

Shenfield High School 2020

Virtual Careers Fair Information Booklet



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The Purpose of this Booklet:

It is at this time of year when Shenfield High School run the Careers Fair for our Y8-Y13 students. Shenfield High School prides itself on the practical opportunities and advice we give to our students for their career planning, through Practice Interviews Days, Employer Engagement Days and specialist talks. However, due to Covid-19 these events have not been able to take place this year. We realise that young people have only a limited knowledge of the many challenging, interesting and fulfilling careers that are available to them, and this is why we run the In-house Careers Fair annually.

Following guidance issued by the Government we have had to take the decision to cancel our Careers Fair and have therefore produced this booklet so that students and parents have support during these uncertain times.

We look forward to running our event in 2021.

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LEARNING FOR LIFE



SIXTH FORM
INFORMATION AND COURSES 2020

High expectations and a positive ethos are at the heart of our successful Sixth Form. Focused on educating the whole person, we ensure students develop the skills, knowledge and experience they need to be fully equipped for their future. We encourage all students to involve themselves fully in the array of opportunities available to them to ensure they can write competitive applications for Higher Education and employment.

All students are provided with a full and varied curriculum and continuous support and guidance so they are successful academically and personally.

Sixth Form students are ambassadors for the school and excellent role models to the younger years. At Shenfield High School, students have a safe and happy environment in which to work.

I look forward to us working together to ensure our students become successful adults.

Mr A Cooke
Head of Sixth Form

www.shenfield.essex.sch.uk/the-sixth-form.aspx

<http://www.shenfield.essex.sch.uk/the-sixth-form/prospectus.aspx>



| Local College | Name | What do they offer... | Website: |
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|  Barking & Dagenham College | Barking & Dagenham College | Barking & Dagenham College is a mixed further education college in Rush Green, Romford, Essex, England. It is one of the leading providers of intermediate, advanced and higher apprenticeship training in London. | Barking and Dagenham College Romford Telephone: 020 8090 3020 Website: https://www.barkingdagenhamcollege.ac.uk/ |
|  | Chelmsford College | Whether you are about to leave school, want to study part-time to improve your skills or would like to get onto an Apprenticeship programme, we want you to know that Chelmsford College Group can help. | Chelmsford College Tel: 01245 265611 or 01245 293031 Website: www.chelmsford-college.ac.uk |
|  | Colchester Institute | Colchester Institute is a leading provider in technical learning offering courses in Further Education, Higher Education and Apprenticeships equipping students with the practical skills, qualifications and vital work experience | Colchester Institute Telephone: 01206 712620 email schoolsliason@colchester.ac.uk Website: www.colchester.ac.uk |
|  | Harlow College | Harlow College offers an exciting range of vocational courses, A Levels and apprenticeship opportunities enabling you to make the right choice for your future. | Harlow College Phone: 01279 868000 Email: admissions@harlow-college.ac.uk Website: https://www.harlow-college.ac.uk |
|  | Harlow – Stansted Airport College | Stansted Airport College offers a unique opportunity to study courses that will lead you to an exciting career in the aviation industry. | Stansted Airport College Phone: 01279 868000 Email: admissions@harlow-college.ac.uk Web: http://www.stanstedairportcollege.ac.uk |
|  | Havering College | We at Havering offer * Vocation and Professional Training, * A Levels, * Higher Education and * Apprenticeships. Year 11 www.havering.ac.uk/life-at-college/supporting-you/year-11 | Jamie Webb jwebb@haveringcollege.ac.uk website: www.havering.ac.uk |
|  | New City College | New City College is one of the largest colleges in East London providing our community with a large choice of courses to help them progress and achieve their aspirations. | New City College Havering Campus Telephone: 01708 455011 Website: www.nclondon.ac.uk/havering-colleges |
| | New City Sixth Form | New City Centre Sixth Form Campus | Telephone: 01708 514400 |
|  | South Essex College | South Essex College of Further and Higher Education, also known as South Essex College, is a further education college located over three main sites in Basildon, Southend-On-Sea and Grays in Essex, England | South Essex College Basildon, Canvey, Leigh, Southend and Thurrock Telephone: 0345 52 12345 Website: www.southessex.ac.uk |
|  | USP Unified SEEVIC & Palmers College AND ITEC Ltd | Unified Seevic Palmers College. Get the Career You Want. At USP College, we want to give everyone the support to reach their dream career. Start your journey. | Benfleet/Grays Tele: SEEVC 01268 756111 Telephone: Palmers 01375 370121 Website: www.uspcollege.ac.uk |
|  | Writtle College | Writtle University College is a Specialist 'land based' College & University located in Chelmsford offering a diverse range of subjects from Dog Grooming to Sport and Exercise Science to Art and the Environment. We offer qualifications starting from L2 BTECs right up to L7 Postgraduate study. | Writtle University College Chelmsford Telephone: 01245 424200 Website: www.writtle.ac.uk www.wuc-outreachhub.co.uk askalecturer@writtle.ac.uk |

YOUR JOURNEY to University



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Spring
Think
Now is a good time to think about your future!
What would you like to do after school?

2

Early summer
Research
Take the time to investigate your options – from subjects to universities, entry requirements to application dates. Use all available resources such as the internet, prospectuses, virtual events, parents, teachers and the Complete University Guide.

5

Spring
Offers
What happens next depends on the offers you receive. It's time to apply for student finance and accommodation. Work hard to pass your exams and secure your place!

3

Late summer and autumn
Decisions
Narrow down your choices by going to university open days and virtual events, and researching in more detail. Think about your predicted grades and be realistic.

4

Winter
Applying
By now you'll have your five course and university choices. Sell yourself in a standout personal statement and submit your UCAS application.

6

Summer
Results day
Congratulations on your results! Plan in advance in case you need to use Clearing or Adjustment.

7

Autumn
Prepare to go
Organise everything you need to start university. And most importantly, go and enjoy yourself!



UCAS services support young people making post-16 choices, as well as those applying for undergraduate and postgraduate courses.

UCAS is an independent charity providing information, advice, and admissions services to inspire and facilitate educational progression. UCAS is more than just an undergraduate admissions portal. We offer several services for different audiences, and those who want to reach them. www.ucas.com/virtual-exhibitions

The banner features a dark blue background with a white UCAS logo in the top right corner. The main text is in white and purple. A purple horizontal line is above the main heading. The text includes a call to action, a list of exhibition topics with dates, and a 'SIGN UP NOW' button with a URL.

UCAS

DISCOVER YOUR OPTIONS AT A UCAS VIRTUAL EXHIBITION

Speak to unis, take part in live sessions, and get your questions answered!

WHAT'S ON...

- Business, law, and finance** – 30 September
- Biological and physical sciences** – 16 October
- Social sciences, humanities, and teaching** – 23 - 24 October
- Maths, engineering, and computing** – 2 - 3 November
- Creative subjects** – 13 - 14 November

SIGN UP NOW
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UK University Search

We know that your next step in education is a big one. UK University Search will enable you to find your perfect university course. By following our simple step-by-step search tool you'll be able to easily find which courses suit you best and compare them. You'll also be able to find your UCAS tariff points, book a visit using our open days calendar and read vital blogs covering a whole range of topics including finance, clearing and the UCAS application process. You can also explore all of the UK's university and college courses using our directory. The site also enables you to apply for hundreds of apprenticeships run by the UK's most prestigious companies.

In addition to this we host a number of large scale university and apprenticeship fairs across the country. We have welcomed thousands of students to our events, and host them at some of the UK's most iconic stadiums, including the Emirates Stadium, Old Trafford, Anfield, St James' Park, Elland Road and many others.

<https://www.ukuniversitysearch.com/>



| Name | Website |
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| UKUniversitySearch | https://www.ukuniversitysearch.com/ |
| A List Education | www.alisteducation.com |
| A Star Future | https://www.astarfuture.co.uk/ |
| Aberystwyth University | https://www.aber.ac.uk/en/ |
| BIMM | www.bimm.ac.uk |
| Bournemouth University | www.bournemouth.ac.uk |
| Bristol UWE | www.info.uwe.ac.uk |
| Brunel University | www.brunel.ac.uk |
| Bucks New University | www.bucks.ac.uk |
| Canterbury Christchurch University | www.canterbury.ac.uk/study-here |
| Coventry University | www.coventry.ac.uk/study-at-coventry |
| Edge Hill | www.edgehill.ac.uk/study/visit-us/open-days |
| Escape Studies | www.pearsoncollegelondon.ac.uk |
| University of Essex | www.essex.ac.uk/life/colchester-campus |
| Fulbright Commission | www.fulbright.org.uk/events |
| Harper Adams University | www.harper-adams.ac.uk/events |
| HZ University of Applied Sciences | www.info.hz.nl/en/online-open-day |
| Keele University | www.keele.ac.uk/discover/opendays |
| Kingston University | www.kingston.ac.uk/open-days |
| Lancaster University | www.lancasteruniversity.secure.force.com |
| Leiden University - Netherlands | https://www.universiteitleiden.nl/en |
| Les Roches and Glion | https://lesroches.edu/ |
| London College of Communication - UAL | www.arts.ac.uk |
| LSE | www.lse.ac.uk/study-at-lse |
| Manchester Metropolitan University | www2.mmu.ac.uk/study |
| Northumbria | www.northumbria.ac.uk |
| QMUL - Queen Mary University of London | www.qmul.ac.uk |
| Regent's University | www.regents.ac.uk/events |
| Royal Central School of Speech and Drama | www.cssd.ac.uk |
| Royal Holloway (London) | www.royalholloway.ac.uk/student-life |
| Scottish Universities | www.gla.ac.uk/explore/visit |
| St George's University of London | www.sgul.ac.uk/study/undergraduate-study |
| Swansea University | www.swansea.ac.uk/virtual-open-day |
| The University Guys | www.theuniversityguys.com |
| Tio University, Netherlands | www.tio.nl/en/open-days/ |
| UA92, Manchester | www.ua92.ac.uk/events |

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| UCLAN - University of Central Lancashire | www.uclan.ac.uk |
| UEA - University of East Anglia | www.uea.ac.uk/study/webinars |
| University of Law (Law Business, Criminology, Policing) | www.law.ac.uk |
| University of Bath | www.bath.ac.uk/events |
| University of Birmingham | www.birmingham.ac.uk |
| University of Bradford | www.bradford.ac.uk |
| University of Brighton | www.brighton.ac.uk |
| University of Bristol | www.channeltalent.co.uk |
| University of Cumbria | www.cumbria.ac.uk/about/events |
| University of Huddersfield | www.hud.ac.uk/open-days |
| University of Leicester | www.le.ac.uk/study/undergraduates |
| University of Liverpool | www.liverpool.ac.uk |
| University of Manchester | www.manchester.ac.uk/study |
| University of Pecs (Hungary) | www.international.pte.hu |
| University of Reading | www.reading.ac.uk/ready-to-study |
| University of Sheffield | www.sheffield.ac.uk |
| University of Strathclyde | www.strath.ac.uk/studywithus |
| University of Winchester | www.winchester.ac.uk |
| USA Universities | www.theuniversityguys.com |
| Wittenborg University of Applied Sciences | www.wittenborg.eu |



Hertfordshire University would like to share with you:

[A Parent Guide to University.](#)

Please find the link to the prerecorded parent talk:

<https://www.herts.ac.uk/about-us/school-and-college-liaison/getting-ready-for-university/parents-university-unpacked>

Hertfordshire University have a range of other pre-recorded talks for students on a range of topics such as why go to university, choosing the right course, the application process, personal statements and student finance: <https://www.herts.ac.uk/about-us/school-and-college-liaison/getting-ready-for-university>

The University of Hertfordshire

Apprenticeships & Traineeships

For up to date information about local vacancies, please visit: <https://www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship>

What is an Apprenticeship?

An apprenticeship gives you a unique opportunity to gain a qualification and work experience and earn a wage at the same time. Apprenticeships are available from Level 2 (equivalent to GCSE 9-4) all the way up to Degree level in some occupational areas.

What are Traineeships?

Traineeships (sometimes referred to as Pre-Apprenticeships) are work experience placements with employers (occasionally paid) lasting from six weeks to six months. With a traineeship, you will gain employability skills, functional skills in English and Maths (if needed) and meaningful work experience. It could lead to an apprenticeship with an employer.

Training Providers that frequently deliver apprenticeship and/or traineeship opportunities for young people in the local area:

ACL: Essex County Council-Apprenticeships in Business Administration, Customer Service and more www.aclessex.com/apprenticeships-in-essex

Aim Apprenticeships: <https://www.theaimgroup.co.uk/>

Barking and Dagenham College: <https://www.barkingdagenhamcollege.ac.uk/find/courses-for-me/apprenticeship-vacancies>

Central Training: Hairdressing, Barbering, Retail & Customer Service, Digital Marketing, Teaching Assistant and Business Administration <https://www.centraltraininggroup.com>

Chelmsford College: Accountancy, Electrical Engineering, Warehouse and more <https://www.chelmsford.ac.uk/courses/apprenticeships-view.asp>

Crown College: Business Administration, Customer Service, Estate Agency, Lettings and Property Management, Learning and Development and Retail <https://www.crownvocationaltraining.co.uk/apprenticeships/>

Debut: Nails and Beauty <https://debutacademy.com/>

Eden Training: Care and Child Care <http://edentraining.co.uk/>

Hit Training: Hospitality and Catering <https://hittraining.co.uk/contact-us>

Ixion Holdings: <https://www.ixionholdings.com/> Contact: Bethany.bruce@ixionholdings.com Traineeship programmes in Customer Service, Business Administration, and Retail & Hospitality.

JET: Hairdressing <https://www.j-etraining.com/>

The Lightbulb: Business Administration, Digital Marketing and Teaching Assistant <https://www.thelightbulbapprenticeships.com/>

Key Training: Business Administration and Customer Service www.keytraining.co.uk/young-person-looking-for-an-apprenticeship/

New City College: <https://www.ncclondon.ac.uk/apprenticeships>

QA Apprenticeships: Business Administration and IT related <https://www.qa.com/learners/become-an-apprentice/apprenticeships-vacancies/>

South Essex College: Hair, Welding, Construction and more <https://www.southessex.ac.uk/apprenticeships>

TCHC Apprenticeships: www.tchc.net/individual/apprenticeships

Unified SEEVIC and Palmers: Accountancy, Business Administration, Early Years, Teaching Assistant and IT <https://www.uspcollege.ac.uk/courses-apprenticeships/>

VTS: Business Administration, Child Care and Health and Social Care <https://vts.ac.uk/information-for-apprentices/>

WhiteHat: Business, Accountancy and Tech Apprenticeships in London: <https://whitehat.org.uk/>

Foundation Learning Programmes

Foundation Learning Providers offer English and Maths qualifications often alongside vocational elements to help improve your skills and get you ready to undertake an apprenticeship opportunity. This option often counts as Approved Training.

Crown College: <https://www.crownvocationaltraining.co.uk/pre-apprenticeships/business-it-level-2-course/> Level 2 Business Administration and IT Course based in Leigh on Sea. You will be required to attend 4 days a week over 20 weeks and will have the chance to improve your Maths and English

Debut <https://debutacademy.com/training-courses/funded/> a range of beauty related courses.

Eden Training: <http://edentraining.co.uk/16-18/study-program/>

Level 1 and 2 Health and Social Care course based in Leigh on Sea, is a good starting point for a career in Health and Social Care or Child Care. The course includes college and work experience and a chance to improve Maths and English.

Life skills: <https://learnaliving.co.uk/centres/basildon/> Level 1 and 2 courses in Employability, Construction, Customer Services, Health and Social Care and Motor Vehicle. Courses are run over 26 weeks and you will be required to attend either 4 mornings or afternoons a week and the opportunity to improve Math and English.

Plan B Programme: (Via Essex Youth Service) <https://youth.essex.gov.uk/young-people/plan-b/> Starts September: This is a 10-week programme includes Maths and English Functional Skills and Level 1 Health and Safety and Level 2 Customer Services.

TCHC: Positive Directions Programme and GAPS Programme

Both these options are being taught online by tutors. Positive Directions is a short course aimed at reengaging young people that have been out of education or unemployed for a while. GAPS is longer term. Both courses include functional skills in English and Maths with an opportunity to link into various areas. Contact: Positivedirections@tchc.net

WS Training - Next Steps Programme www.wstraining.co.uk usually delivered in Colchester, however due to the current restrictions, online learning can currently be accessed for young people across the county. Training includes functional skills qualifications in English and Maths plus the opportunity to work towards an accredited vocational qualification. Contact: CBarnett@wstraining.co.uk

Have a specific careers question? we have local employers and companies that would have been at this years Careers Fair and are happy to assist you where possible...

Admin, Office Work and Business

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|  | Athona Recruitment | Athona Recruitment place healthcare & education professionals into jobs across the UK. We carefully listen to our candidate and clients requirements, always ensuring we match the right people to the right role. | www.athona.com/work-with-us/apprenticeships/ |
|  | Adapt Recruitment | We specialise in seeking out the best positions for talented and ambitious candidates, assisting them in securing the right role for them. We ensure a recruitment process is efficient, focused and successful. | For advice in a recruitment role Penny Darby - Senior Consultant Email: pdarby@adaptrecruit.com www.adaptrecruit.com |
|  | Quest Professional – Training and Recruiting for Business. | Equipping A Level and University leavers with the business acumen, employability and interview skills required to fast track them into the world of work. | https://www.questprofessional.co.uk/ Tel: 020 7233 5957 https://www.questprofessional.co.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/08/Quest-Professional-Brochure-2020-1.pdf |
|  | Pearson Business School | Study your degree at Pearson Business School and you'll be immersed in business from day one. You can choose to study a degree in one of the following areas: Business Management, Law, Accountancy and Marketing. Our alumni have gone on to successful careers, working for corporate giants like BBC Studios, UEFA, Goldman Sachs and Sainsbury's, and some have even started their own businesses. | Pearson College London 190 High Holborn WC1V 7BH T: +44 (0) 203 44 11 303 (option 1) E: school.liaison@pearsoncollegelondon.ac.uk W: pearsoncollegelondon.ac.uk |

Armed Forces and Security

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|  | Royal Navy | A future in the Royal Navy can be whatever you want it to be and with over 100 different roles available, there's something for everyone. | www.royalnavy.mod.uk/madeintheroyalnavy |
|  | Royal Army | Find out about training, adventure and travel opportunities available, for full time (Regular) and part time (Reserve) soldiers and officers. When you join the Army, you'll need to know about the values and standards we expect. You can also find out how we will respect you, whatever your faith, sexual orientation or gender. | https://apply.army.mod.uk/what-we-offer Army Careers Centre Dorset House, 1-3 Duke St, Chelmsford CM1 1HQ Phone: 01245 355925 |
|  | RAF | If you would like general information about RAF careers please visit and watch the videos here: https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=1sM3E4xFB0Y https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=K6fHw8XpnGA | https://www.raf.mod.uk/ https://www.raf.mod.uk/recruitment/ |

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|  | Essex County Fire and Rescue | Essex County Fire and Rescue Service (ECFRS) is one of the largest fire and rescue services in the country. The Service is governed by Essex Police, Fire and Crime Commissioner Fire and Rescue Authority (EPFCC). The EPFCC Fire and Rescue Authority is responsible for fire and rescue services covering an area over 1,400 square miles and a population of 1.8 million | https://join.essex-fire.gov.uk/ https://www.essex-fire.gov.uk/About Us |
|  | Essex Police | Essex Police is a territorial police force responsible for policing the county of Essex, in the east of England, consisting of over 1.7 million people and around 1,400 square miles. www.mod.police.uk/recruitment/useful-advice.html www.nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/searchresults?searchTerm=Police www.prospects.ac.uk/search?q=job%20profile%20police%20officer%20 | https://www.essex.police.uk/ https://www.essex.police.uk/police-forces/essex-police/areas/essex-police/ca/careers/ |
|  | Ward Security Training Academy | Our HABC approved training academy provides professional training and qualifications for the security industry. The Academy principles are founded on providing excellence through training, | www.ward-security.co.uk/services/training-academy/ |

Building and Construction

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|  | CITB Construction Industry Training Board | CITB is the industry training board for the construction sector in England, Scotland and Wales. It's our job to help the construction industry attract talent and to support skills development, to build a better Britain. We are an executive non-departmental public body in charge of our budget and activities. Sponsored by the Department for Education, we are also accountable to government ministers, and ultimately Parliament. https://www.citb.co.uk/about-citb/contact-citb/ | CITB Advisers can support you in diagnosing skills gaps, advising on apprenticeships, legislation and training, as well as signposting you to other sources of help and advice. CITB Advisers provide advice to businesses on levy and grant information by discussing your needs and options with you. Our support is industry-wide and includes services for Small Medium Enterprises (SMEs), Federations and large construction employers. You can contact an available CITB Advisor by emailing: partnershipteam@citb.co.uk . |
|  | CIAT Chartered Institute of Architectural Technologists Higher and Further Education/Apprenticeship | Architectural Technology is the technology of architecture; a creative, innovative design discipline rooted in science and engineering. Chartered Architectural Technologists are responsible for ensuring that their designs result in buildings and structures that are functional, constructed economically and perform efficiently and effectively while meeting user needs, environmental sustainability, regulatory and budgetary requirements. | https://ciat.org.uk/education.html Education Department education@ciat.org.uk (0)20 7278 2206 www.ciat.org.uk |
|  | Choice Training Ltd | We deliver apprenticeship training for companies such as; The Bank of England, Sodexo, Kylemore Services and many more. We have a 98.1% success rate for apprentice completion. 100% of our apprentices remained in work. We host our company networking days and award ceremonies throughout the year. Along with our employers we make the apprenticeship journey as productive and enjoyable as possible. | Choice Training Seareach House, Wantz Road Dagenham , Essex RM10 8PS UK Tel: 02036516060 |

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|  | <p>JTL – Training</p> <p>Sector: Building Services Engineering (part of the construction sector)</p> | <p>Apprenticeship courses offered: Electrical and Plumbing & Heating. Traineeships also offered.</p> <p>JTL is one of the largest work-based learning providers in England and Wales working with over 3,500 businesses from large corporations to small local suppliers. We currently work with approximately 8,000 learners and train more apprentices than anyone else in the building services engineering sector.</p> | <p>JTL Customers Services Unit National Administration Centre 3rd Floor, Redwither Tower, Redwither Business Park, Wrexham, LL13 9XT Freephone: 0800 0852 308 Email: info@jtltraining.com Website: www.jtltraining.com</p> |
|  | <p>KWUK – Real Estate</p> | <p>With over 180,000 agents worldwide, Keller Williams is the largest real estate company in the world. Global we may be, but it's locally where we make a difference.</p> | <p>https://www.kwuk.com/</p> |
|  | <p>Pathways to Property – Training for Real Estate</p> | <p>Do you have the curiosity and creativity for a career in the world of property? Join us to learn about a career in real estate. Whether you want to be the next sustainability star, estates expert or managing director of a project, this course showcases the real estate sector and the wide variety of career possibilities within.</p> | <p>www.futurelearn.com/courses/pathways-to-property</p> |
|  | <p>Travis Perkins</p> | <p>Travis Perkins is one of the largest suppliers of building materials to the UK's building and construction industry. We have built an enviable reputation for product quality and expert customer service, and are proud to have helped build Britain for over 200 years.</p> | <p>https://www.tpplccareers.co.uk/apprenticeships</p> |
|  | <p>Royal Town Planning Institute</p> | <p>Whether you're looking to get into planning by studying an accredited degree or through an apprenticeship, or simply want to know more about what town planning involves and what planners do, you can find it all here.</p> | <p>The Royal Town Planning Institute 41 Botolph Lane London EC3R 8DL contact@rtpi.org.uk www.rtpi.org.uk/become-a-planner/</p> |

Education and Training

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|  | <p>Billericay Education Consortium</p> | <p>The Billericay Educational Consortium is one of the top performing School-Led Initial Teacher Training providers in the country. School based training in both Primary and Secondary phases. The training combines mentoring by excellent classroom practitioners in schools across Essex together with weekly academic study of pedagogical theory. We offer the opportunity to achieve recommendation for QTS or to gain QTS with a PGCE worth 60 masters credits. This is an internationally recognised qualification. Tax-free bursaries and scholarships are available to applicants looking to teach in most subjects.</p> | <p>https://www.billericayscitt.com Details about our courses, financial incentives and entry requirements can be found on our website. Alternatively, please telephone: 01268 477611 (ext. 476) for Secondary. 01268 477611 (ext. 472) for Primary.</p> |
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|  | <p>Mid-Essex Initial Teacher Training</p> | <p>Did you know that you can train to be a teacher at a local school in Essex? Mid Essex ITT trains around 50 secondary school teachers every year in local schools, including Shenfield High School. We appoint applicants who have the necessary talents, commitment and enthusiasm to become effective teachers at Key Stages 3, 4 and 5. We share with trainees a common interest of wanting them to succeed in achieving QTS.</p> | <p>www.midessexteachertraining.com Notley High School & Braintree Sixth Form, Notley Road, Braintree, Essex CM7 1WY T:01376 556398 E: admin@midessexteachert raining.com</p> |
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Environmental, Animals and Plants

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|  | <p>Ground Control Caring for our Environment</p> | <p>A strong commitment to the environment, and playing our part in protecting it, has always been a core guiding principle at Ground Control.</p> | <p>https://www.ground-control.co.uk/</p> |
|  | <p>School of Horticulture RHS</p> | <p>Do you love the outdoors? Are you interested in nature, plants, gardening and horticulture? During our two-year apprenticeship programme you'll work in our beautiful RHS Hyde Hall Garden in Essex alongside skilled and experienced staff, whilst also studying at college.</p> | <p>https://www.rhs.org.uk/education-learning You'll get to establish, and maintain formal and informal garden areas, learn how to be environmentally aware, and use tools, techniques and machinery that will equip you for life in the industry. www.rhs.org.uk/apprenticeships schoolofhorticulture@rhs.org.uk</p> |
|  | <p>House of Jackson</p> | <p>House and Jackson are working tirelessly with Covid restriction. For careers advice, please email.</p> | <p>alyson.hicks@houseandjackson.co.uk. https://animalowners.rcvs.org.uk/veterinary-careers/i-want-to-be-a-vet/</p> |
|  | <p>Capel Manor College</p> | <p>Capel Manor College is London's only specialist environmental college, offering a diverse range of full and part-time courses in further and higher education for young people and adults.</p> | <p>https://www.capel.ac.uk/</p> |

Catering and Hospitality

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|  | <p>Pabulum Catering</p> | <p>We are a professional catering company. We focus solely on the education sector & provide tasty, nutritious & healthy school meals to children & students aged 4-18 years, at schools & colleges within 125miles of our offices in Hampshire</p> | <p>Mr Owen English www.pabulum-catering.co.uk shenfieldsSHE444@pabulum-catering.co.uk</p> |
|  | <p>Edge Hotel School</p> | <p>The hospitality and events industries can take you all over the world. From airlines, to cruise ships, to hotels and restaurants - there are hundreds of amazing careers waiting for you. The Edge Hotel School at the University of Essex provides industry-led hospitality and events management degrees with hands-on experience in a real 4* hotel on the campus, and the flexibility to choose a degree structure that suits you.</p> | <p>www.essex.ac.uk/departments/edge-hotel-school To find out more about studying at the Edge Hotel School contact admit@essex.ac.uk or 01206 873 666.</p> |

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|  | Lifetime Training | We deliver quality apprenticeship training, expert vocational courses and recruitment solutions for employees and individuals in different industries. | https://www.lifetimetraining.co.uk/ |
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Computers and IT

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|  | CAD | CAD SERVICES is one of the UK's leading comprehensive BIM and Computer Aided Drafting solution specialists, providing simple 2D drafting through to BIM modelling to BS.1192 and LOD standards. Complimented with 3D visualization and remote access file viewing services, we are delivering tailored solutions to leading Building Services Consultants, Contractors and Architects. | https://www.cadservices.com/careers/ - Apprenticeships advertised here. |
|  | Cyber Security Training with IT Career Switch | Our Cyber Security Traineeship is the easiest way to start a new career in IT with fantastic career prospects. Our simple four step process will give you all of the training and certifications required to break into the industry. | https://itcareerswitch.co.uk/contact-us/ |

Financial Services

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|  | Barclays Bank | Barclays™ Life Skills - Support For All Ages. Developed with teachers to help improve the skills of young people. Sign up now. Free Information & Advice. Gain Experience. Learn Valuable Skills. Job Hunting Toolbox. Identify Skills. Be Inspired. Finding An Apprentice. Services: Job Hunting Toolbox | www.barclayslifeskills.com/  |
|  | Lloyds Bank | Take a look at the roles within Lloyds including graduates, internship and scholars' information, in the careers section of our website. Start your career journey with us as an apprentice, undergraduate or graduate, and find out where your strengths will take you. | www.lloydsbankinggroup.com/careers https://www.lloydsbankinggrouptalent.com/ |
|  | Investment 2020 | Investment20/20 is the careers site where you can learn about the investment management industry and all its opportunities. We provide access to school leaver and graduate trainee programmes across our 42 partner companies. We run a vibrant Investment20/20 network for all our trainees with regular events and a trainee forum. | For general enquiries: info@investment2020.org.uk https://www.investment2020.org.uk/contact-us |
|  | RSMUK | On 26 October 2015 the firm adopted the name RSM and united under a single global brand with RSM audit, tax and consulting firms across the world. | https://www.rsmuk.com/careers |

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|  | Pearson College London | We're a boutique institution offering a range of undergraduate and postgraduate degrees, Degree Apprenticeships and short courses. Part of Pearson, a FTSE 100 company, we pride ourselves on offering a unique, supportive and close-knit environment, where everyone can succeed. | Pearson College London 190 High Holborn WC1V 7BH T: +44 (0) 203 44 11 303 (option 1) E: school.liaison@pearsoncollegelondon.ac.uk W: pearsoncollegelondon.ac.uk |
|  | Edmund Carr | We are an approved training provider for ICAEW and ACCA offering accountancy apprenticeships/training programmes for school leavers and graduates. For more information visit our website. | Dawn Martin, Practice Manager DMartin@EdmundCarr.com 01245 261818 (only Tues, Wed, Thur) www.edmundcarr.com/careers |

Hair and Beauty

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|  | Headlines Hairdressers | Train to be a Hairdresser by one of our very own qualified hairdressers. As a company, we know what is needed to be a successful hairdresser in a busy salon. Join our dynamic company as an apprentice, and by being part of Headlines you will not only complete your standard NVQ qualifications, you will also learn the additional skills required to develop your career and achieve your full potential as a creative hairdresser. | https://www.headlineshairdressing.com/ Please email your CV to recruitment@groupmomentum.net and start your career in hairdressing. |
|  | Central Training Group SETTING APPRENTICES ON THE PATH TO SUCCESS | Central Training Group's hairdressing apprenticeships were founded in 1988 and have trained thousands of apprentices wanting to establish a career in Hairdressing. Train in hairdressing at a location to suit you, choose from our academies in London, Essex, Kent, Derby and Suffolk. You'll receive exceptional hands-on training, supported with online learning and coaching, as well as on the job work experience to build your skills. | www.centraltraininggroup.com/ www.centraltraininggroup.com/hairdressing-options |

Healthcare

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|  | NHS | The NHS is our Health Care, made up of a wide range of different organisations with different roles, responsibilities and specialties. These organisations provide a variety of services and support to patients and carers. | If you have any questions about working for the NHS please direct them to:- apprenticeshipsMSE@meht.nhs.uk Browse Jobs in the NHS:- https://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/explore-roles |
|  | Medic Mentor Family | Medic Mentor is a non-profit national medical organisation for applying students, medical students and doctors. We specialise in helping applying students get into medicine, and award students with merit-based scholarships to study medicine at university. | https://medicmentor.co.uk/ Mentor Helpline: 01530 417299 Email: admin@medicmentor.org |
|  | The Wisdom Tooth | The Wisdom Tooth delivers lecture based and practical teaching courses for dentists, dental nurses and future dentists. Day Of The Dentist is a fantastic one day workshop for anybody wanting a closer look at the world of dentistry. You'll have the chance to perform fillings, scaling, take impressions and stitch all on our model jaws! | www.thewisdomtooth.co.uk admin@thewisdomtooth.co.uk |

Language, Information and Culture

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|  | <p>Frontier</p> | <p>Volunteering, Gap Years and Inspirational Adventures. Working for three decades, Frontier has redefined travelling abroad. We have been a leader in volunteer work abroad, gap year programmes and environmental conservation efforts. Working all over the world in exotic locations like Costa Rica, Madagascar, Belize, Fiji, Tenerife and many others, our volunteers, interns and international staff have contributed to sustained successes and meaningful impacts on the countries we work in.</p> | <p>https://frontier.ac.uk/</p> |
|  | <p>Projects Abroad</p> | <p>Volunteer Abroad & Internship Programs Projects Abroad UK. Find fantastic opportunities to volunteer abroad. Choose from a wide range of projects or internships in Africa, Asia, Latin America, and the Caribbean.</p> | <p>http://www.projects-abroad.co.uk/</p> |
|  | <p>The Project Trust – The Gap Year with No Gaps</p> | <p>Volunteering overseas in Africa, Asia or Latin America with Project Trust is not only an adventure. It’s also a responsible, challenging, positive life-enhancing experience – helping develop and hone skills for life. Project Trust is one of the original overseas international volunteering charities for young people.</p> | <p>www.projecttrust.org.uk/why-volunteer</p> |

Legal and Political

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|  | <p>LawCareers.net</p> | <p>The 2021 edition of <i>The Beginner’s Guide to a Career in Law</i> and <i>The Law Apprenticeships Guides</i> has just been published. Both booklets are essential reading for aspiring lawyers of school age and those who advise them. Even while at school, students are making decisions that will impact directly on a potential legal career; in particular, what degree to study (law or non-law) or whether to take a degree course at all. If candidates do not have this key information, their hopes could be dashed.</p> | <p>The Beginner’s Guide to a Career in Law looks at how lawyers recruit, what they look for in candidates, what candidates need to do when, and how they can maximise their chances, both immediately and as time goes by.</p> <p>The Law Apprenticeships Guide focuses on the different types of law apprenticeship available, the key skills required, and the pros and cons of undertaking an apprenticeship or going to university, with case studies from those who have done it.</p> <p>https://www.lawcareers.net/Starting-Out</p> |
|  | <p>Sternberg Reed</p> | <p>We are one of the largest law firms in Essex & East London, with offices in Barking, Romford and Grays. For the past 40 years, we have offered a wide range of legal services to both individuals and businesses. Our aim is to provide exceptional customer service, tailored to the needs of our clients. Whatever your legal need, we can help.</p> | <p>https://www.sternberg-reed.co.uk/careers/</p> |
|  | <p>University of Law</p> | <p>The University of Law is one of the UK’s longest-established specialist providers of legal education in the UK.</p> | <p>Study at ULaw team contact information. Website www.Law.ac.uk Email address study@law.ac.uk Telephone number 01483216000</p> |

Media, Print & Publication

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|  | <p>Global</p>  | <p>The Global Academy is a University Technical College located on The Old Vinyl Factory site in Hayes, London. The UTC opened in September 2016 and is sponsored by the media and entertainment group Global and by University of the Arts London.</p> | <p>http://www.globalacademy.com/</p> |
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Performance Arts and Creative

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|  | <p>Shenfield Performing Arts Academy "Developing Excellence in Performance"</p> | <p>Led by outstanding staff with many years of professional industry experience the drama department at SHS provides an enjoyable and safe environment where students are able to express themselves, develop their communication skills, explore issues in the world around them and improve their artistic talent. Teachers provide excellent training within their specialisms which include musical theatre, acting, and theatre in the community. Our students have achieved outstanding success since opening in 2015.</p> | <p>www.shenfield.essex.sch.uk/performing-arts/performing-arts-academy.aspx for more information please contact: p.tully@shenfield.essex.sch.uk</p>  |
|  | <p>Big Creative Education The Largest Creative College in London</p> | <p>Big Creative Academy has students currently studying at the Clifton campus specialising in Performance Arts, Fashion, Music, Media, Sports, Makeup and much more. Big Creative Training specialise in Gaming, Music, Media, Performance Arts and Events.</p> | <p>https://www.bigcreative.education</p> |
|  | <p>BIMM</p> | <p>BIMM Institute opens the doors to the music industry. We encourage creative freedom, provide real world industry experience and build a community across our 8 colleges</p> | <p>https://www.bimm.ac.uk/admissions@bimm.ac.uk</p> |
|  | <p>The London Design & Engineering University (LDE UTC)</p> | <p>The London Design & Engineering University Technical College provides fantastic opportunities for learners that are interested in following a career in Art, Design, Engineering, Computer Science/Gaming, Robotics or Architecture.</p> | <p>www.LDEUTC.co.uk admissions@LDEUTC.co.uk For Events: www.LDEUTC.co.uk/events</p> |
|  | <p>Escape Studios Pearson College London</p> | <p>At Escape Studios, we offer undergraduate, postgraduate and short courses in Visual Effects (VFX), Game Art, Animation and Graphics. We work with an impressive list of industry partners to design and deliver our courses, from MPC, Cinesite, Framestore and The Mill, through to Jellyfish Pictures, Milk and BlueBolt, to name just a few!</p> | <p>https://www.pearsoncollegelondon.ac.uk/escape-studios/prospectus.html?intid=MN_CB3_COL1_4</p> |

Retail, Fashion and Customer Services

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|  | <p>Fashion Retail Academy</p> | <p>The Fashion Retail Academy (Ofsted outstanding) is a unique, industry led college. Founded by retail giants, we offer a range of exclusive Fashion courses with unparalleled industry involvement to ensure you gain the skills and contacts needed to successfully progress to employment.</p> | <p>https://www.fashionretailacademy.ac.uk/ https://portal.fashionretailacademy.ac.uk/events.</p> |
|  | <p>Central Training Group</p> | <p>Central Training Group's retail and customer service apprenticeships are tailored to you, to ensure you get the best possible start in your career. Our retail and customer service apprenticeships are available from level 2 to level 3 and are all delivered in your workplace, meaning you can continue to progress and learn, throughout your career path, in a way that works for you.</p> | <p>Faith Dolphin - Marketing and Recruitment Officer faithdolphin@centraltraininggroup.com 0800 783 2901 www.centraltraininggroup.com</p> |

STEM: Science, Technology, Engineering and Math

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|  | <p>iChemE</p> | <p>iChemE advances chemical engineering's contribution worldwide for the benefit of society. We support the development of chemical engineering professionals and provide connections to a powerful network of over 35,000 members in more than 100 countries.</p> | <p>https://www.icheme.org/career/ https://www.icheme.org/</p> |
|  | <p>BT</p> | <p>BT is one of the UK's best-known companies but we are also a truly global organisation that provides products and services in around 180 countries. Fixed lines voice and broadband, mobile network operator, sport pay TV broadcaster, security, cloud and networking service.</p> | <p>https://www.bt.com/careers</p> |
|  | <p>Ford</p> | <p>Are you interested in a real job with real responsibility from day one? To work within a diverse working environment where people are respected? To develop your talent in a global business so that you have the opportunity to become one of our future leaders? If yes, then welcome to Ford.</p> | <p>https://www.ford.co.uk/experience-ford/careers Ford offers Apprenticeship opportunities across a variety of functions which consist of dynamic and comprehensive training programmes. https://www.ford.co.uk/experience-ford/careers/assessment-information/apprentices</p> |
|  | <p>The London Design & Engineering University (LDE UTC)</p> | <p>The London Design & Engineering University Technical College provides fantastic opportunities for learners who are interested in following a career in Art, Design, Engineering, Computer Science/Gaming, Robotics or Architecture.</p> | <p>www.LDEUTC.co.uk admissions@LDEUTC.co.uk For Events: www.LDEUTC.co.uk/events</p> |
|  | <p>TeledyneE2V</p> | <p>Our award-winning apprenticeship scheme provides you with the opportunity to work with the brightest in the engineering world. Your journey will be as exciting as it is challenging and the sky is the limit.</p> | <p>www.teledyne-e2v.com/careers/apprenticeship-scheme/</p> |

Sport and Fitness

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|  | <p>Shenfield Cricket Academy</p>  | <p>Shenfield’s Cricket programme has been recognised by The Cricketer Magazine’ as a ‘Top 100 School’ for our cricket provision in 2015, 2016, 2017, and 2018. One of only 2 non-selective state schools on the Top 100 list.</p> <p>Shenfield’s Cricket Academy programme started in 2012 and with the support of internationally recognised Level 3 coach Cath Dalton over the last 6 years, we have become one of the outstanding state schools for cricket in the country.</p> | <p>For details on applying and any other questions contact: g.sapsford@shenfield.essex.sch.uk www.shenfield.essex.sch.uk/sport/20henfield-cricket-academy.aspx</p> |
|  | <p>Shenfield Football Academy “Developing Excellence”</p> | <p>The Shenfield Football Academy, aimed at 16-18 year olds, was established in 2011 for boys and offers a unique full time programme of professional football coaching. Followed by the launch of an elite girl’s football academy in 2020, in partnership with London City Lionesses. The Shenfield Football academies offer a unique full-time professional football programme alongside exceptional education in an extremely high achieving Sixth Form. We combine elite level football coaching with a full programme of A Level and BTEC courses for all students.</p> | <p>If you would like further information or to arrange a visit please contact: Mr Preston – Academy Director p.preston@shenfield.essex.sch.uk</p> <p>www.shenfield.essex.sch.uk/sport/20henfield-football-academy.aspx</p> |
|  | <p>P4S Football Scholarships PASS4SOCCER</p> | <p>We’ve worked incredibly hard over many years to build a professional and dedicated system to identify and assist elite and talented aspiring footballers find a soccer scholarship in the USA.</p> <p>Despite the on-going uncertainties caused by the Covid 19 pandemic, we assist new candidates in winning US university and college soccer scholarships/placements in August 2021 and 2022/23.</p> | <p>https://pass4soccer.com/</p> |
|  | <p>FITC Academy</p> | <p>Based in Essex, we coach talented young footballers between the ages of 7 and 15 years old.</p> <p>Our aim is simple. To help the boys and girls reach their potential.</p> | <p>https://www.fitc.co.uk/</p> |
|  | <p>Sporting Futures Training</p> | <p>We are an innovative, dynamic team of experienced Teachers, Subject Leaders, and work-based Learning Assessors and through our association with the national PE and School Sports networks we have access to a team of highly experienced PE and School Sport Specific Assessors, IQA’s and Tutors. We are driven by a desire to create opportunities and raise aspirations for all individuals.</p> | <p>https://www.sportingfuturestraining.co.uk/pe-and-school-sports-apprenticeships/</p> <p>Tel: 01438 791068 / 791046</p> <p>Mobile: 07397177703</p> <p>Email: admin@sportingfutures.co.uk</p> |

Transport and Logistics

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|  | <p>Highways England</p> | <p>Highways England is in charge of operating, maintaining and improving England's motorways and major A roads. Do you want to help keep the country moving? Whatever your age, whatever your background, an apprenticeship could help you build a career with us. Take on a fulfilling role, earn a salary, gain practical work experience, training and achieve professional qualifications - all at the same time. From business administration and civil engineering to customer service and project management, we can't build for the future without ambitious, energetic and hard-working people around us. That's where you come in.</p> | <p>https://careers.highwaysengland.co.uk/ https://careers.highwaysengland.co.uk/graduates-and-apprenticeships/apprenticeships/</p> |
|  | <p>Stansted Harlow</p> | <p>Stansted Airport College is the first of its kind in the country and as such offers you a unique opportunity to get onto the first rung of the career ladder within the aviation industry. We have strong partnerships with a whole range of employers on the Airport campus – check out our website to see who we are working with. Our partners are involved in the design and delivery of the curriculum, providing work placements and offering real job opportunities at the end of your course.</p> | <p>http://www.stanstedairportcollege.ac.uk/ 01279 701430 admissions@harlow-college.ac.uk</p> |
|  | <p>AA – The Automobile Association</p> | <p>From the road, to our customer contact centres and Head Office, our people are ready for anything. They love the challenge of dealing with unexpected problems. They enjoy helping customers with great products and services. And they take pride in giving the support that keeps us all moving. So, if you're ready to go the extra mile, you'll find a job you'll love with us</p> | <p>https://www.theaacareers.co.uk/early-careers/road-operations-apprenticeships/ https://www.theaacareers.co.uk/</p> |

USEFUL WEBSITES – Careers Research

For careers research - <https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/>

Success at School <https://successatschool.org/careerzones>

U Explore - <https://login.u-explore.com/Login.aspx> – you will need to register to use this website.

For fun – the Buzz Quiz www.ucas.com/careers/buzz-quiz

Job profiles and more for graduate level careers <https://www.prospects.ac.uk/job-profiles>

Video guides from real people in a range of careers <https://www.careersbox.co.uk/>

More Useful Websites

Below is a list of useful websites ranging from careers advice, skills assessments, getting a job and volunteering. These are just a few of the many websites offering support.

Help and support opportunities for young people and adults in Essex

National Careers Service- Job Profiles

National Careers Service- Skills Assessment

Youth Employment-Help and advice getting a job

www.whatsyourthing.org.uk

<https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/explore-careers>

<https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/skills-assessment>

www.youthemployment.org.uk/employment-help-young-people/choices/getting-a-job

Help, support and opportunities for young people finding their first job

www.getmyfirstjob.co.uk

Job search website for the Job Centre Plus

www.gov.uk/find-a-job

Major aggregated job search engine

www.indeed.co.uk

Jobs, training and college options for those that may not wish to go to university

www.notgoingtouni.co.uk

Higher Education courses

www.ucas.com

Essex Youth Service- Information for young people and details of online activities

<https://youth.essex.gov.uk/>

Connects 14- 25-year olds with volunteering opportunities in England

www.vinspired.com

Raising of the Participation Age

www.essex.gov.uk/education-and-training-for-young-people

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This booklet can be found in the Student Drive: X:\Social Sciences\Careers\SHS 2020 Careers Fair Virtual Booklet Y9-Y13

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What's a Careers Interview?

Do you know what career you want?

- Check what qualifications, skills and experience you will need
- Do you know how to get there? There are often different entry routes
 - Explore your career area – what jobs are available?
 - Get new ideas – do you know about all the related careers?
 - Is it really what you think it is? Find out what's involved
 - Get more information
- Are you sure about your next step but can't see any further?
 - Link your favorite subjects to a career or course
 - Assess your skills and link them to a career
 - Where could your interests take you?
 - Get more information

No idea what to do?

- Get ideas
- Find out what would suit you
- Look at all your options
- Get more information

Worried about your grades?

- Find out how to improve your skills
- Discover what courses are open to you
 - Talk through your options
 - Get more information

Your SHS Careers Adviser will:

- Listen to you
- Give you informed and impartial advice
- Help you identify your skills
- Talk through all your options
- Help you find possible career routes
- Support you to achieve your goals
- Help you find out more
- Write you an action plan with details of your discussion and what you need to do to make your plan happen.

If you would like a careers interview:

Please email l.utton@shenfield.essex.sch.uk