

APPRENTICESHIPS: FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

When you're considering the next step to secure the future that's right for you, you're bound to have lots of questions. We're here to help.

What are the different levels of apprenticeship?

There are four types of apprenticeship: Intermediate, Advanced, Higher, and Degree. It will depend on the job role and your prior qualifications and experience as to which level you will need to start at.

INTERMEDIATE



DEGREE



Is getting an apprenticeship competitive?

Securing an apprenticeship is the same as getting any other job: there will be other applicants and you'll need to impress to get shortlisted. Stand out by researching the employer, identifying the skills and qualities that make you unique and tailoring your application form.

How does the application process work?

The organisation will usually advertise on the Find an apprenticeship website, so you will be able to apply online. After the closing date, the employer will shortlist the applicants. Interviews could be a mixture of face to face meetings, online tests, and assessment centres.



Do you need English and Maths?

Some employers ask for English and Maths GCSE before you start. However, if you don't have English and Maths it doesn't mean you can't do an apprenticeship. If you're willing to work towards Functional Skills then you will still be able to achieve your apprenticeship.