

# TRANBY HIGHER EDUCATION, WORK EXPERIENCE, APPRENTICESHIP & CAREERS NEWS

"If opportunity  
doesn't knock,  
build a door."

-Milton Berle

## Parents and Careers Progression Information Evening Thursday 12 September 2024

In a recent survey, 65% of secondary aged students said that their first port of call when seeking careers advice is their parents. This is why we are hosting an event specifically around how you, the parents, can support your child when they ask you careers related questions. We will be providing you with information about our Year 7-13 Careers Programme and how we use Morrisby and Unifrog Careers Platforms to inform, engage and support students with their career exploration journey.

Sign up [here](#).



## Youth Employment Week 15-19 July 2024

This is your chance to grow your life and work skills, build on your experience and get connected with people who can support you with your next steps. Find out more at [Youth Employment UK](#)

## Pilot Careers Live—Manchester 13 July 2024

Professional Pilot careers event at the Concorde Conference Centre, Manchester Airport on 13 July.

This is could be your first step in exploring a career as a professional pilot. It is a chance for you to speak to leading flight training organisations, watch live seminars, interviews and ask questions in person.

Click [here](#) to book your place



Follow us on Twitter and Instagram @Tranby\_Careers and "Tweet" yourself to a wealth of up to date careers information, advice and guidance.



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# WORK EXPERIENCE & SKILLS

If you have arranged a **work experience placement** for yourself please ensure that Mrs Harding has been informed so that the correct administrative checks can be put in place prior to the placement going ahead. See [here](#) for 5 questions you should ask whilst on Work Experience.



## Innovate for Climate Change

 **FREE** 11 to 14yrs

A 7-session introductory computing course that supports students in creating a community focused, climate action app prototype.



 [www.neonfutures.org.uk/innovate4climate](http://www.neonfutures.org.uk/innovate4climate)

## AtkinsRéalis virtual work experience

 **FREE** 11 to 18yrs

Are your students interested in engineering, design or project management? Let them step into the world of AtkinsRéalis through this WEX programme to discover the early careers options available to them!



 [www.neonfutures.org.uk/atkins](http://www.neonfutures.org.uk/atkins)

## Neon Experiences

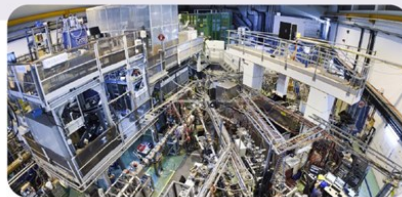
Neon has these brilliant online experiences and many more besides. Click [here](#) for the full catalogue and/or on the individual images on the left to explore what's on offer.



## CERN Zone

 **FREE** 16 to 18yrs

Give your students the extraordinary opportunity to connect with scientists at the heart of CERN nuclear physics experiments.



 [www.neonfutures.org.uk/cern](http://www.neonfutures.org.uk/cern)



## EDF Virtual Work Experience Programme

On 10 June, EDF launched a virtual work experience programme for anyone aged 14+ and based in the UK. There are over 6 hours of content including an introduction to EDF, the different energy sources and finding out about the employability skills to make applicants stand out. At the end of the programme, students will receive a certificate of completion. Click [here](#) to learn more

## Employability Skills

Employers are increasingly concerned at the lack of transferable skills that young people are presenting with when they apply for jobs. The Skills Builder Partnership can help you to build the essential skills to succeed. Click [here](#), choose a skill you want to develop and get started.

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# APPRENTICESHIPS

## Accenture

Accenture is a multinational professional services company with their headquarters in Dublin. They specialise in IT Services and consulting and are a Fortune Global 500 company considered to be the largest consulting firm in the world by number of employees. They offer a wide range of apprenticeship programmes with their nearest offices being in Leeds. Explore their apprenticeship opportunities [here](#) and/or complete their “[Introduction to Technology Apprenticeship](#)” virtual work experience programme.



## University or Apprenticeship?

Unsure about what steps to take after school? In this [free webinar](#), you'll hear first-hand from an expert about the benefits and differences between higher education and an apprenticeship and why both are viable options.

An expert from Ask About Apprenticeships will talk you through the application process for both choices, accommodation options, qualifications available and the day-to-day life of students and apprentices.



## Aspire—Latest Guide is now available

**University not for you?** If you're keen to start earning, there are an increasing number of school leaver programmes and apprenticeships that provide training that lay the foundations for a great career. Or why not consider a degree apprenticeship to combine the best of both worlds? Click [here](#) to access the guide and learn more about the options available to post-16 students.



**The Occupational Maps** help people understand the options to train and progress in their careers. They show how occupations at different levels link together and provide career planning information, including likely salaries. Learn how to use them [here](#).





## Learn about AI

### Microsoft Azure AI Fundamentals: Generative AI

Generative AI is a form of artificial intelligence in which models are trained to generate new original content based on natural language input.

**START LEARNING**

## Microsoft Learning Modules

Microsoft Learn is a free, interactive, hands-on training platform that helps people develop their technical skills related to Microsoft products and services. It's designed to support learners at all levels, from beginners to advanced professionals, in acquiring new skills and knowledge in a variety of technical domains. See the full list of learning programmes [here](#).

## The Uni Guide Podcast

Supporting students and parents with all things university. In this [podcast series](#), they will be providing listeners with the cutting edge and most up-to-date information and conversations about university. In plain English, without the jargon, and from the lived experience of everyone involved in the process - including guest experts, current students and recent graduates.

## Covering topics including:

- Why and how do students apply for university?
- How much does university really cost?
- How can students select a university course or institution?
- How can they prepare for exams?
- What do they need to know before starting their course? And many more!



## Uni Subject Guide Videos

These impartial [videos](#) have one key aim. To support students who are considering university to make informed future subject decisions. They feature guest speakers from a range of different universities, who are always experts in the subject being explored.

Different subjects, but the same four themes explored in every single one:

- Why students may wish to consider the subject
- What to expect if they study it
- An overview of the careers it may lead to
- Application tips if they go on to apply



From Accounting to Zoology - and 100's of subjects in between. You can browse the videos, search by keyword, or filter by subject.

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## Cre8tive Resources Why Study...Series

Check out these excellent [short videos](#) which illustrate what the value is of studying various subjects, what skills and qualities they can help you to develop, and what careers link to those subjects.



## A PARENTS' GUIDE TO UCAS.



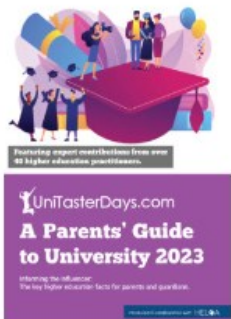
Join a representative from City, University of London who talks about the UCAS application process that students must go through in order to attend university in the UK.

This session will explain what applicants are required to do from the start to end of the process and how their current school or college can support them and what you as a parent or guardian are able to guide them through the journey. View the webinar on demand for free [here](#).

## Creative Careers

In this quiz there are no wrong answers, there's a place for everyone in TV and Broadcast.

Allowing students to find out more about what working in TV and Broadcast could be like, whilst also finding the potential path for them, this Careers Quiz combines easy to understand questions with inspirational outcomes. Click [here](#) or scan the QR code to access the quiz.



The Parents' Guide to University has been produced by UniTasterDays.com in collaboration with HELOA - to help you, as a parent or guardian, to support your young person with their higher education decisions. Editorial has been provided by over 40 colleagues at universities throughout the UK. On topics including student finance, university applications, university events, student wellbeing and more. Click the image to download.

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