



WARWICKSHIRE
SKILLS HUB



National Apprenticeship Week

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6th – 12th February 2023

*The 16th annual week-long celebration of
Apprenticeships.*

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Introduction

National Apprenticeship Week (NAW) is an annual week-long celebration of apprenticeships that takes place across England. This week brings together businesses and apprentices across the country to shine a light on the positive impact that apprenticeships make to individuals, businesses, and the wider economy.

The theme for National Apprenticeship Week 2023 is ‘Skills for Life’. The week will reflect on how apprenticeships can help individuals to develop the skills and knowledge required for a rewarding career and help businesses to develop a talented workforce that is equipped with skills for the future.

Apprenticeships



What is an apprenticeship?

An apprenticeship is a real job where you learn, gain experience and get paid. You're an employee with a contract of employment and holiday leave. By the end of an apprenticeship, you'll have the right skills and knowledge needed for your chosen career.

It can take between one to six years to complete an apprenticeship depending on which one you choose, what level it is and your previous experience. It's funded from contributions made by the Government and your employer.

Levels of an apprenticeship

Each apprenticeship has a level and an equivalent education level. You can start an apprenticeship at any level.

Depending on the level, some apprenticeships may:

- require previous qualifications such as an English or maths GCSE
- give extra training in the English or maths skills needed so you're at the right level

At the end of your apprenticeship, you'll achieve the equivalent education level. For example, if you complete a level 3 apprenticeship, you'll achieve the equivalent of an A level.

	Level	Equivalent education level
Intermediate	2	GCSE
Advanced	3	A level
Higher	4,5,6 and 7	Foundation degree and above
Degree	6 and 7	Bachelor's or master's degree

What you'll earn

What you earn will depend on the industry, location, and type of apprenticeship you choose.

If you're aged 16 to 18 or in the first year of your apprenticeship, you're entitled to the [apprentice rate](#).

If you're 19 or over and have completed the first year of your apprenticeship, you're entitled to the [National Minimum Wage](#).

This is the minimum you'll earn - many employers pay a lot more and offer their apprentices a competitive salary.

How do I find an apprenticeship?

The government website



shows all apprenticeships available:



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

Other useful websites:

<http://www.apprenticeshipguide.co.uk>

<https://amazingapprenticeships.com/>

www.prospects.ac.uk/jobs-and-work-experience/job-sectors

www.nationalcareersevice

www.RateMyApprenticeship.co.uk

www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/apprenticeships

Training Providers offering Apprenticeships in Warwickshire

Warwickshire County Council have created short films showcasing a selection of training providers offering apprenticeships across Warwickshire, please find links to those we have filmed with below.

To find a full list of local apprenticeships currently being advertised visit:

<https://www.apprenticeships.gov.uk/apprentices/browse-apprenticeships>

Please see the Apprenticeship Directory provided by your teacher which shows the areas offered by each provider.

- Absolute Works
- Ashornehill
- Aurelia Training
- Coventry Adult Education Services
- [Coventry College](#)
- Coventry University
- CWCT - Chamber Training
- [Heart of England Training](#)
- Hit Training
- [Intec Business College](#)
- JBC Skills Training
- [MTC](#) (Manufacturing Technology Centre)
- [Midlands Group Training Services](#)
- [North Warwickshire & South Leicestershire College](#)
- Primary Goal
- SCCU Ltd
- [Stratford Upon-Avon & Solihull College](#)
- The University of Warwick
- [WCG](#) (Warwickshire College Group)
- Warwickshire Garage & Transport GTA

Useful links

- National Apprenticeship Week Events can be found [here](#).
- [Apprenticeships.Gov](#) have great resources for employers, apprentices, and influencers.
- Warwickshire County Council have produced a number of films to showcase different apprenticeship choices which can be found [here](#)
- [UCAS](#) - [Understanding Apprenticeships](#) has some great resource and advice.



- [World Skills UK](#) have a number of great resources, including a careers advice toolkit

For Parents, Carers or Guardians

The Parent, Carers or Guardians Guide to Apprenticeships can be found [here](#).

Your Future Career in Apprenticeships Films

Warwickshire County Council have created short films showcasing a selection of training providers and businesses offering apprenticeships across Warwickshire, please find links to those we have filmed so far below (more will follow!).

Training Providers in Warwickshire

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- [Coventry College](#)
- [HOET](#)
- [Intec](#)
- [MTC](#) (Manufacturing Technology Centre)
- [MTI](#)
- [Midlands Group Training Services](#)
- [NWSLC](#)
- [WCG](#) (Warwickshire College Group)
- [Stratford college](#)

Businesses

Engineering

[BMW](#)
[Ceracon](#)
[Fanuc](#)
[LISI Aerospace](#)

Healthcare

[Euston Place Dental Practice](#)
[Shipston Lodge Nursing Home](#)

Hospitality

[Virgin & Castle](#)

ICT/Communications

[Sitel](#)
[Telent](#)

Transport

[Vivarail](#)
[BMW](#)

Real Estate

[Letting a property.com](#)

Construction/ Infrastructure

[Storm Geomatics](#)

Public Services

[Warwickshire Fire and Rescue Service](#)
[Warwickshire Police](#)

Other

[Letting a property](#)
[OX Deliveries](#)



National Apprenticeship Week Activities

Monday 6th February	Tuesday 7th February	Wednesday 8th February	Thursday 9th February	Friday 10th February	Saturday 11 th February
<p>Bentley Apprenticeships at Bentley Motors 9am</p>	<p>NWSLC Construction and Engineering Business Breakfast Event 8am-10am</p>				<p>Meggit Apprenticeship Career Open Day 11am-1pm</p>
<p>National Grid National Grid Apprenticeship 11am</p>		<p>Go Construction Build a Career in Construction 11am</p>	<p>Chamber Training Apprenticeships Open Day – Open Invite 3-5pm</p> <p>NWSLC Nuneaton Campus Open Event – 9th February 2023 5pm-8pm</p>		
<p>Network Rail Network Rail Engineering Apprenticeship 1pm</p>	<p>Seven Trent Start a Career in the Water Industry 5pm</p>	<p>LISI Aerospace Apprenticeship Open Day 2-4:30pm</p> <p>Royal Mail Royal Mail Apprenticeships Online Event 3pm</p>	<p>LISI Aerospace Apprenticeship Open Day 2-4:30pm</p> <p>WCG Hospitality Apprenticeships Fair (Coventry & Warwickshire) 5:30pm-7:30pm</p>	<p>Jaguar Land rover Apprenticeships at Jaguar land rover 3pm</p>	