




The Ridgeway School
& Sixth Form College


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




Are you interested in working in the Film Industry? This session equips you with all the information you need. The session will challenge common myths about the sector and showcase the variety of roles that are within your reach. You'll come away with up-to-date information to help plan a career in the screen industries.



Ever considered a career in property or simply want to hear from industry experts on how you can stand out from the crowd? Join the conversation to gain exclusive insights into the diverse range of roles available and benefit from expert guidance on how to create a winning CV and cover letter. Register here.



International Competition; "How does war effect people's lives?" - "We want to learn from you about the individuals and communities affected by war. What's a story that needs to be told? Is there a certain person that has inspired you? What are some of the impacts of war that people might not consider? Share your thoughts using poetry, art, speech and song! You can enter each category once!" Read more here and enter by 24th May 2024.



Embark on a transformative journey with Siemens Technology Virtual Work Experience. Discover the cutting-edge world of innovation led by industry-leading engineers at Siemens. Gain insights into digitalisation, climate action, smart infrastructure, and diversity & inclusion. Engage with Siemens experts, explore diverse roles, and learn how to launch your career through apprenticeships, internships, and graduate schemes. Your opportunity to shape the future of technology awaits - join Siemens and be a catalyst for positive change in the world of engineering and technology. Read more and apply here.

JOB OF THE WEEK



This week's video focuses on the job role of a Naval Architect.

They are responsible for the design, classification, survey, construction, and/or repair of ships, boats, other marine vessels, and offshore structures, both commercial and military.

Watch the video to learn more.

LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION FACT

The UK AI market is worth more than £16.8 billion, according to the US International Trade Administration, and is expected to grow to £801.6 billion by 2035.

The number of UK AI companies has increased by over 600% over the last 10 years.

[Read more](#)

OPPORTUNITIES

Getting into medical school in the UK is hard because it's an incredibly competitive process. There are a limited number of spaces available at each medical school, and a high number of applicants each year. If you are considering applying to study Medicine in the future, we would recommend looking at the [Medic Mentor website](#) which includes resources and events split into 5 steps:

- Step 1: Research becoming a Doctor
- Step 2: Speak to Doctors
- Step 3: Participate in Medical Extracurricular activities
- Step 4: Learn about the Medicine Application Process
- Step 5: Seek Mentoring

UCAS have a range of resources to help you explore your Higher Education options, via both university and degree apprenticeships. Here's some of the features that you may find useful:

- [Industry Guides](#) - These take a deep dive into different industries to explore job roles, average salaries, pros/cons & FAQs.
- [Subject Guides](#) - These guides tell you where the subject could take your career, the number of vacancies available, entry requirements and what universities and employers are looking for when it comes to previous subjects.
- [Career Quiz](#) - By answering a series of questions, you will be matched to jobs and see what courses previous students studied to get there.
- [Unibuddy](#) - You can speak with current students studying subjects that interest you to find out more about their experience.
- [Apprenticeship Smart Alerts](#) - Get tailored opportunities direct to your inbox, based on your preferences. Just create a UCAS account, fill out a quick form, and begin your apprenticeship journey!
- [Student events](#) - At a UCAS event, you can talk to unis, colleges, employers and apprenticeship providers to compare all your options side-by-side.

EMPLOYER SPOTLIGHT

“Travis Perkins teams operate at the heart of the construction industry, trusted by the customers and suppliers who build and maintain the places that are important to millions of people. We're proud of where we have come from but it's where we go next that counts. Are you about to step onto the career ladder? We can help you pave the way into a great career.”
You can read more about their careers [here](#).

UNI SPOTLIGHT

“Imperial is a world-leading university for science, technology, engineering, medicine and business (STEMB). Imperial harnesses the power of science, engineering, medicine and business to pursue discoveries with world-changing impact. Our students aren't just witness to this, they're working alongside us.”
You can read more about Imperial College London's courses [here](#).