

National Apprenticeship Week 2021

National Apprenticeship Week (NAW) is a week-long celebration of apprenticeships in England. It's organised by the National Apprenticeship Service, and this will be its 14th year. NAW brings together all characters from within the apprenticeship community - employers, training providers, apprentices and young people who are thinking of taking the apprenticeship path. Although things may be different this year, NAW 2021 is still set to be a huge celebration of apprentices. See the below for a summary of and links to access virtual events.

- Short video introducing apprenticeships with onward links to do some further research [Apprenticeships Introduction](#)
- Churchill Careers Convention - video talk on apprenticeships by Thatchers [Is an Apprenticeship for you?](#)

1. [UCAS - Discover Apprenticeships](#)

Live sessions, information, and advice about everything to do with apprenticeships **8-12 February**. Each day students will discover something new about what's on offer and what's involved in studying while working. Plus on Tuesday, they'll have the chance to meet and talk to employers and apprenticeship providers in our virtual exhibition hall. Students need to register to get involved - it only takes a moment and they'll get access to all the sessions, plus they can watch it all on-demand for 30 days.



2. [National Apprenticeship Show](#)

Chat with exhibitors by voice or text chat as well as download useful information and view online video content. The event 'goes live' on **Weds 10 February** between 11.00am and 6.00pm.





3. One specifically for the parents/carers! If your parent/carer is interested in finding out more about apprenticeships whether that is to support you in considering/finding a vacancy or because they/their employer is interested in offering an apprenticeship, please send them this link to register for a talk arranged by Churchill Academy on **Weds 10 February 6-6:45pm**

[Apprenticeship Talk Registration](#)



4. BDO and the Institute of Chartered Accountants - Virtual Insight Evening **Thursday 11th February** from 6-7.45pm, where we will dispel the myths surrounding apprenticeships, and highlight how they can lead to successful **careers in accountancy** without going to university.

[Register to attend](#)



Here is what students can expect from the insight evening:

- Hear Paul England describe his remarkable journey from leaving school after A-Levels to running a 6,000 employee strong top six accountancy firm.
 - Meet representatives from the ICAEW who will explain the pathway to becoming a qualified accountant as well as the benefits of apprenticeships.
 - Explore the opportunities available at BDO with our resourcing team and the business areas you could join, including Audit, Tax, Advisory, Business Services and Outsourcing.
- Take part in a panel discussion where questions will be answered by our speakers, including apprentices at different stages of their training journey.

5. [allabout school leavers - Build The Future](#)

Employers and course providers are exhibiting at the School Leaver Fair on **17th February**. Meet employers, ask questions and watch videos to help you decide what you would like to do once you leave school or college. Download information packs to help Build the Future.

