

Apprenticeships



A great alternative to University

- Advanced (A level – level 3)
- Higher (Foundation Degree and above – 4, 5, 6, 7)
- Degree (Bachelor's or master's degree – 6, 7)

Higher Apprenticeships

- Higher Apprenticeships offer a work-based learning programme and lead to the following nationally recognised qualifications:
 - Level 4 and 5 – equivalent to a higher education certificate, higher education diploma or a foundation degree or
 - Level 6 – equivalent to a bachelor degree
- Higher Apprenticeships are currently available in the following sectors: **Business & IT, Construction, Creative, media & the arts, Customer service & retail, Energy, Engineering & electrical, Finance, Health & care, Hospitality & travel, Manufacturing, processing & logistics, Public services and Vehicles & transport.**
- Over 40 different subjects are currently covered, representing hundreds of job roles.

- As **higher apprenticeships** are the equivalent of a foundation degree, HNC or first year of a Bachelors, you'll usually need at least five A*-C or 9-4 grade GCSEs, as well as some Level 3 qualifications in relevant subjects, to apply. Your Level 3 qualifications could be AS-levels, a BTEC National or a level 3 NVQ.

Degree Apprenticeships

- Degree Apprenticeships are designed by industry to bring together the very best in higher and vocational education. Apprentices achieve a full Bachelor's or Master's degree as a core component of the apprenticeship.
- On a Degree Apprenticeship, you will be tested on your academic learning, as well as your wider skills and ability to do a job

- **Degree apprenticeships** will have the tightest entry requirements. These may include three A-levels in a specified grade range or a higher apprenticeship qualification, on top of at least five A*-C or 9-4 GCSE grades. It's likely you'll be required to have prior work experience.

The Higher and Degree Apprenticeship Listing shows vacancies from over 40 employers. You can apply for many of these apprenticeships and a place at university at the same time.

- https://assets.publishing.service.gov.uk/government/uploads/system/uploads/attachment_data/file/718807/Apps-Campaign-Listing-040618-LR.PDF

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