

CAREERS WEBSITES



Sector and Subject Specific

CEC - BM4 Resources	https://resources.careersandenterprise.co.uk/my-learning-my-future Resources for teachers to deliver learning across different subject areas
CEC - BM4 SEND Resources	https://resources.careersandenterprise.co.uk/resources/my-skills-my-future Resources for teachers of young people with SEND
Royal Society of Chemistry	https://edu.rsc.org/future-in-chemistry Information for young people, teachers and parents about careers in Chemistry
Biochemical Society	https://www.biochemistry.org/careers-and-education/careers Information, work experience and employability support to get into Biochemistry
NHS	https://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/ Resources, information, apprenticeship and job search for healthcare careers in the NHS
Think Care Careers	https://www.skillsforcare.org.uk/Careers-in-care/Think-Care-Careers.aspx Information and resources linked to careers in the Care Sector
Institute for Agriculture and Farming	https://tiah.org/careers Information about growing and farming careers.
Tasty Careers	https://tastycareers.org.uk Careers in the Food and Drink Industry
CareerScope	https://careerscope.uk.net/ Explore careers in hospitality, tourism and travel
The Lawyer Portal	https://www.thelawyerportal.com/ Information, advice and resources for careers in law
Prospects: Careers in Finance	https://www.prospects.ac.uk/jobs-and-work-experience/job-sectors/accountancy-banking-and-finance Link to websites covering careers in Finance
British Army	https://jobs.army.mod.uk/base/ Book a workshop, use the lesson plans/videos and activities
Creative Careers	https://discovercreative.careers/ Information, advice and resources for careers in creative industries
ERIC	https://www.meet-eric.com/for-career-teams Information, advice and resources for careers in creative industries
Technicians	https://www.technicians.org.uk/ Learning about the skills, pathways and job roles in the Technician sector
Into Film	https://www.intofilm.org/ Charity providing information and resources for film in education
BFI-Screen South	https://screensouth.org/bfi-film-academy/ Courses, projects and information from the British Film Institute in Kent

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National Space Academy	https://nationalspaceacademy.org/what-we-do/i-am-a-teacher/ Resources, student masterclasses, events and teacher CPD
This is Engineering	https://thisisengineering.org.uk/ Advice and information about all careers within Engineering
Electrical Careers	https://www.electricalcareers.co.uk/ Information, advice and resources for careers in Electrical
Tomorrow's Engineers	https://www.tomorrowsengineers.org.uk/ Information, advice and resources for careers in Engineering
Enginuity	https://enginuity.org/ Skills miner games to support learning about engineering and green skills
ICE (Institute of Civil Engineers)	https://ice-inspire.co.uk/ Information, advice and resources for careers in civil engineering
TechSheCan	https://techshecan.org/ Resources to support learning about technology and dispelling stereotypes
STEM Learning	https://www.stem.org.uk/secondary/careers/resources STEM subject resources and a student friendly page: https://www.destinationstem.org.uk/
Green Careers Hub	https://www.greencareershubs.com/ Information, advice and resources for careers in the green industry
Sustainable Futures	https://www.wwf.org.uk/get-involved/schools/sustainable-futures/educators Student courses to embed sustainable careers learning into subjects.
Air League	https://airleague.co.uk/ Information, advice and resources for careers in aerospace and airports
Careers in Aerospace	https://www.careersinaerospace.com/ Guide to careers in aerospace and aviation
RICS- Surveyor Careers	https://www.rics.org/surveyor-careers Information about careers in Surveying
GoConstruct	https://www.goconstruct.org/educational-resources/resources-for-teachers/ Construction and built environment resources, lesson plans and activities
Council for British Archaeology	https://www.archaeologyuk.org/youth-engagement.html Projects and resources to support learning about careers in Archaeology
Careers at Sea	https://www.careersatsea.org/ Information all about careers at sea
Routes into Rail	https://routesintorail.org Information and resources about careers in the rail industry.

Careers Information and Lesson Resources

Cre8tive Resources	https://www.cre8tiveresources.com/categories/free-resources/ Free resources to support careers learning in subject lessons.
Career Ready	https://careerready.org.uk/career-starter/ Free bite-sized resources to support careers learning in subject lessons. Resources are no longer being updated but can be used as is or adapted.
See It Be It	https://seeitbeit.org.uk/schools Short films and accompanying planned lessons for KS3 and KS4
Amazing Apprenticeships	https://amazingapprenticeships.com/resources/ Videos, guides, activities all for using in lessons
BBC Bitesize	https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/zdqnxytc An A to Z collection of careers videos to use within lessons
Learn Live	https://learnliveuk.com/ Live events and recorded videos for use in lessons
Youth Employment UK	https://www.youthemployment.org.uk/teachers-resources/ Lesson plans and resources for lessons
The WOW Show	https://www.thewowshow.org/teachers/ Lesson plans, guides and videos linked to skills frameworks
MYPATH Careers	https://www.mypathcareersuk.com/for-schools Videos and activities for use within lessons
icould	https://icould.com/teaching-resources/ Classroom resources to support career pathway and industry learning
National Careers Week	https://nationalcareersweek.com/ National Careers Week resources available all year round
National Apprenticeship Week	https://naw.appawards.co.uk/ Access resources and sign up to the newsletter
WorldSkills UK	https://www.worldskillsuk.org/careers/ Explore careers, LMI data and videos to use within subject lessons
PSHE Association	https://pshe-association.org.uk/topics/money-work Resources to use within your PSHE curriculum on money and careers
Barclays Lifeskills	https://barclayslifeskills.com/help-others/lessons/ Barclays Life skills lesson plans
Pathway CTM	https://pathwayctm.com/video-podcasts/ Series of videos about apprenticeship pathways and employability skills

Speakers / Volunteers

Please use our **'Raise Your Hand' form** to advertise your school or college careers events and activities, this is then shared with our Enterprise Advisers and Business Community.

<https://forms.gle/LD13TD933UnQa2hi8>

THIS FORM IS ONLY TO BE USED BY KENT AND MEDWAY SCHOOLS OR COLLEGES

STEM Learning	https://www.stem.org.uk/stem-ambassadors STEM Ambassadors available to attend your school to deliver industry talks, pathway discussions and workshops in lessons to students interested in careers in STEM.
Futures for All	https://www.futuresforall.org/ Speakers/volunteers for your career activities within lessons and recorded talks from high-achieving professionals from many different industries.
Inspiring The Future	https://www.inspiringthefuture.org/ Thousands of volunteers based all around the UK who can take part in any career-related activity in school from careers talks to mock interviews, and from CV workshops to careers fairs.
Founders4Schools	https://www.founders4schools.org.uk/ Speakers/volunteer role models available from all industries to attend your careers activities with a searchable tool to find local volunteers. Maths4Girls and Sustainable Futures role models available to speak about the importance of Maths study and roles in Sustainability for young people.
Maths4Girls	https://m4g.founders4schools.org.uk/ Maths4Girls role models available to speak about the importance of Maths in their careers for young people.
WorldlyWise	https://worldly-wise.org/schools/ Partner with Worldly Wise to provide your students with opportunities to explore careers and develop life skills. Our program connects schools with local businesses, offering workshops, mentorships and real-world experiences that inspire and educate.
Neon	https://neonfutures.org.uk/ Speakers, competitions and workshops in school to explore careers in engineering
TechSheCan	https://techshecan.org/ Role models to support activities in technology and dispelling stereotypes Access live and on demand video lessons, assemblies and resources. Live - https://techshecan.org/live-assemblies On Demand - https://techshecan.org/on-demand-lessons
ERIC	https://www.meet-eric.com/register-school-talks Register for free monthly online talks from creative industry professionals and watch previous recordings

LMI, Pathways and Local Economy

Kent Invicta Chamber of Commerce – delivering the LSIP	https://kentemployerskillsplan.org/ Find out the latest project updates and Kent Invicta Chamber of Commerce drive forwards the Local Skills Improvement Plan (LSIP)
Kent & Medway Labour Market Information (LMI)	https://www.kentprospectus.co.uk/information/young-people-and-parents/kent-labour-market-information Up to date LMI for the Kent & Medway region. A wealth of resources and links to explore careers pathways in our counties growth sectors.
Kent & Medway Health and Care Academy	https://www.kmhealthandcareacademy.co.uk/ Kent & Medway Careers in Health and Care
Kent & Medway Progression Federation (kmpf)	https://kmpf.org/schools-and-colleges/send-pp-what-we-do/ Support for students with SEND and PP students in applying and attending university
BFI-Screen South	https://screensouth.org/bfi-film-academy/ Courses, projects and information from the British Film Institute in Kent
Kent Choices	https://www.kentprospectus.co.uk/ Information for students and parents about pathways and what is available in Kent
Rate My Apprenticeship	https://www.ratemyapprenticeship.co.uk/industries Industry Guides to support pathways into higher and degree apprenticeships
Amazing Apprenticeships	https://amazingapprenticeships.com/resources/ Posters, videos and guides to apprenticeships, technical education and employment pathways
Skills England	https://occupational-maps.skillsengland.education.gov.uk/ Skills England: explore the occupational maps and find apprenticeship routes for subject areas.

LMI, Pathways and Local Economy cont'

UCAS	https://www.ucas.com/ Information on pathways to universities and apprenticeships and advice about the UCAS process, courses and subject areas.
CXK	https://www.cxk.org/resources/useful-send-resources-and-websites/ List of pathways for SEND students and other helpful SEND resources
Skills for Careers	https://www.skillsforcareers.education.gov.uk/ https://www.skillsforcareers.education.gov.uk/pages/skills-for-life Explore education and employment pathways after school
ISE (Institute of Student Employers)	https://ise.org.uk/ Information and knowledge base and careers events
The Careers People	https://www.thecareerspeople.co.uk/post16studentguide Post 16 guide to help Year 11 students understand their options. https://www.apprenticeship.academy/info-for-schools The Apprenticeship Academy - refer unlimited learners from Year 10-13 for support in applying for apprenticeships
Nomis	https://www.nomisweb.co.uk/ Official Census and Labour Market Statistics
icould	https://icould.com/ Information and Guides on career pathways
Youth Employment	https://www.youthemployment.org.uk/careers-advice-help/choices/online-skills-and-careers-courses/explore-apprenticeships-free-online-course/ Online short course to explore apprenticeships as an option
Adzuna	https://www.adzuna.co.uk/jobs/salaries LMI information and job searching information

Virtual and In-Person Work Experience

Careers and Enterprise Company	https://virtual.careersandenterprise.co.uk/ Search through a link to many virtual and large company work experience programmes
Inspiring the Future	https://www.inspiringthefuture.org/ Search through employers from all over the UK who are happy to take on students for work experience.
Barclays LifeSkills	https://barclayslifeskills.com/i-want-virtual-work-experience/school/work-experience-resources/ Resources to support your work, plus other places to find work experience
PwC Early Careers	https://www.pwc.co.uk/careers/early-careers.html PwC's early careers development programmes
EY	https://eyadventureawaits.co.uk/ EY's early careers development programmes and virtual wex programme
Springpod	https://www.springpod.com/virtual-work-experience Many virtual WEX programmes covering many different subject areas
Founders4Schools	https://www.founders4schools.org.uk/about/sustainable-futures/ Sustainability Work Experiences
Speakers4Schools	https://www.speakersforschools.org/work-experience-opportunities/ A multitude of in-person and virtual work experience programmes both national and local
HigherIn	https://higherin.com/ Search through a list of virtual and in-person work experience opportunities
Uptree	https://uptree.co/events/ Virtual and in-person work experience opportunities
The Forage	https://www.theforage.com/ Over 250 job simulations to work through on-demand

Virtual and In-Person Work Experience cont'

Get Career Confident	https://getcareerconfident.co.uk/work-experience/virtual-workexperience Get Career Confident has brought together into one place a range of virtual work experience opportunities available to young people.
KCC Work Experience	https://jobs.kent.gov.uk/working-here/starting-your-career-with-us/work-experience-at-kcc Search and apply for work experience across KCC's many departments
Kent Volunteers	https://kentvolunteers.org.uk/ Search for volunteering placements
BAE Systems	https://careers.baesystems.com/locations/uk/work-experience Review a range of BAE work experience opportunities for 14-18 year olds
GoConstruct	https://talentview.org/construction Guidance and places to find work experience in construction

What is a meaningful 'Experience of the Workplace'

Understanding how to embed progressive work experience resource

Benchmark 6 describes students having had 'experiences of the workplace', this is a flexible term so that young people can experience the workplace in it's many forms and at multiple times in a way that fits in with school and employer constraints.

This could be:

- Workplace placement
- Workplace visit day
- 'Meet the staff' workshops during school/college visits (e.g. theatre performances, museum/gallery visits, out of bounds centres, etc.)
- Workplace safari (visiting multiple workplaces)
- Careers insight spotlight during an author visit
- Curriculum visit and related employer task (e.g. English class visiting BBC to explore journalism roles and responsibilities ahead of BBC journalism competition)
- Shadowing
- Employer project with employer encounter within the curriculum
- Skills development workshops

Student Skills Development

WorldSkills UK - masterclasses	https://www.worldskillsuk.org/learning-lab/mindset-masterclasses/ Skills masterclasses to be used in lessons by students to develop skills
WorldSkills UK - National Competitions	https://www.worldskillsuk.org/competitions/ World Skills Competitions to enter students
Assessment Day	https://www.assessmentday.co.uk/ Free aptitude tests to upskill students in job and apprenticeship applications
National Careers Service	https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/skills-assessment Advice and tips for students in job applications and building their employability skills
Barclays Lifeskills	https://barclayslifeskills.com/help-others/blog/five-steps-to-developing-students-life-skills-for-the-future/ Blog detailing advice for teachers to embed skills learning
Youth Employment UK	https://www.youthemployment.org.uk/free-skills-careers-activities-booklet-for-young-people/ Download a FREE Skills & Careers Activities booklet for young people
Worldly Wise	https://worldly-wise.org/ Supporting young people with life skills and mentoring through in-person and virtual sessions to make the best start in life.

Posters & Physical resources

Amazing Apprenticeships	https://amazingapprenticeships.com/resources/ Subject linked apprenticeship posters to display in department areas
Morrisby	https://www.morrisby.com/careers-posters Free careers poster bundle of over 120 posters
Youth Employment UK	https://www.youthemployment.org.uk/teachers-resources/ Posters for use in school departments
Neon	https://neonfutures.org.uk/resource/ Engineering careers posters
CXK	https://www.cxk.org/resources/career-posters/
Resourceful Careers	https://resourcefulcareers.co.uk/posters/ Access free and chargeable careers related posters

SEND Specific Resources

Sector or subject specific

HS2 STEM Lessons	<u>HS2 STEM Lessons inc SEND offer CEC Resource Directory</u> HS2 have developed a new collection of STEM lessons and activities, to support teachers who would like to bring a careers context to curriculum learning.
Black Country Careers Hub - What is an Entrepreneur?	<u>What is an Entrepreneur? SEND activity CEC Resource Directory</u> Developed by the team in the Black Country Careers Hub this short resource is designed to support young people with SEND to understand what an entrepreneur is. This resource features in the My Skills My Future programme.
WMCA Resources - Included	<u>WMCA Resources – Included Careers</u> Commissioned by West Midlands Combined Authority, the resource pack has been created by IncludedED Careers to ensure learners with moderate learning difficulties can access and benefit from enterprise learning in an inclusive, practical, and meaningful way. These resources are designed to build confidence, communication, and independence—so that every young person can play an active role in planning, setting up, and running a pop-up shop.
Black Country Careers Hub - Spending Sense	<u>Spending Sense CEC Resource Directory</u> Developed by the Black Country Careers Hub this resource is part of the My Skills My Future programme and contains Slide deck, teacher guidance and students resource pack suitable for young people in SEND group 1.

Careers information and lesson resources

PMLD World of Work	<u>PMLD World of Work lesson ideas</u> A sensory pack of career lesson ideas for PMLD Learners for them to explore the world of work.
My Employment Passport	<u>My Employment Passport CEC Resource Directory</u> My Employment Passport, winner of the CDI's Post-16 Career Programme of the Year 2022, is a 30-module course that raises the employment aspirations for young people with additional needs whilst inspiring their teachers, tutors, supporters, parents, and future employers too.
Amazing Apprenticeships - This is My Story	<u>This is My Story</u> A film featuring apprentices with learning differences, disabilities and health conditions, supported by a teacher activity guide, lesson slides, transcript and apprenticeship guide. It is particularly useful for introducing apprenticeships through relatable case studies.
Inspiring Worcestershire - Challenging Stereotypes	<u>Challenging Stereotypes Activity SEND</u> Developed by the team at Inspiring Worcestershire this resource aims to support the element of challenging stereotypes within a SEND setting. The resource includes a student activity and teacher guide.
Worcestershire Careers Hub - Famous People Activity	<u>Famous People Activity (SEND)</u> Developed by the Inspiring Worcestershire Careers Hub team this activity has been designed to accompany activities around raising aspirations along with exploring career choices for SEND students.
Worcestershire Careers Hub - SEND Resources	<u>Inspiring Worcestershire SEND resources CEC Resource Directory</u> A collection rather than one individual resource. It includes activities on researching the future, stereotypes, job roles, requesting work experience, creating a CV, interviewing an adult and raising aspirations, as well as a SEND employability poster and a workplace experience guide.

Careers information and lesson resources cont'

Worcestershire Careers Hub - Interviewing an Adult	<u>Interviewing an Adult SEND activity</u> <u>CEC Resource Directory</u> Developed by Inspiring Worcestershire Careers Hub this resource should support SEND students to learn how to start to understand that talking to adults about the world of work can help them map out and understand their future career pathways.
My Skills, My Future	My Skills My Future This programme contains a series of lesson plans, employer project briefs, video content and resources to support young people with SEND in all settings to consider their next steps.

Pathways Information

My Journey, My Future	<u>My Journey, My Future</u> <u>CEC Resource Directory</u> A transition-focused programme containing lesson materials, pathways information and workplace engagement videos. It supports learners to identify their employability skills and create an action plan for transition towards a possible career pathway.
My Skills, My Future - Pathway Posters	<u>My Pathways Poster – My Skills My Future</u> https://resources.careersandenterprise.co.uk/resources/pathways-posters-my-skills-my-future These posters show potential pathways for young people at the age of 16. Developed with the support of the Birmingham SEND Careers Hub the posters are relevant for those typically not likely to take GCSE (Career Group 1) and those typically likely (Career Group 2).
South East SEND Guide for Parents/Carers	<u>South East SEND Guide for Parents/Carers</u> South East Guide for Parent Carers of Children and Young People with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND).

Work Experience

IncludED Equalex Resources	<u>equalex for SEND</u> IncludED have created a series of resources to support equalex including; • equalex Planning Grid (Free Resource): A curriculum tool breaking down equalex learner outcomes into simple, inclusive objectives with ready-to-use activity ideas for SEND learners. • equalex Employer Resource: A practical guide for employers to align placements and workplace activities with equalex. • equalex Special School Resource: A SEND-friendly framework with activity suggestions and progression pathways
West of England Careers Hub	Work Experience Resources for SEND School The <i>West of England Careers Hub</i> recently commissioned staff from Three Ways School to work with seven SEND schools to support and train the careers leaders in developing a local network of employers for work experience. As part of this, a range of editable resources were produced.

Work Experience cont'

Ductu	<u>Ductu</u> Ductu is a chargeable teacher resource enabling careers leaders and SENCOs to interact quickly and easily with major employers on behalf of S.E.N.D students. We help you bring employers and S.E.N.D students together to form meaningful interactions and opportunities where they are currently lacking.
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Skills Development

AutonoMe	<u>AutonoMe Supported Employment and Independent Living</u> A costed support programme combining personalised human support with instructional videos. It focuses on developing employment and independent living skills for neurodiverse people and people with learning disabilities.
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Resources for SEND Specialists

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Curriculum Planning and Frameworks

CDI Framework Resources	https://www.thecdi.net/resources/cdi-framework Framework to embed skills into the curriculum
The Skills Builder Partnership	https://www.skillsbuilder.org/ Framework to embed skills into the curriculum
Careers and Enterprise Company	https://resources.careersandenterprise.co.uk/resources/understanding-how-develop-progressive-and-responsive-careers-provision-careers-learning This guidance provides Careers Leaders with steps to map and enhance their current careers provision that is underpinned by learning outcomes to support learners to make aspirational and informed decisions, make effective and sustained transitions and to develop career readiness skills.

For Parents

The Parent Perspective Podcast - Amazing Apprenticeships	https://amazingapprenticeships.com/the-parent-perspective-podcast/ “The Parent Perspective” is an exciting podcast series for parents and carers, helping them to support their children with careers advice and guidance
Pathway CTM	https://pathwayctm.com/services/for-parents-carers/ Advice, events and a newsletter
The Parents Guide to	https://resources.careersandenterprise.co.uk/resources/parents-guide A collection of resources to share with parents
Talking Futures	https://resources.careersandenterprise.co.uk/talking-futures A whole host of resources to support your engagement with parents
South East SEND Guide	South East SEND Guide for Parents/Carers South East Guide for Parent Carers of Children and Young People with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities (SEND).

People to follow/connect with on LinkedIn

Kent & Medway Careers Hub	https://www.linkedin.com/company/kmean
The Careers and Enterprise Company	https://www.linkedin.com/company/the-careers-&-enterprise-company
Pathways for All	https://www.linkedin.com/company/pathways-for-all-kent/posts/?feedView=all
The Education People	https://www.linkedin.com/company/the-education-people
Kent Invicta Chamber of Commerce	https://www.linkedin.com/company/kent-invicta-chamber-of-commerce

Follow Kent Invicta Chamber of Commerce for news about the Local Skills Improvement Plan (LSIP) and any project updates and connect with local employers

Katherine Jennick	https://www.linkedin.com/in/katherinejennick/
Chris Webb	https://www.linkedin.com/in/christopherwebbuk/
Janet Colledge	https://www.linkedin.com/in/janetcolledge/
Chris Targett	https://www.linkedin.com/in/chris-targett-rcdp-3814788b/
Lis McGuire	https://www.linkedin.com/in/lismcguire/
Liane Hambly	https://www.linkedin.com/in/liane-hambly-she-her-b047b91a/

All qualified, independent careers advisers who regularly post interesting research, opportunities and resources for careers.

Who else should you follow?

- any of the companies featured in this resource list
- colleagues at the CEC/The Kent and Medway Careers Hub
- your Enterprise Adviser/Careers Governor.

It's worth joining the **Facebook Group** - 'Careers Leaders UK' to network with careers teams across the UK.

Careers Podcasts

My Career Podcast: Pathway CTM	https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=MA9kfQebBYs&list=PLbxecoM_Wdraq4qy-dINLciaVumMmXxJ For educators and learners.
The Squiggly Careers Podcast	https://www.amazingif.com/listen/ Weekly podcast helping people take control of their careers.