



CAREERS NEWSLETTER

This newsletter is a collation of all the opportunities we have heard about from employers and universities. Please use the links included to read more information and apply to anything you are interested in. Links are underlined.

OPPORTUNITIES

National T Levels Week will take place on Monday 2nd – Friday 6th December 2024. The week will focus on continuing to raise awareness of the many T Level subjects now available and showcase the success of the programme.

If you aren't sure what T Levels are, here are a range of resources to help you learn more:

- [Rapid Read: What are T Levels?](#)
- [What are T Levels Film](#)
- [T Levels Case Study – Digital Production, Design and Development](#)
- [T Level Case Study – Design, Surveying and Planning](#)
- [T Levels Parents and Carers' guide](#)



Are you thinking about applying for a T Level but don't know what to expect? [Take this short course](#) and see if it's the right pathway for you!



Most law firms that accept trainees offer opportunities for Sixth Form pupils to get involved and see whether a legal profession is right for them. The [LawCareers website](#) has put together a round-up of firms and what events and work experience placements are available.



Check out The Uni Guide podcast episode: '[Get university ready - turn potential into performance](#)' Episode 35: Kamal from Aim a Little Higher chats with student panellists Ishan and Leah about turning potential into performance. This motivational episode is packed with insights and available directly on UniTasterDays and on all major podcast streaming platforms.



If you have ever thought to yourself 'when should I start preparing for an apprenticeship' or 'how can I prepare for an apprenticeship', [this is the video for you!](#)

JOB OF THE WEEK



[Judicial Law Clerk](#)

A Judicial Law Clerk, also known as a Law Clerk or Judicial Assistant, is a professional (often a lawyer) who provides direct counsel and assistance to a lawyer or judge by researching issues and drafting legal opinions for cases before the court.

Watch the video to learn more about working hours, salary and the qualifications needed.

LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION FACT

The average salary for the Legal industry in the UK is £48,476 per year, but it can pay up to £91,724 (and beyond!).

There have been 166,485 vacancies in the past year and the industry is set to grow by 5.75% over next eight years.

[Source](#)

For up-to-date LMI for Wiltshire, click [here](#).

If you have any questions or need support, please email l.krzyzosiak@trafalgar.wilts.sch.uk



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Check out this [list of employers currently recruiting for Higher and Degree Apprenticeships](#). It is not inclusive (unfortunately, there isn't a way to see every available apprenticeship in one place at the moment) but the list is very extensive. To find more information on any opportunities that you're interested in, search the name of the company followed by the word "Apprenticeships" which should take you to the best page of their website to find more info.



Here are some [upcoming Speakers for Schools webinars](#) that you may find useful. Please note: Registration for our livestream events is open until 12 pm the day before the scheduled broadcast date.

3rd December: Why You Should Focus On Practical Skill Development



In this session, we will chat about the importance of building practical skills that go beyond academics. Martin will explore how hands-on experiences, like those encouraged by The Duke of Edinburgh's International Award can help develop confidence, resilience, and a sense of achievement in young people. This talk is a fantastic opportunity to learn how practical skill development can open doors, build character, and prepare you for whatever path you choose.

9th December: The World of Journalism And Presenting



Curious about what it's like to be a journalist or a radio presenter? Join Nick Robinson, the presenter of BBC Radio 4's Today Show, for an exciting talk about the world of journalism and broadcasting. Nick will share his journey from starting out as a journalist to becoming one of the leading voices on British radio. Learn about the skills needed to break into journalism, the importance of asking the right questions, and how to tell impactful stories that keep people informed.

11th December: Ready for Takeoff: Launching a career in Aviation with the CAA



The Aviation industry is huge and there's so much to get involved with! Learn from a panel of the CAA team and their different roles as they unpack their journeys and experiences into engineering, legal routes, and tech. There's more than meets the eye, let's unpack it together!

EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT



"We pride ourselves on giving new lawyers a truly unique experience. Whether you're a student or graduate we aim to give you the tools and experience to forge a successful career in law.

That means combining learning with experience, and giving you the opportunity to work with people at all levels of our business."

Read more about [DLA Piper Careers here](#).

UNI SPOTLIGHT



"Our undergraduate courses in law, business, criminology, policing, psychology & computer science have been specially designed to give you an exciting, practical academic experience, teaching you real-world skills so that you can achieve your ambitions. 94% of postgraduates were in employment or further study 15 months after graduating."














Read more about [The University of Law courses here](#).

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POST-16 PROVIDER OPEN EVENTS & APPLICATION DEADLINES

| | | OPEN EVENTS INFORMATION | APPLICATION DEADLINES (for September 2025 entry) |
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| S6C |  | All open events are now finished. Contact the college directly for a tour. | Friday 31st January 2025 |
| SARUM ACADEMY |  | All open events are now finished. Contact the sixth form directly for a tour. | No official deadline but the earlier the better. |
| WILTSHIRE COLLEGE |  | Thursday 23rd January 2025 (5.00 – 7.00pm) | Apply before February half term but be aware that some courses get filled up so the earlier the better. |
| SOUTH WILTS |  | Wednesday 4th December 2024 (2.00 – 3.30pm) | Wednesday 15th January 2025 |
| BROCKENHURST |  | Thursday 3rd July 2025 (5.00 – 8.00pm) | Friday 7th February 2025 |
| PETER SYMONDS |  | All open events are now finished. Contact the college directly for a tour. | Monday 9th December 2024 |
| BURGATE |  | All open events are now finished. Contact the sixth form directly for a tour. | Monday 16th December 2024 |
| BISHOPS |  | Wednesday 15th January 2025 @ 2.30pm | Monday 3rd February 2025 @ 4.00pm |
| ANDOVER COLLEGE |  | Thursday 13th February 2025 (Time TBC) Wednesday 7th May 2025 (Time TBC) | No official deadline but be aware that some courses get filled up so the earlier the better. |
| SPARSHOLT |  | Saturday 1st February 2025 (Time TBC) Saturday 1st March 2025 (Time TBC) Wednesday 30th April 2025 (Time TBC) Thursday 12th June 2025 (Time TBC) | (Open on the 5th October). They take applications right up until the start of the course, but only if places are available (so apply much earlier if you can). |
| RINGWOOD |  | All open events are now finished. Contact the sixth form directly for a tour. | Tuesday 10th December 2024 |
| BARTON PEVERIL |  | All open events are now finished. Contact the college directly for a tour. | Friday 14th February 2025 |
| KINGDOWN |  | All open events are now finished. Contact the sixth form directly for a tour. | Friday 20th December 2024 |