

# 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

National T Levels Week will take place on Monday 2nd – Friday 6th December 2024. The week will focus on continuing to raise awareness of the many T Level subjects now available and showcase the success of the programme.

If you aren't sure what T Levels are, here are a range of resources to help you learn more:

- [Rapid Read: What are T Levels?](#)
- [What are T Levels Film](#)
- [T Levels Case Study – Digital Production, Design and Development](#)
- [T Level Case Study – Design, Surveying and Planning](#)
- [T Levels Parents and Carers' guide](#)



Are you thinking about applying for a T Level but don't know what to expect? [Take this short course](#) and see if it's the right pathway for you!

If you have ever thought to yourself 'when should I start preparing for an apprenticeship' or 'how can I prepare for an apprenticeship', [this is the video for you!](#)



Having a mentor is a great way to get personalised support and advice when it comes to your future. There are lots of organisations that exist to help you to find a mentor. Here are a few, please read the criteria as they vary from one organisation to the next; [Medic Mentor](#), [Big Sister](#), [One Million Mentors](#), [ScreenSkills](#)



You can also find a mentor from your personal network. [Here is guidance from the National Careers Service](#) on how to find a mentor and make the most of mentoring.

## JOB OF THE WEEK



### [Judicial Law Clerk](#)

A Judicial Law Clerk, also known as a Law Clerk or Judicial Assistant, is a professional (often a lawyer) who provides direct counsel and assistance to a lawyer or judge by researching issues and drafting legal opinions for cases before the court. Watch the video to learn more about working hours, salary and qualifications needed.

## LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION FACT

The average salary for the Legal industry in the UK is £48,476 per year, but it can pay up to £91,724 (and beyond!).


There have been 166,485 vacancies in the past year and the industry is set to grow by 5.75% over next eight years.

[Source](#)


If you have any questions or need support, please email [contactus@birchwoodhigh.org](mailto:contactus@birchwoodhigh.org)

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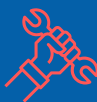


Check out this [list of employers currently recruiting for Higher and Degree Apprenticeships](#). It is not inclusive (unfortunately, there isn't a way to see every available apprenticeship in one place at the moment) but the list is very extensive. To find more information on any opportunities that you're interested in, search the name of the company followed by the word "Apprenticeships" which should take you to the best page of their website to find more info.




Here are some [upcoming Speakers for Schools webinars](#) that you may find useful. Please note: Registration for our livestream events is open until 12 pm the day before the scheduled broadcast date.

### 9th December: The World of Journalism And Presenting




Curious about what it's like to be a journalist or a radio presenter? Join Nick Robinson, the presenter of BBC Radio 4's Today Show, for an exciting talk about the world of journalism and broadcasting. Nick will share his journey from starting out as a journalist to becoming one of the leading voices on British radio. Learn about the skills needed to break into journalism, the importance of asking the right questions, and how to tell impactful stories that keep people informed.

### 11th December: Ready for Takeoff: Launching a career in Aviation with the CAA



The Aviation industry is huge and there's so much to get involved with! Learn from a panel of the CAA team and their different roles as they unpack their journeys and experiences into engineering, legal routes, and tech. There's more than meets the eye, let's unpack it together!



Following on from Anti Bullying week, Student Jobs have put together some information about how bullying affects people in the workplace. It also helps to know your rights within the workplace. You can [read this guide](#) to learn more about your employee rights, what you are entitled to and what you are not. Student Job have made it super easy for you to understand all that legal jargon so you can learn the key information you need to know.

## EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT

"We pride ourselves on giving new lawyers a truly unique experience. Whether you're a student or graduate we aim to give you the tools and experience to forge a successful career in law.

That means combining learning with experience, and giving you the opportunity to work with people at all levels of our business."

Read more about [DLA Piper Careers here](#).

## UNI SPOTLIGHT

"Our undergraduate courses in law, business, criminology, policing, psychology & computer science have been specially designed to give you an exciting, practical academic experience, teaching you real-world skills so that you can achieve your ambitions. 94% of postgraduates were in employment or further study 15 months after graduating."

Read more about [The University of Law courses here](#).

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