



WEEKLY OPPORTUNITIES NEWSLETTER

YEAR 11

w/c 6th March 2023



Dear Student/Parent/Carer,
Recording interactions on Unifrog

Could you let Mrs Farmer know if you take part in any virtual or in person opportunities advertised in this Newsletter please? It is important that young people keep an electronic record of all the interactions you have with Further Education, Higher Education and employers. Please email ffarmer@toothillschool.co.uk with the date of the activity and the name of the activity.

Enjoy

The Toot Hill Careers Team

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National Careers Week

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NATIONAL CAREERS WEEK 6—10 MARCH 2023

Career Of The Week

Town planner



What you'll do

You'll use surveying techniques, geographical information systems (GIS) and computer-aided design (CAD) to draw up plans and make recommendations for land use.

You could work in a wide variety of areas, like transport, urban design or conservation.

Your day-to-day tasks could include:

- assessing the effect of new rail links or roads
- planning for houses and renewable energy generation sites like wind farms

- redesigning urban spaces and developing parks, woodlands and waterways in a sustainable way
- conserving old buildings and archaeological sites
- developing local or national planning policies for government
- making decisions about planning applications
- advising the public, businesses and land developers on planning policies, rules and regulations
- making sure planning rules and regulations are carried out
- organising meetings to hear feedback from local people

Record relevant activities you've already done on the [Activities tool](#)

Working hours and environment

You'll work 35 to 40 hours a week. You may also attend events like public meetings in the evenings.

You'll work in a planning office. You'll need to travel to meetings and site visits.

Career path and progression

With experience, you could apply for [chartered town planner](#) status, and then become a planner or senior planner. With at least 10 years' experience you could become a senior manager or planning consultant. You could work as a self-employed consultant.

You could also move into environmental management, urban regeneration, recreation management and property development.

Skills required

You'll need:

- excellent negotiation and presentation skills
- good organisational and time management skills
- excellent research and report writing skills
- IT skills

Got evidence of these skills? Record your examples on the [Skills tool](#)

Entry requirements

You'll need a degree or a postgraduate qualification accredited by the [Royal Town Planning Institute](#) (RTPI) in a relevant subject, like:

- town planning
- environment and development
- urban design
- sustainability, planning and environmental policy

You could study part-time for a qualification while working in a role like planning technician or support staff member.

Related Know-how guides

Explore Know-how guides related to this career:

- [What you can do with a degree in... environmental science](#)
- [Sustainable degrees: Engineering and construction](#)

Related university subject profiles

These university subjects are related to this career; check out their profiles on the Subjects library:

- [Architecture](#)
- [Environmental and Earth sciences](#)
- [Geography](#)
- [Social policy](#)
- [Property and Planning](#)

Related career profiles

You may also be interested in:

- [Architect](#)
- [Architectural technologist](#)
- [Property developer](#)

Explore

Want to see what relevant education and training opportunities are available right now? Search here:

Architecture at uni:

[USA](#) [UK](#) [Canada](#) [Europe](#) [Asia](#) [Australasia](#) [Ireland](#)

Environmental and Earth sciences at uni:

[USA](#) [UK](#) [Canada](#) [Europe](#) [Asia](#) [Australasia](#) [Ireland](#)

Geography at uni:

[USA](#) [UK](#) [Canada](#) [Europe](#) [Asia](#) [Australasia](#) [Ireland](#)

Social policy at uni:

[USA](#) [UK](#) [Canada](#) [Europe](#) [Asia](#) [Australasia](#) [Ireland](#)

Property and Planning at uni:

[USA](#) [UK](#) [Canada](#) [Europe](#) [Asia](#) [Australasia](#) [Ireland](#)

Apprenticeships:

[UK](#)

College / Sixth Form:

[UK](#)

Labour Market Information (LMI)

UK Current Jobs

Architects, chartered architectural technologists, planning officers, surveyors and construction professionals (SOC3)

UK jobs: 188,162

Nottinghamshire jobs: 2,670 (10th of 214 UK LEAs)

Top 5 LEAs: Essex (6,637), Kent (6,433), Hertfordshire (5,538), Surrey (5,386), Hampshire (5,283)

UK Salary

Chartered architectural technologists, planning officers and consultants (SOC4)

UK annual median: £33,948

Architects, chartered architectural technologists, planning officers, surveyors and construction professionals (SOC3)

UK annual median: £41,637

East Midlands annual median: £34,659

Top 3 regions: London (£45,807), East of England (£43,123), Yorkshire and the Humber (£42,395)

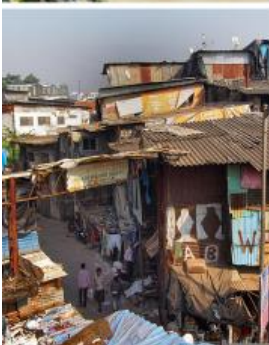
Business, media and public service professionals (SOC2)

UK growth: +11.8% from 2017 to 2027, creating 219,107 jobs

East Midlands growth: +13.3% from 2017 to 2027, creating 14,224 jobs

Subject of the week

By Kiera King and Sophie King
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A-level Geography

80% examination
20% coursework

Paper 1 covers: Water and Carbon Cycles, Coastal Systems and Landscapes and Hazards

Paper 2 covers: Changing Places, Contemporary Urban Environments and Global Systems and Global Governance

Where geography can take you:

After college, you could study it further at university in either a BSc or BA Degree. Geography also relates to other degrees such as environmental science, global development and sustainability

This can lead to any graduate job in addition to more specialist roles such as surveying, conservation, sustainability, town or transport planning, waste and water transport planning, waste and water management, environmental planning, tourism, meteorology, hazard management, geology and data modelling.

Coursework:

An individual fieldwork investigation is required in an area of their choice. During the 4-day field trip, students are able to develop their skills in collecting data through questionnaires to quadrats and transects. After collecting their data, the students write up their coursework analysing their data and methodologies with literature to support their findings. This is marked out of a possible 60 marks.

Wider Reading Recommendations:

- "Disaster By Choice" by Ilan Kelman (relates to Hazards topic)
- "Space and Place: The Perspective of Experience" by Yi-Fu Tuan (relates to Changing Places topic)
- "The World Remade" by Oliver Morton
- Read the news regularly in relation to geographical advances e.g. National Geographic or British Geological Survey.
- "The climate swerve" by Robert Jay Lifton
- "Earth in Human hand shaping our planets future" by David Grinspoon



Upcoming webinars



UPCOMING WEBINARS!

Find out about all the webinars coming up in the coming weeks



Police Constable Degree Apprenticeships with The Met

Join this exclusive webinar to find out more about the exciting Police Constable Degree Apprenticeship programme with the Met Police. Hear from The Met to understand more about the apprenticeship and how to apply.

Tuesday 21st March, 3pm - 4pm

To register, click [here](#).



T Levels Information webinar

Hear from experts at the Department for Education to find out more about the exciting new options for T Levels coming in 2023.

Tuesday 25th April, 3.30pm - 4pm

To register, click [here](#).

Opportunities with HSBC, Dyson & MORE!

A promotional banner with a light blue background and yellow accents. On the left, the text 'MONTHLY WHAT'S ON' is written in white on dark blue rectangular backgrounds, with 'MARCH' in white on a yellow rectangular background below it. A blue downward-pointing arrow is centered below the 'MARCH' box. On the right, there are two photos: one of three students looking at a laptop, and another of a large audience seated in a lecture hall. The 'PATHWAY CTM' logo is in the top right corner. Below the photos, the website 'www.pathwayctm.com' and email 'student@pathwayctm.com' are listed.

National Careers Week = Employer Opportunities!

For National Careers Week we want to share with you the incredible events and opportunities we have coming up with our employers for your child! Check them out below and get your sign up today!



[Telford Homes Taster Day \(In-Person\)](#)

11/04/23 | 10am-3pm



[Virtual Engineering Taster Day](#)

13/04/23 | 10am-3pm



[HSBC Taster Day \(Birmingham\)](#)

14/04/23 | 10am-3pm



[Understanding Degree Apprenticeships](#)

24/05/23 | 6pm-7pm

DO YOU HAVE WINGS!? National Grid - International Women's Day

INTERNATIONAL WOMENS DAY

#ThisLittleGirlsMe #WomenInScience

Daisy Banham, Connections Engineer

What inspired you when you were little?

This little girl was obsessed with princesses, pink, and jigsaw puzzles (Which I think has something to do with my passion for organisation and perseverance!)

What are you most proud of in your career in Science / Technology?

I'm first generation university so it was difficult to imagine achieving a masters degree in engineering let alone having a 'green collar job' at National Grid. I sometimes wonder where I got the confidence to choose this career path and whether it was driven by wanting to prove everyone wrong!

Why do we need female role models?

I decided to apply to National Grid after meeting someone on the graduate programme while I was finishing my degree. Hearing about the career paths of other women and their experience helps to form a picture of what it could look like for yourself and makes achieving it seem within grasp. I hope to be an example of this for future generations!



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Emirates Open Days March 2023 – Cabin Crew

Emirates Airlines is currently conducting Cabin Crew Recruitment Events. The links to apply online or in person for different locations can be found below

Emirates Cabin Crew Recruitment

U.K., Derby

16-MAR-2023

09:00 AM

Open Day

Bring a copy of your CV and a photograph to:

[Holiday Inn Derby Riverlights, Morledge Derby DE1 2AY, United Kingdom](#)

Brooksby Campus Open Day



Hey Fiona!

We hope you are doing well!

We are hosting an additional **Brooksby Campus Open Day** this June to meet extreme high demand and YOU should be the first to know!

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Save the date:

👉 **Saturday 3rd June 2023** 👈

[Register your place here!](#)

To ensure there is enough space available on the open day to meet the demand, if you have already registered your place for the open day on the 10th June, we politely ask that you stick to the date you have already registered for 😊

What you can expect at our Brooksby Campus...

🚗 Park at our student car park 🚗

👋 Sign in on arrival at the Grafton building ✍️

👤 Tour our impressive facilities 👤

🤝 Meet our friendly lecturers 🤝

👉 Have a go at some course-related taster activities! 👈

🚌 And... chat to our student wrap-around service teams for all things Transport, Accommodation, Bursary, Support & Inclusion and much more!



[Register your place here!](#)

Apply Today!

Did you know you can apply to us before you come to one of our open days!

[Apply Now](#)

Subjects at our Brooksby Campus

- Access to Higher Education
- Agriculture and Farming
- Animal Care
- Construction
- Countryside and Environmental Management
- Electrical and Mechanical Engineering
- Equine
- Farm and Plant Machinery Engineering
- Gardening and Horticulture
- Motor Vehicle and Heavy Goods Vehicle Engineering
- Sport and Sports Science
- Teacher Training
- Uniformed Public Services

Brooksby Campus Map



[Brooksby Campus Map PDF](#)

(Please note the PDF may take a moment to load)

We have many open events planned for the upcoming months ahead, so don't worry if you cannot make the date, there will be other dates that may be more suitable for you!

If you have not already booked onto our Brooksby Campus Open & Taster Day, you can register via the button below!

[Register your place here!](#)

📍 Location 📍

Brooksby Campus
Brooksby
Melton Mowbray
LE14 2LJ

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Apprenticeships within RAF Logistics

Applications open for logistic apprenticeships with the RAF

Become an apprentice Chef, Driver, Mover, Supplier or Air & Ground Steward



**Did you know you could be a Chef with the Royal Air Force?
Or an Air Steward?**

The Royal Air Force offer an exciting range of apprenticeships that give you opportunities that you won't find in any other career.

With [logistics vacancies available](#) across England in roles such as a Chef, Mover, Driver, Supplier or Air & Ground Steward, the RAF can provide an exciting career for apprentices who want to be a key part of **the team that keep the RAF moving.**

Voted as one of England's **Top 100 Apprenticeship Employers (2022)**, the RAF offer the **very best training**, a chance for apprentices to travel the world, play sport and perform an important role in the RAF, whilst also **gaining a qualification** and getting **paid to learn.**

Find out more about the amazing apprenticeships available and how you can apply by registering for our webinar or exploring our website below.

Next steps



Join the RAF Logistics webinar

Join apprentices & colleagues from the RAF Logistics team on **Wednesday 29th March** between **3pm - 4pm** to find out more about the different roles available, how to apply and what it's like to be an apprentice with the RAF.

[Register Here](#)



Visit our website

Explore the different roles available within logistics in the RAF and find out more about how to apply by visiting our website.

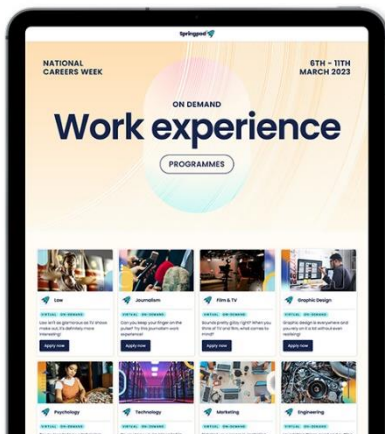
[Visit Here](#)

What's new at Springpod...?



We've released some more exciting new features on the platform!

NEW! On-demand site



We have created a small website where all our on demand programmes are linked to, so you can find programmes that you can start immediately!

🤔 Why have we done this?

We're currently working on adding filters for on-demand programmes to the platform, but in the meantime - we can have this site to make the programmes easy to find!

[Show me the programmes](#)

[Head to Springpod now](#)

Apprenticeships with AWE are now open for applications!



School leavers have got the talent, the drive, the determination, and have a real desire to keep learning. University just might not be the right option.

So, what's the alternative for your child to start a career? An apprenticeship with AWE: they have a wide range of exciting apprenticeship opportunities available.

[Apply now!](#)

What's on offer?

- Starting salary of £11,000. This increases annually with second year salary being £18,300.
- 9-day working fortnight - this means every other Friday is off!
- Generous holiday entitlement and excellent work/life balance.
- A market-leading contributory pension scheme.

Apprentices also get the opportunity to learn from some of the top leaders in their field so they develop their skills, experience and careers.

AWE's apprenticeship scheme is award winning for a reason.

So, who is AWE and what do they do?

AWE plays a crucial role in national nuclear security. Working to support the defence of the country. AWE has a clear mission: to keep everyone, the environment, their products and information, their sites and everything around them safe and secure.

Candidates must be willing and able to obtain and maintain the necessary security clearance for the role and be willing and able to work in designated areas - if applicable.

We recruit on a rolling basis which means as soon as positions have been filled, we close our applications.

Successful candidates **must be available to start on the Apprenticeship Programme in September 2023.**

[Apply now!](#)

If you have any comments or feedback on the Newsletters please email ffarmer@toothillschool.co.uk and not reply to this email as these Newsletters are sent from a no reply email address.

Thank you