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NEW COLLEGE PONTEFRACT

WELCOME

Areas we are going to cover.....

Support available at University for your young person

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Disability Living Allowance - support offered at university

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University

Apprenticeships

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An Ex –Student Perspective

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A chance to ask Questions...

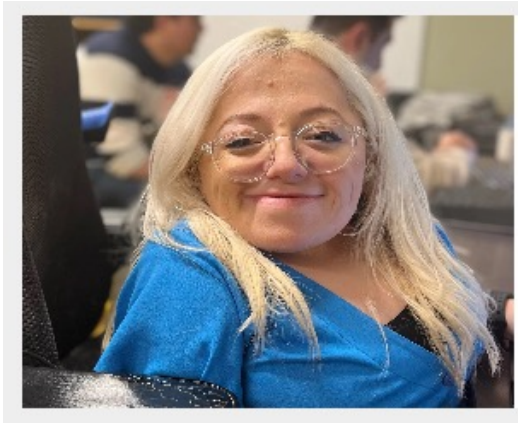


Wakefield Employment Hub
Supporting Young People in to Apprenticeships
and Employment



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UNIVERSITY**

United Kingdom



Options to consider after leaving college...

University
(Higher Education)

Apprenticeships

Further Education
e.g. Art Foundation

Employment

Gap
Year/Volunteering



University



*What support is available at university for me?
How do I set up support at university?*

All universities offer a wide range of support and are positive about supporting you!

Don't be afraid to reach out for help!

All universities offer a wide range of support.

Support can be:

- Academic
- Personal
- Opportunities at university
- Facilities available



What is different from college to university?

College

- SENDCO
- Study Support
- Students with additional needs

University

- Transitions Team/Adviser
- Disabled Student
- Disability Team
- Disabled Students Allowance



Who can access support?

Any student who has a diagnosis which will impact their studies

If you received support at college, you should also reach out for help at university

Examples include:

- Sitting exams
- Attending Classes
- Taking notes in class
- Delivering presentations
- Group Work
- Reading, Planning and writing assignments



Who can access support?

- Have a specific learning disability SpLD/Learning difference like Dyslexia or Dyspraxia
- Have a mental health condition like depression or an anxiety disorder
- Have a long-standing illness or health condition like Epilepsy, diabetes or Chronic Fatigue Syndrome
- Are Autistic
- Have a Neurodevelopmental condition like AD(H)D
- Have a physical impairment or mobility difficulty
- Are blind or partially sighted
- Are D/deaf or hearing impaired
- Have a speech, language or communication difficulty(e.g. a stammer)



What kind of support is available?

Support is available through:

- Disabled Students' Allowance
- Disability Service

Research is Key!

- Open days
- Subject Departments
- Disability Service

- Before starting university
- Accessing the campus
- Help with lessons
- Exam Adjustments
- Managing Workload
- Personal support



What kind of support is available?

Transition Support

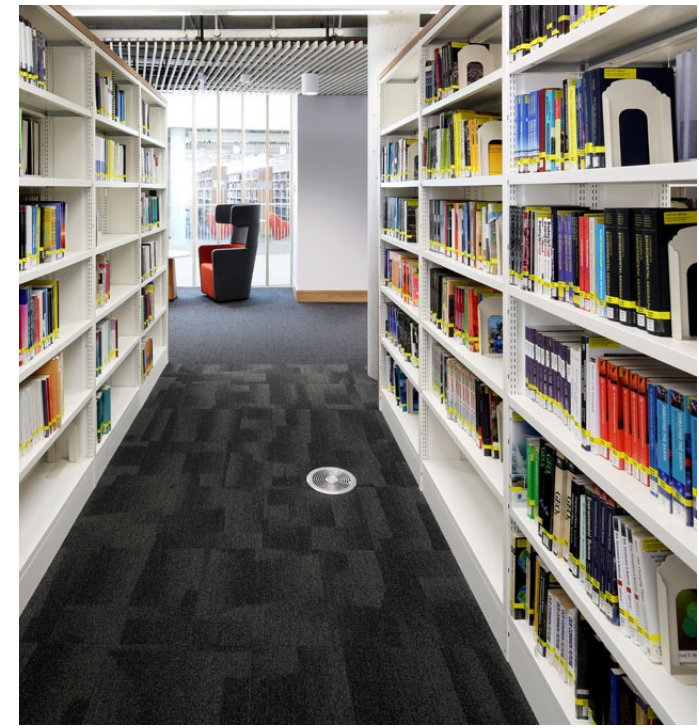
Visit universities before start date to become familiar with the campus

'Access Able' Guide/
Sociability App



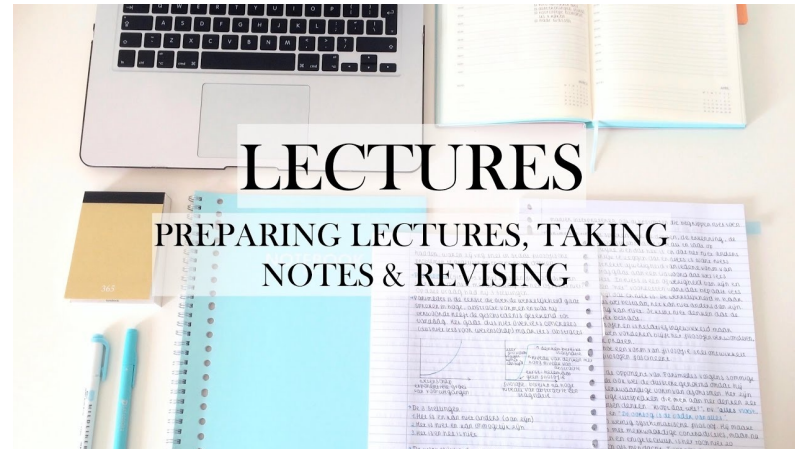
What kind of support is available?

Accessing Campus -what help do you need to participate as a university student?



What kind of support is available?

Accessing taught lessons



What kind of support is available?

Exam Adjustments

- Rest Breaks
- Extra time
- Use of a computer
- Smaller room



What kind of support is available?

Managing your workload

Face to face help could include:

- Organisation & time management skills
- Study skills e.g. exam technique, reading strategies
- Computer Software



How do I access support?

You can gain support from both:

University Disability Service

&

Disability Students' Allowance

1. Universities will ask for evidence before support can be put in place
2. Some universities will ask for a clear diagnosis and whilst some will accept screening e.g. a Dyslexia screening carried out whilst at college (but will require an assessment later on)
3. Medical Conditions e.g. Autism – some universities will accept a medical report, letter or report from GP.

Check with your university what they require!



Disabled Students Allowance – to add!

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- https://digitalmedia.sheffield.ac.uk/media/New+College+Pontefract+-+Year+12+parent+carer+event/1_qdr235no



Introduction to apprenticeships

For students

THE
ASK
PROGRAMME

APPRENTICESHIPS
TRAINEESHIPS
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What are apprenticeships?



Employed



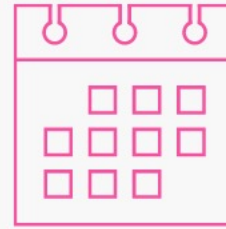
Off the job



Intermediate – degree
level



Paid a salary



Typically 1-6 years



Real responsibilities



Contract

600+

600+
standards



Not the easy option

Higher & Degree apprenticeships



Work full time and study part-time



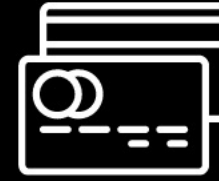
Learning



Salary



No debt



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Experience



4-6 Years

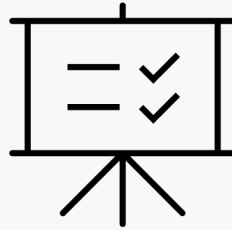


University fees paid by employer and/or
government

100+ Universities offer apprenticeships

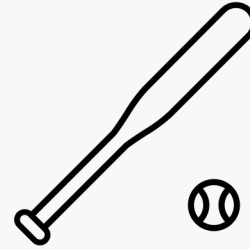
Range of apprenticeships

Business



Audit
Manager
HR

Sport



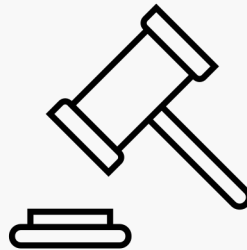
Coaching
Safety
Trainer

Beauty



Hairdressing
Barbering
Therapist

Law



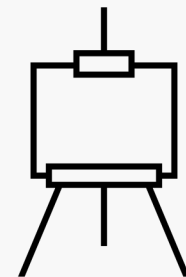
Paralegal
Solicitor
Prosecution operations

Health



Nurse
Dental Technician
Veterinary Nurse

Media & Art



Graphic
Fashion
Interior



Which employers offer apprenticeships?



AIRBUS

BBC

pwc

British Gas

★ PRET ★

BAE SYSTEMS

JAGUAR

pets
at home

MINI

sky

FUJITSU

Specsavers

ROLLS
ROYCE

gsk

itv

BMW

NetworkRail

ROYAL
AIR FORCE

LAND
- ROVER

Starbucks

BRITISH AIRWAYS

asos
discover fashion online

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GREENE KING
BURY ST EDMUNDS

IBM

RBS

Are there any vacancies near me?

- Construction - buildings and infrastructure such as roads, rail links
 - Green technologies – energy efficiency, carbon reduction, sustainability
 - ICT and communication technology
 - Health and Care
 - Manufacturing and Engineering
 - Creative and digital industries
 - Financial and business services
 - Leisure based industries – travel, sports, fitness, health and beauty
 - Logistics – transport services
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- Check out futuregoals.co.uk for more Labour Market information



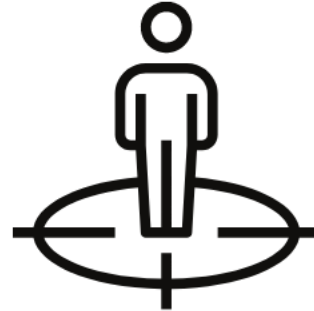
How do I know if it is a good apprenticeship?



Wage



Progression



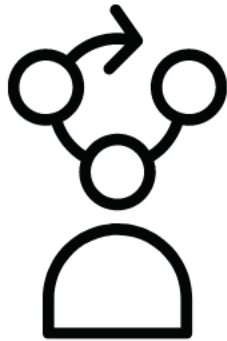
Job position



Job
description



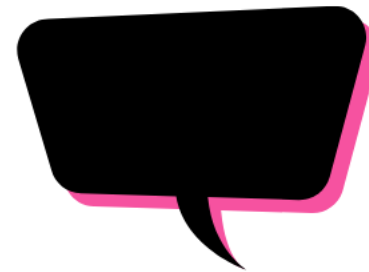
Training
providers



Varied role



Ethos and
values



Other
apprentices

Support available to apprentices

- <http://learningandwork.org.uk/resources/research-and-reports/improving-apprentice-experience/http>
- <https://amazingapprenticeships.com/resources/>
- <https://wakefield.mylocaloffer.org/>
- Employmenthub@wakefield.gov.uk
- Training Providers may have access to additional support
- Traineeships may be a useful stepping stone

What are traineeships?



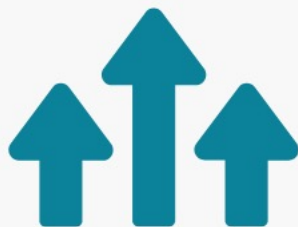
Pre-apprenticeship



English, maths and
digital



6 weeks – 12 months



Boost your confidence



Employability skills



Qualified up to level 3

16-24

16-24 year olds



Work experience



Prepare for work



How do you find an apprenticeship?



Register on Find
An Apprenticeship



Manage your alerts



Do your research



Contact companies



Search and apply

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apprenticeship
visit [GOV.UK](https://www.gov.uk)



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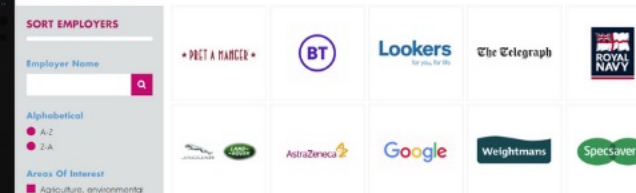
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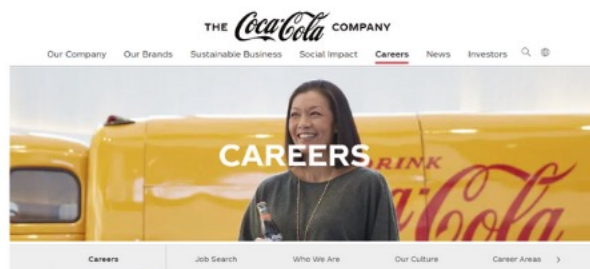


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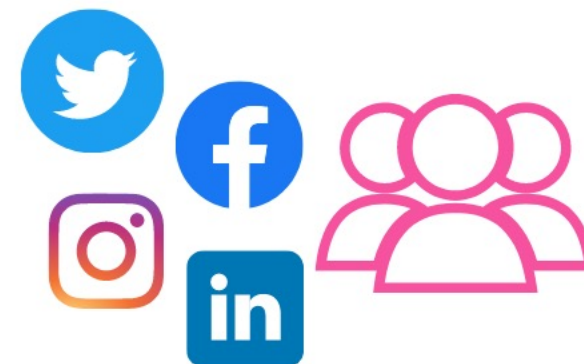
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Employer Websites



Friends, family and social media

**Where else to
look?**



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YLP

Yorkshire Learning Providers



Apprenticeships

Where else to look?

Websites to access...

www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship

www.wyjp.org.uk - our website featuring our entire directory

www.futuregoals.co.uk/education-and-careers-advice/

www.apprenticeships.gov.uk/influencers/resource-hub

www.gov.uk/find-traineeship

www.tlevels.gov.uk/students

<https://www.instituteforapprenticeships.org/apprenticeship-standards>



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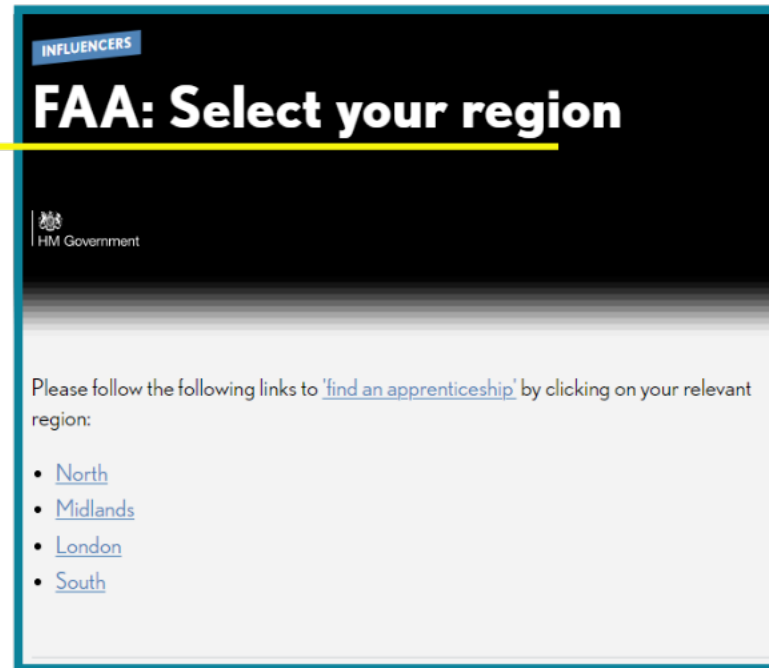


Find an apprenticeship

STEP 01

apprenticeships.gov.uk/influencers/faa-regions

STEP 02



Transitioning to University

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Further events for Year 12 students

- Next Steps Evening
- Careers and HE Day
- Work Experience
- Careers Guidance Appointments



A chance to ask Questions...



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Pontefract



Study Support Team
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***Thank you for
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Careers SEND Event

