oddtcreator>

APPRENTICESHIPS LINKED TO HISTORY

- **ARCHAEOLOGICAL
SPECIALIST**
- **CULTURAL HERITAGE
CONSERVATOR**
- **HISTORIC ENVIRONMENT
ADVISER**
- **HERITAGE ENGINEERING TECHNICIAN**
- **HERITAGE CONSTRUCTION
SPECIALIST**
- **LIBRARY, INFORMATION & ARCHIVE
SERVICES SPECIALIST**
- **MUSEUM & GALLERIES TECHNICIAN
AND MANY MORE!**



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APPRENTICESHIPS LINKED TO MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES

- AIR TRAFFIC CONTROLLER
- AVIATION OPERATIONS
MANAGER
- CABIN CREW
- INTELLIGENCE ANALYST
- INTERNATIONAL FREIGHT
FORWARDING SPECIALIST
- JOURNALIST
- MARINE PILOT
- TEACHER
- TRANSPORT PLANNER
- TRAVEL CONSULTANT
AND MANY MORE!



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APPRENTICESHIPS LINKED TO ENGLISH

- ADVERTISING & MEDIA EXECUTIVE
- BID & PROPOSAL CO-ORDINATOR
- BOOK BINDER
- EVENT ASSISTANT
- JOURNALIST
- MARKETING ASSISTANT
- PUBLIC RELATIONS & COMMUNICATIONS
- PUBLISHING ASSISTANT
- SOLICITOR
- TEACHING ASSISTANT
- AND MANY MORE!



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APPRENTICESHIPS LINKED TO GEOGRAPHY

- AGRICULTURAL PROFESSIONAL ADVISER
- ARBORICULTURIST
- CHARTERED TOWN PLANNER
- COUNTRYSIDE WORKER
- CROP TECHNICIAN
- ECOLOGIST
- GEOSCIENTIST
- GEOSPATIAL SURVEY TECHNICIAN
- LANDSCAPE TECHNICIAN
- TRAVEL CONSULTANT AND MANY MORE!



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APPRENTICESHIPS LINKED TO MUSIC

- ACOUSTICS TECHNICIAN
- ARTS THERAPIST
- ASSISTANT RECORDING TECHNICIAN
- BROADCAST AND MEDIA SYSTEMS ENGINEER
- CONTENT CREATOR
- CREATIVE INDUSTRIES PRODUCTION TECHNICIAN
- CREATIVE VENUE TECHNICIAN
- EVENT ASSISTANT
- POST PRODUCTION ENGINEER
- AND MANY MORE!



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APPRENTICESHIPS LINKED TO ART & DESIGN

- ARTS THERAPIST
 - ASSISTANT PUPPET MAKER
 - BESPOKE FURNITURE MAKER
 - FASHION STUDIO ASSISTANT
 - FLORIST
 - JUNIOR ADVERTISING CREATIVE
 - JUNIOR ANIMATOR
 - STORYBOARD ARTIST
 - CONTENT CREATOR
 - CURATOR
 - PHOTOGRAPHER
 - SCENIC ARTIST
- AND MANY MORE!**



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APPRENTICESHIPS LINKED TO MATHS

- AEROSPACE ENGINEER
- ASSISTANT ACCOUNTANT
- CHARTERED SURVEYOR
- CIVIL ENGINEER
- CLINICAL CODER
- COMPLIANCE & RISK OFFICER
- DEBT ADVISER
- FINANCIAL SERVICES
PROFESSIONAL
- FIRST OFFICER PILOT
- INSURANCE PROFESSIONAL
- PROFESSIONAL ECONOMIST
- AND MANY MORE!

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APPRENTICESHIPS LINKED TO FOOD TECHNOLOGY

- BAKER
- BUTCHER
- CHEF DE PARTIE
- COMMIS CHEF
- DAIRY TECHNICIAN
- DIETITIAN
- FISHMONGER
- FOOD & DRINK ENGINEER
- FOOD TECHNOLOGIST
- HOSPITALITY MANAGER
- HYGIENE SPECIALIST
- PACKAGING PROFESSIONAL
- AND MANY MORE!



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APPRENTICESHIPS LINKED TO RELIGIOUS STUDIES

- CHILDREN, YOUNG PEOPLE & FAMILIES PRACTITIONER
- CHURCH MINISTER
- COMPLIANCE & RISK OFFICER
- COMMUNITY HEALTH & WELLBEING OFFICER
- DATA SCIENTIST SLIDE 2
- PEER WORKER
- SOCIAL WORKER
- SOLICITOR
- TEACHER
- YOUTH WORKER
- AND MANY MORE!



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APPRENTICESHIPS LINKED TO PHYSICAL EDUCATION

- COMMUNITY ACTIVATOR COACH
- COMMUNITY SPORT AND HEALTH OFFICER
- GOLF GREENKEEPER
- LEISURE TEAM MEMBER
- OUTDOOR LEARNING SPECIALIST
- PERSONAL TRAINER
- SPORTS COACH
- SPORTS TURF OPERATIVE
- TEACHER
- YOUTH WORKER
- AND MANY MORE!



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APPRENTICESHIPS LINKED TO COMPUTING

- ARTIFICIAL INTELLIGENCE (AI) DATA SPECIALIST
- CYBER SECURITY TECHNICIAN
- DIGITAL FORENSIC TECHNICIAN
- DIGITAL USER EXPERIENCE (UX) PROFESSIONAL
- DEVOPS ENGINEER
- ROBOTIC ENGINEER
- SOFTWARE DEVELOPER
- AND MANY MORE!



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APPRENTICESHIPS LINKED TO SCIENCE

- BIOMEDICAL SCIENTIST
 - DOCTOR
 - HEALTHCARE SCIENCE ASSISTANT
 - LABORATORY SCIENTIST
 - METROLOGY TECHNICIAN
 - NUCLEAR SCIENTIST
 - PHARMACY SERVICES ASSISTANT
 - PHYSIOTHERAPIST
 - REGISTERED NURSE
 - SONOGRAPHER
- AND MANY MORE!**



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