



Longridge High School

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Careers Information



Apprenticeships with the British Army

Understanding Army Opportunities: A Guide for Families and Educators

Choosing a career is a big decision, and young people often look to trusted adults for guidance. This guide is designed to help families, teachers, and career advisers understand the wide range of opportunities available in the British Army—far more diverse than many people realise. From apprenticeships and training pathways to day-to-day life, this resource helps you support informed, confident choices.

[Families-Educators-Guide.pdf](#)



Apprenticeship vacancies

Welcome to Training 2000.

Training 2000 is a training provider offering business solutions, commercial courses and Apprenticeship programmes across many sectors

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APPRENTICESHIP VACANCIES

MSM Fabrications Ltd
Accounts Office /
Administrator Apprentice
Nelson
£286.90 per week
Accountancy

**Blakewater Solicitors
Limited**
Paralegal Apprentice
Blackburn
£264.25 per week
Business Admin

Total Pipeline Systems
Business Admin Apprentice
Accrington
£283.12 per week
Business Admin

Preferred Locums Ltd
Administration Assistant
Apprentice
Fulwood
£264.25 per week
Business Admin

Inox Fabrications Ltd
Apprentice Design Engineer
Blackburn
£294.45 per week
Engineering

Pets Choice Ltd
Apprentice Maintenance
Engineer
Blackburn
£316.00 per week
Engineering

Marshalls Group Plc
Apprentice Maintenance
Engineer
Ramsbottom
£363.40 per week
Engineering

Morecheck
Fabricator/Pipe Fitter
Welder Apprentice
Preston
£312.00 per week
Engineering

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We're excited to announce that BAE Systems Air Apprenticeships are now open for applications!

All role details, application guidance, and entry requirements can be found on our website via this link:


[Job Search | BAE Systems](#)

Take the time to explore—there are plenty of opportunities available. Here are just a few examples to get you started:

 SAMLESBURY, UK


Degree Apprentice Aerospace Engineering

Description Job title: Degree Apprentice Aerospace Engineer Location: Samlesbury and Warton Salary: Starting from...

 SAMLESBURY, UK


Advanced Apprentice Manufacturing Engineering

Description Job title: Advanced Apprentice Manufacturing Engineer Location: Samlesbury and Warton Salary: Starting from...

 SAMLESBURY, UK


Degree Apprentice Project Control

Description Job title: Project Control Degree Apprentice Location: Samlesbury and Warton Salary: Starting from £23,748 with annual...

 SAMLESBURY, UK


Degree Apprentice Integrated Project Management

Description Job title: Integrated Project Management Degree Apprentice Location: Samlesbury and Warton ...

 SAMLESBURY, UK

Degree Apprentice Digital Technology Solutions – Business Analyst

Description Job title: Degree Apprentice Digital and Technology Solutions – Business Analyst Location: Samlesbury and Warton Salary: Starting...

 SAMLESBURY, UK

Higher Apprentice Manufacturing Engineering Technician

Description Job title: Higher Manufacturing Engineering Technician Apprentice Location: Samlesbury and Warton Salary: Starting...

Start your journey today and discover where a career with BAE Systems can take you!



Choose the right opportunity for you

140
YEARS



Westinghouse



Apprenticeship

Improving Quality Training at Springfields

Springfields has a long-standing commitment to delivering high-quality apprentice training. Since the programme began in 1950, nearly **2,000 apprentices** have completed their training with us. Today, we continue to recruit and develop talent across engineering, process operations, laboratory roles and degree-level pathways.

2026 Springfields Apprentice Recruitment – Now Open!

We are pleased to announce that applications are now open for our **2026 apprenticeship intake**. The following opportunities are available:

- **Intermediate Process Manufacturing Apprenticeship (Level 2)** – *Closing: 22 March 2026*
- **Health Physics Monitor (Level 2)** – *Closing: 22 March 2026*
- **Advanced Laboratory Technician Apprenticeship (Level 3)** – *Closing: 22 March 2026*

Recruitment Process

Recruitment is currently underway. After applications close for each apprenticeship, shortlisted candidates will be invited to complete online assessments. Successful applicants will then be invited to interviews in **March and April 2026**. All apprenticeship programmes are planned to start in the **third week of August 2026**.

To learn more about each apprenticeship pathway, please refer to our **Apprentice Guide**.

Apply Now

Submit your application at: <https://careers.westinghousenuclear.com>

Earn while you learn!

Apprenticeships
are open to
anyone of working
age (subject to
eligibility checks)

Interested in an apprenticeship? Leaving school or college? Or wanting to switch industries and advance your career? Then check out Runshaw's exciting apprenticeship opportunities



RECEPTIVE
SOLUTIONS

Apprentice Quality Control
Manager Level 3 at
Receptive Solutions.(Ref:
TL01)
£7.55 per hour



PK KIDS
Day Nursery

Childcare Apprentice at PK
Kids (Ref:CC23)
£7.55 per hour



Preston Care & Repair
Healthy homes, healthy people.

Apprentice Project Admin
Officer at Preston Care &
Repair Ltd Level 3(Ref:BA30)
Leyland
£7.55 per hour

Upskill in
your existing
role with an
apprenticeship
(subject to
eligibility
checks)



BA31 Apprentice Centre
Assistant (Business
Administration) Level 3
£7.55 per hour



Ref:CC22 Level 3 Early
Educator Apprentice at The
Hub Club
£7.55 per hour

More vacancies



If you have any questions or want to apply now please contact us either by email at apprenticeships@runshaw.ac.uk or call us on 01772 643008

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The majority of our apprentices are not required to come to college, our programmes are delivered in the workplace.



APPRENTICESHIP VACANCIES

Company	Job Title	Location	Hours	Wage
Ecodrive	Business Administration Apprentice	Manchester, M28	40 hours	£288.80 per week
STAX Converting Ltd	Lean Manufacturing Apprentice	Wigan, WN2	38 hours	£421.24 per week
STAX Converting Ltd	Maintenance Engineer Apprentice	Wigan, WN2	38 hours	£421.24 per week
Airmatic	Sheet Metal Fabricator Apprentice	Bolton, BL8	38 hours	£286.90 per week
Bindatex Ltd	Advanced Materials Apprentice	Bolton, BL7	40 hours	£302.00 per week
Microsystems	Tool Maker / CNC Setter Apprentice	Golborne, WA3	44 hours	£332.20 per week
Lever Associates Ltd	Accounts Administrator Apprentice	Horwich, BL6	35 hours	£280.00 per week

Interested in any of the vacancies?

Visit alliancelearning.com to find out more!



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What are T Levels!!!!



- T Levels are new, two-year technical education courses that will follow GCSEs and will be equivalent to 3 A Levels.
- T Levels have been developed in collaboration with employers, so that the content meets the needs of industry and prepares students for work.
- T Levels will offer students a mixture of classroom learning (80%) and 'on-the-job' experience (20%) during an industry placement of a minimum of 315 hours, with an average of 350 hours (approx. 45 days)
- T Levels provide the knowledge and experience needed to open the door into skilled employment, further study or a higher apprenticeship

Apprenticeships

How apprenticeships work

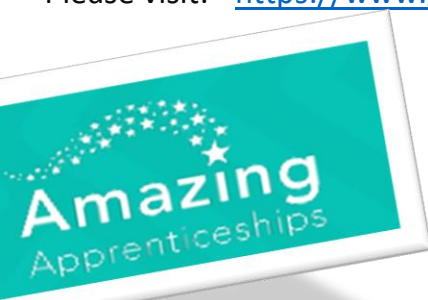
Apprenticeships are real jobs with real employers, allowing you to work, earn a salary and gain valuable qualifications and experience. With over 600 different apprenticeship standards covering everything from accountancy to zoo keeping, there is an apprenticeship out there for everyone. Apprenticeships offer choice, opportunity, qualifications, support and a head start into a future career.

Apprenticeships combine practical training in a job with study. As an apprentice, you will:

- + be an employee earning a wage and getting holiday pay
- + work alongside experienced staff
- + gain job-specific skills
- + get time for training and study related to your role (at least 20% of your normal working hours)

Apprenticeships take 1 to 5 years to complete depending on their level.

Please visit: - <https://www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship>



Amazing Apprenticeships is a leading organisation in the education sector.

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For over a decade we have been working to tackle misconceptions about apprenticeships and technical education, promote their benefits, and push the boundaries of what the sector can do. Working with teachers, government and leading employers, we've already brought about a culture change in schools across England. And we're only just getting started.

[Step-by-step guide to applying](#)

JOB OF THE WEEK

PRISON OFFICER

ANNUAL SALARY

£22,000 to £38,000

Prison officers supervise inmates in prisons, remand centres and young offenders' institutions.

In your day-to-day duties you could:

- Keep inmates secure
- Carry out security checks and searches
- Supervise prisoners and maintain order - this can involve authorised physical control and restraint
- Support vulnerable prisoners
- Promote anti-bullying and suicide prevention policies
- Go with prisoners on external visits like court appearances or hospital appointments
- Prepare inmates for release through rehabilitation programmes
- Update records and write reports on prisoners

What skills are required?

- knowledge of public safety and security
- the ability to accept criticism and work well under pressure
- patience and the ability to remain calm in stressful situations
- to be thorough and pay attention to detail
- to be flexible and open to change
- leadership skills
- excellent verbal communication skills
- legal knowledge including court procedures and government regulations
- thinking and reasoning skills
- to be able to carry out basic tasks on a computer or hand-held device

Career Path & Progression - With experience and training you could move into specialist projects, like rehabilitation work with specific groups of prisoners and their families. You could become a supervising officer, custodial manager, head of function, deputy governor or governor.

<https://youtu.be/u8u13pvgCOI> Prison Officer

[Careerpilot: Job sectors](#): [Law: Job profiles: Prison officer](#)

Working Environment.

You may need to wear a uniform. You could work in a prison. Your working environment may be physically and emotionally demanding.

Working Hours

- ❖ 37 to 41 a week
- ❖ You could work: evenings / weekends / bank holidays; on shifts

You can get into this job through:

- An apprenticeship
- Applying directly

Apprenticeship

You could complete an advanced apprenticeship as a custody and detention officer.

To do this apprenticeship, you'll need:

GCSEs grades 9 to 4 (A* to C), or equivalent, in English and maths

Direct application

You'll need to take an online test to check your judgement and your number skills. If you pass, you will attend an assessment day where you will:

- Take another number test
- Take a reading and writing test
- Take part in role plays to see if you have the right personal qualities for the job
- Take fitness tests
- Have a medical and eyesight test
- Be interviewed

Requirements and restrictions

You will need to:

- Pass enhanced background checks
- Be over 18 years of age
- Pass a medical check

For more information speak to a Career Adviser or your local colleges.