



HANDY LITTLE APPRENTICESHIP GUIDE FOR STUDENTS

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HOW APPRENTICESHIPS WORK



WORK

Apprentices need to have a contract of employment. They can work both full- or part-time.



WAGE

They must be paid the minimum apprenticeship wage or a salary equal to their job role.



STUDY

They can study through a combination of day release, block release, blended learning or independently.



QUALIFICATION

They will work towards both their apprenticeship and the underpinning qualification. The underpinning qualification is the same value as if achieved through the traditional route.

WHAT KIND OF DEGREE APPRENTICESHIPS CAN I DO?

Apprenticeships are no longer reserved for younger new starters. Now **any employee** can become an apprentice at any stage of their career. And because the employer pays for it – **it is free!**



CHARTERED
MANAGER
DEGREE
APPRENTICESHIP



MARKETING



HEALTHCARE
PRACTITIONER



ACADEMIC
PROFESSIONAL



CONSTRUCTION



ACCOUNTANCY



ENGINEERING



DIGITAL



HOW DO I FIND AN APPRENTICESHIP?

Register, search and apply for an apprenticeship
via www.gov.uk/apply.apprenticeship

WHAT IS THE OUTCOME OF THE APPRENTICESHIP CHANGES?



SAVE

You will pay **nothing** for your degree apprenticeship. Your employer covers **all** costs.



EARN

You **earn** while working and studying towards your degree.



ACHIEVE

You gain the **same** qualification as those who take the conventional route towards their degree.



PROSPER

As you have spent most of your time working, you will have earned your qualification **and** have essential real-life work experience for future job roles.

WHO IS PAYING MY TUITION FEES?

As of April 2017, the Government introduced a new apprenticeship reform called the Levy.



Businesses who exceed a set wage bill for their employees will put money aside to train apprentices in their organisation.



There will be opportunities to work at your favourite companies.



You will not pay any tuition fees



You will be able to graduate with a FULL degree, while earning a wage and gain valuable work experience.



On average, apprentices completing a higher apprenticeship could earn **£150,000** more over their lifetime.

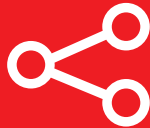


WHAT IS THE OUTCOME OF YOUR APPRENTICESHIP?



SAFETY

90% of apprentices stay
in employment after
finishing.



PROSPECTS

83% of apprentices say
their career prospects
had improved.



PROGRESSION

A quarter of apprentices
have been promoted
within 12 months
of finishing.

ALREADY IN EMPLOYMENT?



TALK TO YOUR
EMPLOYER ABOUT
UP-SKILLING OR
RE-SKILLING



OR



YOU CAN APPROACH
YOUR EMPLOYER WITH
AN APPRENTICESHIP YOU
WOULD LIKE TO DO

YOUR EMPLOYER
CAN SEARCH FOR
AN APPRENTICESHIP
PROGRAM THAT BENEFITS
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