

Year 10 Work Experience 8-12 July 2024

After the start of the new term, Year 10 students will be preparing for their work experience week in July. Students will be creating their CV's, learning more about employability skills, preparing for their week in work and they will also be logging into Careers East Sussex.



The careers department are still confirming work experience placements, so parents, carers, students, please ensure that your employer responds to emails and phone calls from Gildredge House confirming your work experience placement. Placements will not go ahead unless the employer has confirmed the placement and they have completed a pre-placement check with East Sussex County Council Work Experience Team.

The Careers of the Future - The Top Rankers Revealed?



The Careers of the Future Index (CFI) is designed to give future job seekers in the U.K. the information and perspective they need to choose a career path. The index ranks each career based on a weighted average of income, job growth, job vacancies per worker and capacity to withstand automation.

The Careers of the Future

The goal is to highlight careers that both pay well and are likely to be available to applicants, now and in the future. Select from the categories below to see the top-ranking careers.

Here are the top 20 careers, sorted by CFI Score

1. Marketing, sales and advertising directors CFI: 100
2. Chief executives and senior officials CFI: 100
3. Information technology directors CFI: 100
4. Financial managers and directors CFI: 100
5. Public relations and communications directors CFI: 99
6. Elected officers and representatives CFI: 99
7. Aircraft pilots and air traffic controllers CFI: 99
8. Electrical engineers CFI: 99
9. Functional managers and directors n.e.c. CFI: 98
10. Programmers and software development professionals CFI: 98
11. Senior police officers CFI: 98
12. Senior officers in fire, ambulance, prison and related services CFI: 98
13. Head teachers and principals CFI: 97
14. Specialist medical practitioners CFI: 97
15. Research and development (R&D) managers CFI: 97
16. IT business analysts, architects and systems designers CFI: 97
17. Civil engineers CFI: 96
18. Chartered architectural technologists, planning officers and consultants CFI: 96
19. Barristers and judges CFI: 96
20. Professional/Chartered company secretaries CFI: 96



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Here are the top 20 careers that do not require a bachelor's degree sorted by CFI Score

1. Production and process engineersCFI: 93
2. Health and safety managers and officersCFI: 92
3. Construction project managers and related professionalsCFI: 91
4. Residential, day and domiciliary care managers and proprietorsCFI: 90
5. Electronics engineersCFI: 89
6. Production managers and directors in constructionCFI: 89
7. Production managers and directors in mining and energyCFI: 89
8. Chartered and certified accountantsCFI: 88
9. Managers in transport and distributionCFI: 88
10. Business, research and administrative professionals n.e.c.CFI: 87
11. Quality assurance and regulatory professionalsCFI: 87
12. Social services managers and directorsCFI: 85
13. Police officers (sergeant and below)CFI: 84
14. BrokersCFI: 81
15. Natural and social science professionals n.e.c.CFI: 81
16. Production managers and directors in manufacturingCFI: 81
17. Construction and building trades supervisorsCFI: 81
18. Fire service officers (watch manager and below)CFI: 80
19. Property, housing and estate managersCFI: 79
20. Protective service associate professionals n.e.c.CFI: 77

Source: Gallup If you would like to read more about careers of the future, both here in the UK and abroad, visit [What Are the Careers of the Future in the UK? \(gallup.com\)](http://www.gallup.com).



Available Apprenticeship opportunities for 16-18 year olds in East Sussex this week.

Apart from the Find an Apprenticeship website
[Find an apprenticeship - GOV.UK \(www.gov.uk\)](https://www.gov.uk/find-an-apprenticeship)

[Amazing Apprenticeships](#) [Amazing Apprenticeships](#), UCAS degree apprenticeships
[Degree apprenticeships - Learn more here](#)
 [\(ucas.com\)](https://www.ucas.com)



Many other sites advertising apprenticeships, The Youth Employability Service publish a list of available apprenticeships across East Sussex every Friday. To take a look at apprenticeships in our area, visit their website here [East Sussex - Jobs & Apprenticeships List - CXK](#)
If you would like to receive a full list of apprenticeships [sign up here](#).



Creative Careers are all around you!

Much of everything you see around you is a result of someone being creative, whether it's building a desk, designing a building or creating a software programme. Creativity is everywhere. Many students aspire to have a career that allows them to use their imaginative skills to create something or solve problems. For these young people, the good news is that the creative industries in the UK are booming.

Creative Careers!

Lets look at the facts published by the Government:

- UK's Creative Industries contributes almost £13 million to the UK economy every hour. New statistics reveal the Creative Industries sector is growing more than five times faster than the national economy. Source [Gov.uk](https://gov.uk) [here](#)



Film and TV production in the UK is now at record levels and the UK is the second largest video game market in Europe and the sixth largest globally. Look at the ratings here:<https://newzoo.com/resources/rankings/top-10-countries-by-game-revenues>

- Want to know how many jobs there are in film and TV then just watch the credits afterwards!
- Do you want to know more about Creative jobs? Check out this short video produced by the BBC to find out more [Here](#)
- If you are interested in Apprenticeships within the BBC check their apprenticeship page [Here](#)
- Search for jobs within the BBC [Here](#)
- Complete the Quiz and find out your perfect media job [Here](#)

Careers News - Labour Market Information - Top Stories

Labour Market Information (LMI) is information about what is happening in a labour market. LMI tends to focus on the industries that are growing and declining. It provides information about the types and levels of jobs and the skills required and whether they are increasing or decreasing.



Artificial Intelligence skills needed for every sector

Employers pay up to 25% wage premium for Artificial Intelligence (AI) Skills. Source PwC analysis of Lightcast data. Read the story [here](#)

Occupation	Wage premium
Database designers and administrators	58%
Systems analysts	34%
Lawyers	27%
Applications programmers	24%
Electronic engineers	17%
Management organisation analysts	15%
Sales and marketing managers	14%
Training and staff development programmers	8%
Civil engineers	3%
Construction managers	2%

Source: PwC analysis of Lightcast data



The Government has highlighted major skills shortages crossing many sectors.

Skills for Careers

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The Government announced on 21.5.2024 that they are introducing Skills Bootcamps to develop new skills that employers are looking for. They're a great opportunity to training a new industry or progress in your career.

The skills shortages have been highlighted to be in the following sectors:

- digital, including data engineering, software development and marketing
- technical, including construction and engineering
- green, including electric vehicle maintenance and heat pump technology
- health and social care, including care management and well-being
- HGV driving, including if you're new to HGV driving or want to return
- business and administration, including project management and insurance

If you are thinking about how you would like to fill the skills shortage gap, then look at the careers above. Do any of them inspire you? Try and relate these sectors to your favourite subjects and think about these careers when choosing your career pathways.

If your family are interested in taking advantage of these bookcamps, they can take place at a college, another training provider or online. You can find the right Skills Bootcamp for you through the National Careers Service, then apply directly through the training provider's website. Find a course at the National Careers Service [Here](#)

Hospitality staff shortages in the UK

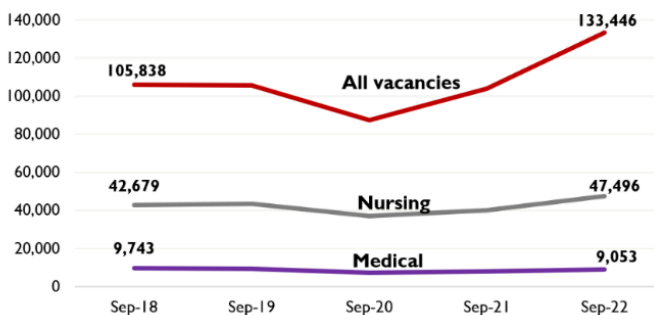
Recent data has revealed that the number of vacancies in the NHS and social care sectors has increased since September 2020. Health bodies and organisations have warned that such shortages have affected, and will continue to affect patients.



In recent years, successive governments have introduced measures to tackle staff shortages, including commissioning the NHS to publish a long-term workforce strategy and publishing a white paper on reforming adult social care.

Source House of Lords Library [Read the report here.](#)

Chart 1: Medical, nursing and overall NHS vacancies, September 2018 to September 2022



Many people set to leave the UK Construction Sector, creating skills gaps



According to the CITB (Construction Industry Training Board) Workforce Skills and Mobility in the Construction Sector 2022 report, the current UK construction workforce is made up of those aged 25 to 44 (50%) and those aged 45 to 59 (25%), while there is just 19% aged under 25.

This ageing population and lack of younger construction workers is a big cause of the skills shortage. The need for a work life balance is sought after by young people. There is also a perception that construction jobs are seen as low-pay and low-skills jobs and this is very outdated. According to a CIOB report, in the UK, the average annual earnings in construction in 2022 were around £36,000 compared to £33,000 across all other sectors.

Colemans Construction looked at the number of Indeed jobs adverts for various construction jobs and found the most in-demand roles were:

Electrician: 7,004 job postings
Civil Engineer: 5,042 job postings
Carpenter: 4,085 job postings
Construction manager: 2,451 job
Remediation: 2,143 job postings

Building Surveyor: 5,101 job
postings
Construction Labourer: 4,522 job
Architect: 2,511 job postings
Plumber: 2,422 job postings

Source: <https://coleman-group.co.uk/careers/>

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Careers in Health and Social Care

Social care is about providing physical, emotional and social support to help people live their lives. For various reasons and at different stages in their lives, some people need support to develop and maintain their independence, dignity and control.



The social care sector employs 1.48 million people and will have half a million extra jobs available by 2030.

For an informal chat on how you can get involved, please email Sara Bray s.bray@gildredgehouse.org.uk or telephone the careers department on 01323 400650 ext 2037.