

Careers Information for Students

There are many ways you can get ahead by finding out more about different careers. In school look out for:

- Resources in the school library.
- Subject specific posters in your classrooms.
- Posters in the careers meeting room.
- College and university prospectuses in Tutor rooms.
- Weekly Careers newsletter (See Careers notice board in the CLT corridor, emailed to YEAR 11 students and parents and posted in Tutor rooms).
- Regularly updated opportunities regarding careers events and job vacancies posted on 'Thought for the day.'

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Careers drop-in clinics every lunchtime in CO.

If you would like to make a careers appointment, either let your tutor know, ask Reception or speak to Mrs Griffiths-Jones.

For more information, see the careers notice board (by the CLT Office). Open events at colleges, taster days and apprenticeship opportunities, along with the weekly careers newsletter are available on the board. You can also see what former students of Ludlow school are doing and how Year10 got on during their work experience placements.

Use the following websites to research KS4 and KS5 subject areas, career ideas, studying at university and employability skills.

<https://careerpilot.org.uk/stories/choosing-your-gcses>

A short video giving tips on choosing subjects to study at KS4.

<https://icould.com/stories/choosing-your-gcse-options-video/>

People reflect on making their choices and how they shaped their future.

<https://careerpilot.org.uk/job-sectors/subjects>

Choose a subject you love and see where it might lead.

<https://www.firstcareers.co.uk/>

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zhst2sg>

Where could your favourite subject take you?

<https://www.ucas.com/ucas/after-gcses/find-career-ideas/explore-jobs#js=on>

Post-16 providers

Ludlow College <https://www.ludlow-college.ac.uk>

Hereford Sixth Form College <https://www.hereford.ac.uk>

Hereford and Ludlow Colleges <http://www.hlcollege.ac.uk>
(Includes Holme Lacy - agricultural college)

Shrewsbury Colleges Group <http://www.scg.ac.uk/>

Walford and North Shropshire College <https://www.nsc.ac.uk/campuses/5c59935305a86/Walford>

North Shropshire College <http://www.nsc.ac.uk/>

Reaseheath College <http://www.reaseheath.ac.uk/>

Hartpury College <https://www.hartpury.ac.uk/college>

Apprenticeships – local training providers

Shrewsbury College Apprenticeships <http://www.scg.ac.uk/apprenticeships>

County Training <http://www.ctapprenticeships.co.uk/>

Ladder for Shropshire: Continually updated list of apprenticeships available across Shropshire and Telford and Wrekin
<https://shropshire.go.uk/upskill-shropshire-apprenticeships>

Telford College Apprenticeships <http://www.telfordcollege.ac.uk/apprenticeship-vacancies>

North Shropshire College Apprenticeships <http://www.nsc.ac.uk/>

Herefordshire and Worcestershire Group Training Association <https://www.hwgta.org>

Career specific websites

Medicine:

www.stepintothenhhs.nhs.uk Careers in the NHS aimed at KS3.

<https://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/> Careers in the NHS aimed at KS4.

www.generationmedics.org.uk Careers in medicine.

www.jobs.sath.nhs.uk/ NHS apprenticeships in Telford and Shrewsbury.

www.tasteofmedicine.com Guide to getting into medicine.

www.admissionstesting.org Entry tests for medical and dentistry.

www.ucat.ac.uk Entry test for medical and dentistry. Every year Shrewsbury School run UCAT master classes. E-mail tpp@shrewsbury.org.uk

www.gapmedics.com Medical work experience abroad in the holidays/gap year.

www.wanttobeadoctor.co.uk Leeds University widening access to Medicine.

www.medical-interviews.co.uk/interview-questions-medical-school-interviews.aspx Medical School interview questions.

<https://www.admissionstesting.org/for-test-takers/bmat/preparing-for-bmat/practice-papers/> Lots of practice online papers.

<https://www.themedicportal.com/>

www.careersinpodiatry.com Careers in podiatry

Teaching:

<https://getintoteaching.education.gov.uk/> Help and advice on how and why to get into teaching.

Armed Forces:

<http://beforeyousignup.info/> Pros and cons of joining the armed forces.

<https://www.royalnavy.mod.uk/careers>

<https://www.raf.mod.uk/recruitment>

Accountancy:

<https://careers.icaew.com/find-your-route/school-leaver-programme> Info on entry routes, training and opportunities in accountancy.

Animal Care:

<https://www.vetsure.com/pet-information/latest-pet-news/become-veterinary-surgeon-career-guide/> Information on how to become a vet.

Aerospace:

<https://www.careersinaerospace.com/> To explore opportunities in aerospace.

Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths (STEM):

<https://tomorrowsengineers.org.uk/> Careers in the engineering sector.

<https://www.stem.org.uk/> STEM Learning- lots of resources and activities.

<https://www.mathscareers.org.uk/> Helps choose your routes to a Maths Career.

<http://www.sciencecareerpathways.com/home/> Careers opportunities working within the Science based industries.

<https://www.thisisengineering.org.uk/> Engineering can help you make a difference in the world.

Digital/web careers:

<https://www.bubble-jobs.co.uk/> Explains different kinds of careers in Digital/Web sector.

<https://www.tpdegrees.com/careers/> What digital role might suit you?

Law:

<https://www.allaboutlaw.co.uk/> A guide to degrees and careers in Law.

<https://lnat.ac.uk/> Guide to the test you may have to take to gain entry onto a Law degree. Every year Shrewsbury School run LNAT master classes. E-mail tpp@shrewsbury.org.uk.

<https://www.lawcareers.net/> Guide to becoming a Lawyer

Creative:

<https://www.careersinmusic.com/> A useful website on careers in music.

<https://www.ccskills.org.uk/> Careers advice on working in the creative industries. Includes jobs/internship/work experience abroad.

<https://myfirstjobinfilm.co.uk/>

<https://discovercreative.careers/#/> Bringing together careers information and opportunities from creative organisations in one explorable directory.

Media:

<https://careers.channel4.com/4talent> Opportunities to begin and develop your career in the media industry.

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/academy/en/collections/get-in> BBC entry and work experience schemes in engineering, journalism and production.

<https://www.screenskills.com/> Investing in the people driving the success of UK Film, TV, animation and games.

Hospitality and Travel & Tourism:

<https://tastycareers.org.uk/> Careers in the food and drink sector.

<https://ciltuk.org.uk/> Jobs in the transport and travel industry.

<https://careerscope.uk.net/> Careers info on jobs in hospitality, tourism and leisure.

<https://cruise.jobs/> Information on jobs on cruise ships.

<http://www.careersatsea.org/> From ferries to container ships – careers in the Merchant Navy.

Motor Industry:

<https://www.autocity.org.uk/> Find your dream job in the motor industry.

Construction:

<https://www.goconstruct.org/> Providing information around careers in construction.

Employability Skills

<https://barclayslifeskills.com/>

Support with employability skills, students will need to register.

<https://www.thestudentroom.co.uk/>

Online student community – help with revisions, statement, applying to University.