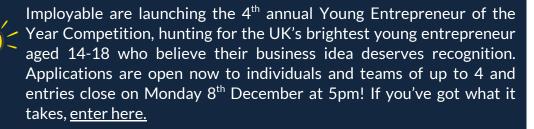


CAREERS NEWSLETTER

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



AXA created <u>this step-by-step guide</u> specifically for ambitious student entrepreneurs who are already focused and determined to succeed. It's your go-to manual on the start-up process – from settling on the initial idea through to writing business plans and securing investment.

In this episode of the Prospects Future You Podcast, Liam Taylor, a seasoned freelancer dives into the realities of freelancing and the lessons learned along the way. From navigating tax returns and self-assessment to dealing with clients, Liam shares his experiences, including the challenges of being self-employed without formal education.

After achieving a law degree in India, Durga Desai decided to pursue an MBA as an international student at Cardiff Business School, part of Cardiff University. Read her case study <u>here</u>.

MA Creative Events Management (Online) Masterclass webinar: Tuesday December 9th, 12:00-13:00. Whether you are just starting out in events or are a seasoned professional, we will explore ways to shift your practice onto a more responsible footing, focusing on the event design aspects that are sometimes overlooked in favour of logistical solutions. Register here.

Who's in Charge Here? - Free Online Business & Leadership Taster Session on Thursday 29th January 2026, 5 - 6pm. Are some people born to lead or can leadership be learned? In this session we'll ask loads of questions: what do leaders actually do? Register here.

If you have any questions or need support, please email l.krzyzosiak@trafalgar.wilts.sch.uk





Entrepreneurs are people who create, develop, and manage businesses - often from the ground up - with the goal of making a profit, solving a problem, or delivering value in a new way.

They need to be able to take on financial and professional risk, navigate uncertainty and failure, learn from mistakes and pivot when necessary.

LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION FACT

"As of the second quarter of 2025, there were around 4.4 million self-employed workers in the United Kingdom.

Approximately 1.9 million people aged 16-25 in the UK were self-employed, which represented about 4.9% of the total population in that age group."

<u>Source</u>

For up-to-date LMI for Wiltshire, click <u>here.</u>





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Anti-Bullying Week 2025 will take place from Monday 10th - Friday 14th November, with the theme: Power for Good. This Anti-Bullying Week, we're empowering young people to use their Power for Good to safely speak up and raise awareness when they see bullying, face to face or online. Watch here.



The #PetsInOddSocks competition is back for its fourth year! To enter, simply share a photo or video of your pet in odd socks on X, Instagram or TikTok during Anti-Bullying Week. Use #PetsInOddSocks and #OddSocksDay and don't forget to tag the Anti Bullying Alliance!



The 45-minute, free online masterclass every parent or guardian should watch before mocks. Hosts Joe and Harry, co-founders of The Degree Gap, have guided thousands of families through GCSEs. Their work has been featured in Forbes and The Independent, pairing high-impact academic strategy with practical support that fits real family life. Thursday 20th November, 19:00 - 19:45. Reserve your seat.



<u>Apprentadream</u> are a business helping you take the next step in your career. With over 50+ office holders across ALL our social media platforms you have access to FREE HELP across 10 different industries. <u>Join</u> the Apprentadream WhatsApp community today to network with current and future apprentices.



Welcome to OuterCircle - By Apprentices, For Apprentices. We're the UK's youth-led apprenticeship community - built by real apprentices to help others start strong, stay supported, and thrive. Join the community.



Here is a <u>helpful video</u> that provides an Introduction to the Russell Group Universities and considers why you should choose to study there. This is a recording of a live webinar that took place in September 2025.



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EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT

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"At Revolut, we cultivate an environment of ambition and excellence. You'll collaborate with exceptional global talent, tackle exciting challenges, and help drive the evolution of fintech. We prioritise flexibility to support your success. With endless development opportunities, you'll be constantly challenged to elevate your skills, reach new heights, and inspire others to do the same."

Find out more here.

UNI SPOTLIGHT



"Established in 1884,
Bangor University has a
long tradition of
excellence and exceeds
expectations, both for
academic standards and
student experience. We
are recognised regionally,
nationally and
internationally as a centre
of excellence for a varied
portfolio and our strategic

Read more about Bangor University <u>here</u>.

themes reflect this."



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POST-16 PROVIDER OPEN EVENTS & APPLICATION DEADLINES

		OPEN EVENTS INFORMATION	APPLICATION DEADLINES (for September 2026 entry)
S6C	36C	All open events are now finished. Contact them directly for a tour.	Applications open: 1st October 2025 Applications close: 31st January 2026
WILTSHIRE COLLEGE	Wiltshire College	Saturday 22nd November 2025, 10am Thursday 5 th February 2026, 5pm	Apply before February half term but be aware that some courses get filled up so the earlier the better.
SOUTH WILTS	South Wills Grammar School	Open Afternoon: Monday 1st December 2025 2.10pm Arrival (please do not arrive before 2.10pm) 2.20 – 2.40pm – talk in main hall 2.40 – 3.30pm – tour of the school Taster Day for Applicants: Wednesday 24 th June 2026	Application deadline Thursday 29 th January 2026
BROCKENHURST	Brockenhurst College	All open events are now finished. Contact them directly for a tour.	Application deadline Friday 6th February 2026.
PETER SYMONDS	Four Immedia Calling	All open events are now finished. Contact them directly for a tour.	Applications open: 15th September 2025 Applications close: 8th December 2025
BURGATE	Birrgate School & Seeh Form	All open events are now finished. Contact them directly for a tour. Taster Day: Wednesday 12th November 2025, 8:30am – 3pm You must register for a place via the website before 2nd November 2025	2026 applications are now open, no advertised deadline yet.
BISHOPS		Friday 13th February 2026	2026 applications are now open. Deadline Wednesday 25th February at 4pm.
ANDOVER COLLEGE	ANDOVER	Thursday 13th November 2025 Thursday 12th February 2026 Wednesday 6th May 2026 Saturday 13th June 2026	No official deadline but be aware that some courses get filled up so the earlier the better.
SPARSHOLT	SPARSHOLT	Saturday 8th November 2025 Saturday 7th February 2026 Saturday 7th March 2026 Wednesday 29th April 2026 Thursday 11th June 2026	(Open on the 5th October). They take applications right up until the start of the course, but only if places are available (so apply much earlier if you can).
RINGWOOD	3	Thursday 13th November, 5.30 – 7.30pm	Application deadline Thursday 11th December 2025
BARTON PEVERIL	Barton Peveril South Form College	All open events are now finished. Contact them directly for a tour.	Application deadline 13 th February 2026.

- If you miss an event, contact the college / sixth form directly to ask to arrange a visit / tour.
- Times and dates above may be subject to change so please check individual provider websites.
- Booking in advance is needed for most events; please check individual provider websites for details.

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