

BHASVIC

Employability & Enterprise (E&E)

Information Evening for parents

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Aims of this session:

Introduction to Apprenticeships

- How do they work?
- What are the benefits?

Overview of Employability & Enterprise (E&E)

Hear from two Apprentices

Q&A

What are apprenticeships?



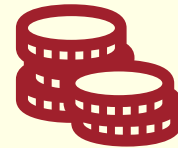
Employed



Off the job



Intermediate -
degree level



Paid a salary



Typically, 1-6 years



Real
responsibilities



Contract

600+

600+ standards



Not the easy
option

The Levels of Apprenticeships

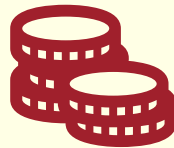
| Name | Level | Equivalent educational Level |
|--------------|--------------|---|
| Intermediate | 2 | 5 GCSE passes at grade A*-C or 4-9 |
| Advanced | 3 | A Levels / Level 3 BTECs / International Baccalaureate |
| Higher | 4,5,6 & 7 | Foundation degree and above |
| Degree | 6 & 7 | Bachelor's or master's degree |

Higher & Degree apprenticeships

Work full time and study part-time



Learning



Salary



No Debt



NUS



Experience

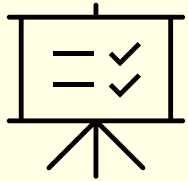


4-6 Years

University fees paid by employer and/or government

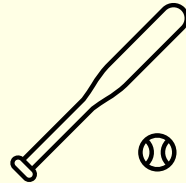
100+ Universities offer apprenticeships

Range of apprenticeships



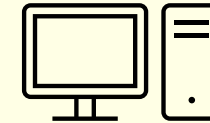
BUSINESS

- Accounting
- Project Management
- HR



SPORT

- Coaching
- Safety
- Trainer



IT

- Cybersecurity
- Website Design
- Software Engineer



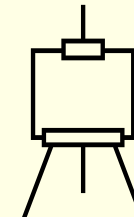
LAW

- Paralegal
- Solicitor
- Prosecution operations



HEALTH

- Nurse
- Dental Technician
- Veterinary Nurse



MEDIA & ART

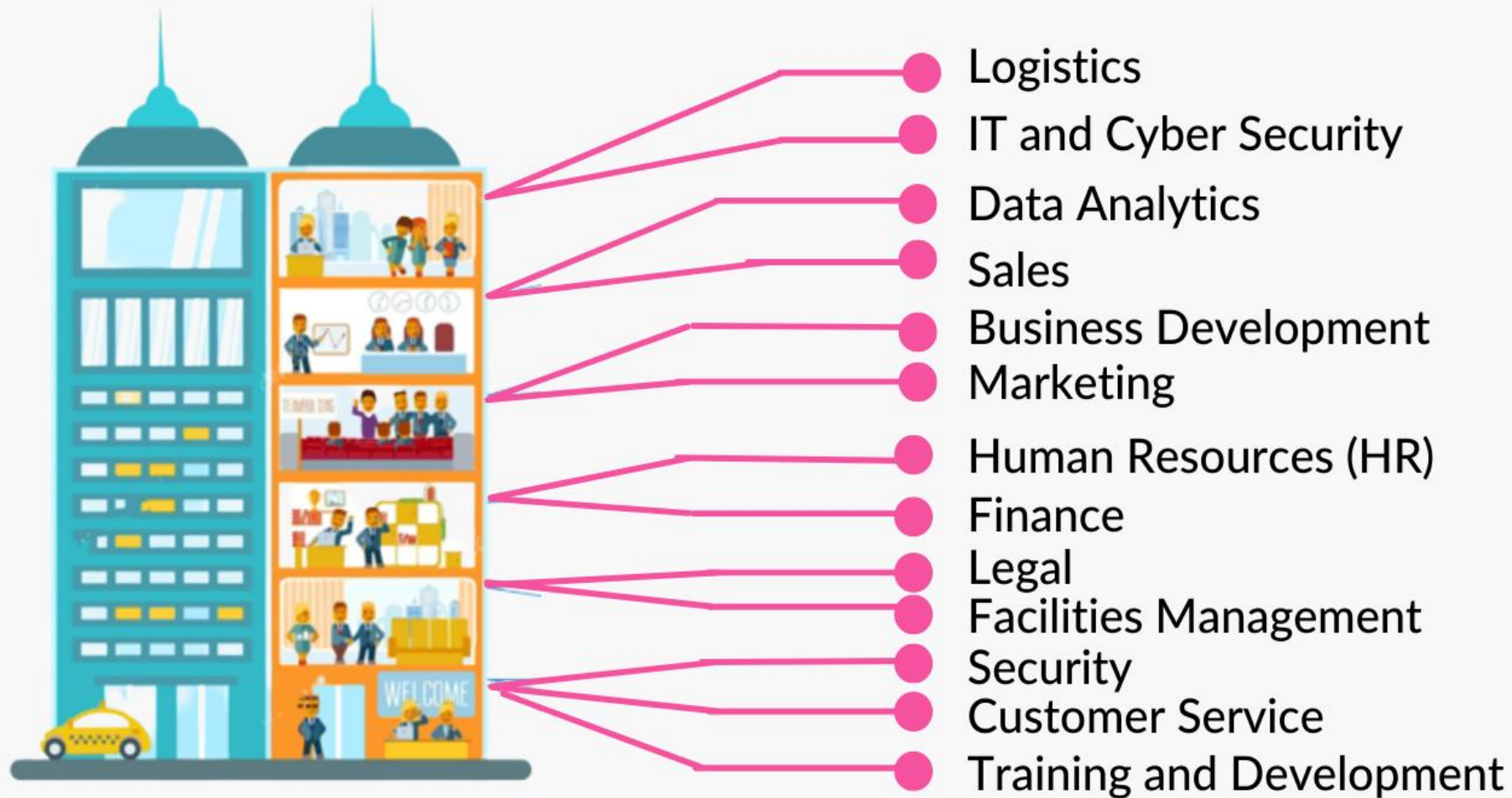
- Graphic Design
- Fashion
- Interior Design

Which employers offer apprenticeships?



Supported by
National
Apprenticeship
Service

Look inside the company



How do you find an apprenticeship?



**Register on Find An
Apprenticeship**



**Manage your
alerts**



**Do your
research**



**Contact
companies**



**Search and
apply**



To find an apprenticeship
visit **GOV.UK**

How to register

Let's do a search:

Find an apprenticeship

Find an apprenticeship in England.

You can apply for apprenticeships in [Scotland](#), [Northern Ireland](#) and [Wales](#).

Search >

You can also:

- [sign in](#) to your account
- [create an account](#) to manage your applications and get alerts about new apprenticeships

www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship



Carrying out a simple search

Find an apprenticeship
Search and apply for an apprenticeship in England

Search [Browse](#)

Keywords (optional)
Can include job title, employer or reference number

All

Your location
Enter postcode, town or city or [use current location](#)

Within

Apprenticeship level

All levels

Only show

Disability Confident

[Reset search options](#)

The screenshot shows a search form for finding an apprenticeship. It includes sections for Keywords (optional), Your location, Within, Apprenticeship level, and Only show. Red arrows point to the 'Digital' text in the Keywords field, the 'SG4 0AP' text in the Your location field, the '20 miles' text in the Within field, the 'All levels' text in the Apprenticeship level field, and the 'Disability Confident' checkbox in the Only show field.

Where else to look?



The company website



Social Media



Higher and Degree



Your friends and family

Why choose an Employability & Enterprise Tutor group?

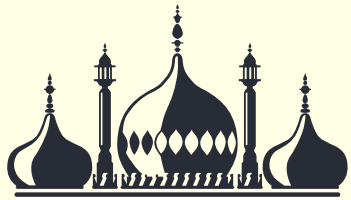
- ✓ Specialist preparation to move into apprenticeships or employment
- ✓ Guest visits from local employers and apprenticeship providers
- ✓ A focus on preparing for the world of work

Preparing for the world of work

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| Term 1 | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Writing a good CV• Registering for Apprenticeships• Exploring career possibilities• Current opportunities |
| Term 2 | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Developing employability skills• Writing strong applications• Interview practice |
| Term 3 | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Working with feedback• Exam preparation |

Recent visitors to Tutorials:

- **American Express**
- **Local Apprenticeship providers**
- **Apprentices (ex-students)**
- **Concordia** – Gap Year & volunteer programmes
- **GB MET college** – funded one-year courses
- **Plumpton College** – land, conservation & animal courses
- **Brighton University degree apprenticeships**



**Brighton & Hove
City Council**

These are the skills local employers are looking for:

Willingness to learn

Exploring ideas
Identifying opportunities
Decisiveness

Team Working

Working well with others
Contributing to the group
Collaboration

Initiative

Exploring ideas
Identifying opportunities
Decisiveness

Problem solving

Identify the problem
Generate ideas
Identify solutions

Communication

Speak clearly
Listen to others
Clear, concise written skills

Reliability

Follow instructions
Completion of tasks
Meet deadlines

Can students still make applications to UCAS, Art Foundation or other courses?

- **YES** – E&E Tutors support students with their applications
- **Our advice:** If applying to university, **join a UCAS group** UNLESS you can complete the UCAS form independently
- **Other Tutorial programme information is covered**
e.g. Wellbeing, Life Skills and Professional skills

Let's hear from two Apprentices

In Year 2 of their Police Apprenticeships:

- **Clement**
- **Grace**

Video clips from Amazing Apprenticeships

[Apprentice Story Films - Amazing Apprenticeships](#)

Current higher & degree apprenticeship vacancies:

[Higher & Degree Apprenticeships | Amazing Apprenticeships](#)

Links to Parent/Carer resources:

[Apprenticeships: Hints & Tips for Parents & Carers - Amazing Apprenticeships](#)

[Parent - Amazing Apprenticeships](#)

[Ammaarah Full guide_Parents & Carers Hints & Tips](#)

Local careers event coming up:



The poster features a vibrant background with overlapping purple, blue, and red shapes. On the left, the event title 'UK UNIVERSITY & APPRENTICESHIP SEARCH FAIR' is written in white. Below it, a calendar icon indicates the date '20th March 2026', a location pin icon shows 'Brighton', and a clock icon shows the time '9.30am - 2.30pm'. The venue 'Amex Stadium, Village Way, Brighton, BN1 9BL' is listed at the bottom left. A circular inset shows the Amex Stadium. On the right, a photograph shows a man in a blue shirt talking to a group of young people at a table covered with brochures. The 'UK University & Apprenticeship Search Fair' logo is in the top right corner.

UK UNIVERSITY & APPRENTICESHIP SEARCH FAIR

20th March 2026
Brighton
9.30am - 2.30pm

Amex Stadium, Village Way,
Brighton, BN1 9BL

Special Focus

- UCAS Applications
- Applying for Apprenticeships

**20th March
at the Amex stadium**

Any questions?

Feel free to email me if you have further questions:



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