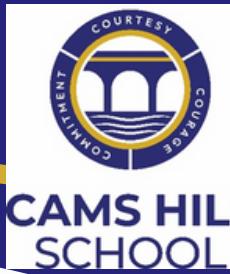


APPRENTICESHIPS

APPRENTICESHIP WEEK RUNS 9 TO 15 FEBRUARY, IN HONOUR OF THIS WE WOULD LIKE TO PROVIDE OUR PUPILS AND THEIR PARENTS/CARERS WITH SOME FACTS AND INFORMATION ABOUT APPRENTICESHIPS AS AN OPTION AFTER YEAR 11



WHY STUDY AN APPRENTICESHIP?



The age you can start applying



Paid employment with holiday leave



Gain qualifications



Real-world work experience



Join a professional body



Learn new skills

THERE ARE FOUR TYPES OF APPRENTICESHIP:

INTERMEDIATE (LEVEL 2)

Provide basic knowledge and skills for specific jobs and are equal to GCSEs.

Entry Requirements vary

ADVANCED (LEVEL 3)

Offer more specialised knowledge and skills and are equal to A levels.

Entry requirements usually 5 GCSE's at Grade 4 or above including English and Maths (some will require grade 5)

HIGHER (LEVEL 4 TO 7)

Focus on higher-level professional skills and can be equal to a foundation degree, a Higher National Certificate (HNC), or a Higher National Diploma (HND).

Entry requirements Level 3 Apprenticeship, A-Levels or Equivalent

DEGREE (LEVEL 6 TO 7)

Continue to focus on professional skills and lead to either a full bachelor's or master's degree.

Some require certain qualifications or professional experience

WHAT AREAS CAN I STUDY AN APPRENTICESHIP IN?

Business, Administration and Digital

Sales, Marketing and Procurement

Legal, Finance and Accounting

Agriculture, Environmental and Animal Care

Engineering and Manufacturing

Hair and Beauty

Creative and Design

Catering and Hospitality

Construction and the Built Environment

Education and Early Years

Care Services, Health and Science

Protective Services

LOCAL APPRENTICESHIP PROVIDERS

City of Portsmouth College

<https://www.city-of-portsmouth-college.ac.uk/apprenticeships/>

PETA

<https://www.peta.co.uk/9/418/apprenticeships>

South Hampshire College Group

<https://shcg.ac.uk/apprenticeships/>

Steve Willis

<https://stevewillis.com/apprenticeships/>

Havant and South Downs College

<https://www.hfdc.ac.uk/study-with-us/apprenticeships/>

TOP APPRENTICESHIP EMPLOYERS 2025

1. Mitchells and Butler

2. BAE Systems

3. Amazon

4. John Lewis Partnership

5. Busy Bees Childcare

6. Department for Work and Pensions

7. GYO Logistics

8. Whitbread

9. McDonalds

10. PwC

<https://www.gov.uk/government/news/top-apprenticeship-employers-celebrated-for-2025>

More information can be found via these links:

www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship

www.apprenticeships.gov.uk

<https://amazingapprenticeships.com>