



CAREERS & HIGHER EDUCATION FAIR

CHEF 2025

Welcome to the Careers and Higher Education Fair

This event gives students in Years 9-13, and their parents/carers, the chance to find out about some of the amazing opportunities available in Further Education at a college, Higher Education at university and in the world of work.

We would like to thank all the volunteers for giving up their time to be here and for sharing their knowledge and experience with our students. We couldn't put on this event without them!

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In this programme, you will find details of the local colleges, universities and employers who will be here.

Local Colleges Attending

- BCA
- Slough & Langley College
- Windsor College
- Henley College
- Reading College

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Organisation:

BCA

(Windsor Forest Colleges Group)

Representative:

Details:

BCA is a further education land-based specialist college based in Burchett's Green, Maidenhead, set within a 400-acre estate. We offer a variety of vocational courses across the Land-based, Creative, Technical, and Active sectors and a variety of Land-based Apprenticeships. We recognise that choosing a College is a big step but if you decide to join us you will be part of an inclusive, successful, and vibrant community where your success and positive learning experience are our top priority.

www.bca.ac.uk

01628 824444

Located
in the
MAIN HALL

Organisation:

Slough & Langley College
(Windsor Forest Colleges Group)

Representative:

Details:

Langley College offers an innovative technical curriculum with superb facilities, exceptional teaching and learning, and outstanding student experience and outcomes. Our courses are designed to help you gain skills directly linked to the industry of your choosing and will qualify you for the working world - with courses from entry level right up to higher education, including apprenticeships - you can take the right steps at Langley.

<http://www.slough.ac.uk/>

01753 793288

**Located
in the
MAIN HALL**

Organisation:

Windsor College
(Windsor Forest Colleges Group)

Representative:

Details:

Windsor Sixth Form College is a vibrant college offering a mixture of A Level and BTEC options. You will find superb facilities, exceptional teaching, and a supportive welcoming and friendly environment. Whether your ambition is to go to university or into employment, we will successfully prepare you for your next steps.
<http://www.windsor.ac.uk/>
01753 793288

**Located
in the
MAIN HALL**

Organisation:

Henley College

Representative:

Details:

The Henley College offers a wide range of A Level and Vocational courses to students aged 16-19. Subjects range from Business to Engineering, Travel and Tourism to Performing Arts, and Public Services to Animation.

**Located
in the
MAIN HALL**

Organisation:

Reading College
(Activate Learning)

Representative:

Details:

Activate Learning is a group of learning organisations (including Reading College and Bracknell and Wokingham College) that offers further and higher education options, including A Levels, T Levels, Vocational Courses, and Apprenticeships.

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- University of Birmingham
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- University of Bristol
- Bucks New University
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- Cardiff University
- Cardiff Metropolitan University
- University of Exeter
- University of Greenwich
- University of Hertfordshire
- Lancaster University
- University of Oxford
- Oxford Brookes University
- University of Portsmouth
- University of Reading
- Royal Holloway, University of London
- University of Sheffield
- Solent University
- University of Surrey
- University of Sussex
- UCL University College London
- University of Warwick
- University of Winchester

Employers Attending

- Architecture
- Civil Service
- Computing & IT
- Construction
- Emergency & UK Armed Forces
- Estate Agent
- Fashion
- Finance
- Floristry
- Hair & Beauty
- Health Care
- Horticulture & Garden Design
- Hospitality
- Law
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- Sport and Leisure
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- Veterinary Practice

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ARCHITECTURE

Located
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Organisation:

NBBJ

Representative:

Inderpal Bhogal

Details:

Inderpal is a qualified Senior Associate Architect at NBBJ, London with over 15 years experience in award winning national and international practices. Inderpal specialises within the Science, Technology and Further Education sectors. I am more than happy to share my knowledge and provide experiences within the profession and the wider design and construction industry.

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CIVIL SERVICE

**Located
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Representative:

Jack Salway

Details:

Jack is a Furze Platt alumnus. After leaving Sixth Form, he studied Forensic Science at the University of Wolverhampton before exploring a varied career path that ultimately led to the Civil Service where he is now a second-year Project Delivery Fast Streamer. The Civil Service is the engine behind government operations, supporting ministers in shaping and delivering policies that impact every aspect of life - from education and healthcare to climate change and national security. The Fast Stream is the Civil Service's graduate development programme, designed to accelerate individuals into leadership roles. A Fast Streamer rotates through placements in different government departments, gaining hands-on experience and developing the skills needed to lead complex projects and teams. With a variety of schemes available, there's something for everyone, offering the chance to shape public services and contribute to the future of the UK.

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COMPUTING/IT

**Located
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Organisation:

Ultra Cyber

Representative:

Simon Smith

Details:

At Ultra Cyber, we help our clients communicate securely, even when faced with really tough challenges and fancy tricks from other hackers. We're not just all talk; we actually make things work in real life. Our main offices are in the UK, in places like Maidenhead, Gloucester, and Farnborough. We're experts in making things like secure gadgets, electronic stuff, and computer programmes. We do everything from coming up with ideas and designing things, to making them and helping people use them. Some cool things we've made are super-secret devices to keep information secure, software that helps analyse cyberattacks, and even new ways for people to talk to each other. In everything we do, we know we have a responsibility to think about the big picture and make sure our ideas and projects are good for the environment and can keep going for a long time. We have a team of more than 120 really clever engineers and experts who work on all sorts of exciting projects for defence and security all over the world. Come join us at Ultra Cyber, where we mix cool new ideas with clever cyber engineering. Together, we'll make the digital world a safer place for everyone.

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Applied AI and Machine Learning

**Located
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THEATRE**

Representative:

Huw Whitworth

Details:

Huw is a Furze Platt alumnus, having left here in 2018. He is now an Applied AI and Machine Learning researcher specialising in defence and security applications of intelligent systems. He holds a BEng in Electrical and Communications Engineering, an MSc in Applied Artificial Intelligence, and a PhD funded by the British Government focused on AI-driven defence and security. He has worked with Northrop Grumman, Thales UK, and BAE Systems on initiatives involving autonomous threat modelling, cyber-physical resilience, and AI-enabled decision support for complex defence systems. Huw is currently a postdoctoral researcher in the FTH CHEDDAR and JOINER projects, collaborating with both Imperial College London and the University of Bristol, focusing on the development of AI-driven methodologies to detect, assess, and mitigate cyber and hybrid threats across future TN-NTN 6G communications networks. His research integrates machine learning, reinforcement learning, and agentic AI to advance situational awareness, autonomous defence strategies, and decision-making in next-generation defence and communication technologies.

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Cloud Technology

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Organisation:

Amazon Cloud Services

Representative:

Phill Kemp

Details:

Since launching in 2006, Amazon Web Services has been providing world-leading cloud technologies that help any organization and any individual build solutions to transform industries, communities, and lives for the better. As a Senior Solutions Architect, Phill Kemp uses his expertise and influence to help customers reimagine what's possible for their businesses, then collaborate with AWS teams to build solutions that drive customer growth.

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**Located
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Organisation:

Satro

Representative:

Kevin Cowan

Details:

SATRO are a regional educational charity working in South Central England for nearly 40 years. We inspire and educate young people in STEM, construction and employability skills. We work as a partner between business and education bringing careers learning to students through all we do. We deliver construction skills to around 450 students per year in Surrey, Hampshire, Berkshire, Sussex, West London Boroughs. We awarded 159 BTEC qualifications to those completing their course in July 2023

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**Located
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Organisation:

Burnham Electrical Services

Representative:

Details:

Burnham Electrical Services Ltd is an electrical contractors based in Burnham, Buckinghamshire, working across projects in London, Liverpool, Nottingham, Birmingham and other parts of the UK. Completing various Ivy projects and The Breakfast Club. You can find all projects on our website burnhamelectrical.co.uk

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ARMED FORCES

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Organisation:

Army

Representative:

Corporal Deon Owen

Colour Sergeant Megh Gurung

Details:

Cpl Owen is a Combat Support Specialist Royal Engineer trained in Driving, Plumbing, Carpentry, Bricklaying and Welding. CSgt Megh Gurung serves in the Infantry, Gurkha Rifles, as well being skilled as a Paratrooper and chooses to jump out of serviceable planes. Both soldiers have served in many different Operations around the world including Bosnia, Northern Ireland, Cyprus and Afghanistan. We are here to talk about over 270 different jobs the Army can offer you, which can range from Infantry Soldier to Musician. All roles are offered with an Apprenticeship package, we can even offer Financial Support for Further Education. In the Army it's not just about working, it's also about personal achievement, development and challenge. There's not many jobs where taking part in sports is part of your weekly work rota!

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Organisation:

Royal Navy

Representative:

CPO Paul Ashworth

Details:

Chief Petty Officer Paul Ashworth is the Senior Royal Navy Careers Adviser at the Armed Forces Careers Office in Reading City Centre. The Royal Navy is actively recruiting and offers many diverse and exciting career opportunities for young students, including Scholarships, Bursaries, and Accelerated Apprenticeship Schemes for both Surface Fleet and Submarines.

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ESTATE AGENT

**Located
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Organisation:

Haart Estate Agents

Representative:

Saif Al-Waki

Details:

Haart is the largest independent estate agent in the UK with over 100 branches in all major towns and cities. Residential lettings is a rewarding and people-focused career that helps individuals and families find their ideal homes. No two days are the same - you might be arranging viewings, negotiating tenancies, or advising landlords on how to make the most of their properties. The role blends communication, organisation, and market knowledge, offering a fast-paced environment where you can build strong relationships and see the results of your work firsthand. Saif is a Furze Platt alumnus, he left the school in 2019 and went to Royal Holloway University of London to study Management with Accounting. After graduating he worked at his family's buy-to-let company in London as a property manager for a year, and is now a Lettings Advisor at Haart Lettings in Maidenhead.

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**Located
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Representative:

Sophie Mahmud

Details:

Sophie is a Licence and Brands Designer at Primark, working across global partnerships from the NBA and NFL to Kappa. While specialising in the sports sector, she also creates product for leading character licenses including Disney and Netflix. Previously Sophie designed for major high-street retailers and supermarkets such as Topshop, River Island, ASOS, Whistles, Urban Outfitters, and F&F at Tesco. Career highlights include having her designs worn by celebrities, featured on TV, and creating an activewear range with Breast Cancer Now that raised over £95,000 for the charity.

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FINANCE

**Located
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Organisation:

Crowe UK

Representative:

Lucia Boahene & Maryam Faradoon

Details:

We Are Crowe – a dynamic and growing national accounting firm, proudly part of a Top 10 global network of accountancy firms. Our reach is international, but our impact is personal. At Crowe, our people are our priority. We understand that choosing where to start your career is a big decision. That's why we focus on creating an environment where you can grow, learn, and thrive. Whether you're just beginning your journey or looking to take the next step, Crowe offers a supportive and inclusive culture that values your development. We're proud to be ranked among the Top 100 Apprenticeship Employers, a recognition of our commitment to nurturing talent. Our trainees receive the support they need to build strong foundations, gain professional qualifications, and enjoy a rewarding career in accountancy.

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FLORISTRY

**Located
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Representative:

Hannah Cheeseman

Details:

With 15 years in the floristry industry, Hannah has experience across all facets of the industry, from retail and luxury weddings to creating floral designs for elite venues like Claridge's, The Ritz, and The Mandarin Oriental. Recently, she was head florist on a film set for Warner Bros and Sky Studios. She is now a freelancer for luxury brands and teaches floristry at Westminster Adult Education Services. Hannah will be available to discuss the different options and career opportunities available to students interested in pursuing a career in floristry.

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Organisation:

Tilting Futures

Representative:

Rebecca Warren

Details:

Rebecca can talk about the pros and cons of Gap Years and can suggest a range of organisations that you can explore if you are thinking about a Gap Year. Do you want to learn how to make a meaningful impact on global issues? Do you want to live and work in another country in a community of changemakers from all around the world? Are you considering a Gap Year? Take Action Lab is an immersive learning semester for students aged 17-21 run by Tilting Futures, a non-profit that offers up to full financial aid to students. Our Human Rights program is in Cape Town, South Africa and our Environment and Sustainability program is in George Town, Malaysia. You'll live, work and learn with a deliberately diverse cohort of students, undertake an apprenticeship in a local organization and expand your global perspectives through our research-backed curriculum.

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Beauty Therapy

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Organisation:

By Lucie and Charlotte

Representative:

Lucie Walsh and Charlotte Walsh

Details:

Lucie and Charlotte can tell you about careers in beauty therapy. Lucie offers a range of beauty treatments including manicures, BIAB and gel nails, eyelash extensions, and facials e.g. micro needling, glass facials, derma planing – perfect for a little self-care and pampering. Charlotte specialises in pedicures, giving your feet the attention they deserve with a relaxing and professional touch. Together, we love helping people feel relaxed, refreshed, and a little more special!

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Hairdressing

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**Located
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Representative:

Sophie Stockton

Details:

Hairdressing is a creative and people focused career that combines art, fashion, and skill. Hairdressers cut, style, and colour hair to help clients look and feel their best, while keeping up with the latest trends and techniques. The job offers opportunities to work in salons, on photo shoots, in film and TV, or even run your own business. It's a hands-on career that requires good communication, creativity, and a passion for making others feel confident. Sophie can answer all your questions about careers in this industry.

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HEALTH CARE

Paramedic

**Located
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Representative:

Evan Charles

Details:

Evan is a Furze Platt Alumnus. After departing FPSS, he undertook a 3 year degree in Paramedic Science at St George's University of London. He is now working as a Paramedic with London Ambulance Service, which covers the 600 square miles of Greater London and employs 8000 staff, offering both entry-level and graduate jobs. A day on an ambulance may see you supporting a patient having a mental health crisis, managing a patient having a heart attack, before delivering a baby. Evan will soon be undertaking a 4 year graduate entry medicine programme. He would be delighted to field your questions regarding the realities of working as a paramedic, other roles in the ambulance service, and the process of applying to medicine as a graduate.

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HEALTH CARE

**Located
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Organisation:

Thames Hospice

Representative:

Heidi Johnson and Louise Jones

Details:

Thames Hospice is the hospice for South Buckinghamshire and East Berkshire caring for those with life limiting illnesses at our hospice in Bray and in the community. We have 23 shops locally supporting fundraising having recently opened a huge superstore in Reading. We employ over 350 staff and over 1000 volunteers. Heidi Johnson and Louise Jones will be able to tell you about careers at the Hospice in clinical or fundraising and administration roles. In addition we can support with volunteering work or gap year jobs to help build your CV and enable you to gain invaluable experience in the workplace, with communication skills and compassionate and care in the workplace.

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HEALTH CARE

Medicine - GP and Nursing

**Located
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Representative:

**Anna Browning, Siobhan Tarbuck &
Nicola Jones**

Details:

Anna Browning and Siobhan Tarbuck are both local GPs in Maidenhead and Nicola Jones is a community respiratory nurse. We are here to answer your questions about careers in medicine and nursing.

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HEALTH CARE

**Located
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Organisation:

Frimley Health NHS Trust

Representative:

Nikki Morgan

Details:

Frimley Health NHS Foundation Trust is an NHS Foundation Trust with over 12,000 employees. We consist of 3 main sites, Frimley Park Hospital, Wexham Park Hospital and Heatherwood Hospital, as well as community sites spanning from Aldershot and Farnham to Windsor and Maidenhead. We offer a variety of clinical and non-clinical career pathways and opportunities, ranging from nursing, medicine and allied health professional roles, to HR, estates, finance, IT and much more.

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**Located
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Representative:

Franzi & Ian Cheeseman

Details:

Ian and Franzi Cheeseman manage their own Garden Design and Care company. Franzi is also Head Gardener at the Grade 1 listed Stoke Poges Memorial Gardens. They are keen to talk about careers in horticulture; a hugely varied industry that incorporates everything from gardening and grounds maintenance to design and technology. Whether you are a practical person, have a science brain, a passion for our natural environment or love art and design, there is a career in horticulture for you.

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Organisation:

Accent Catering

Representative:

Richard Palmer (Regional Chef Manager) &
Candice Orme (Operations Manager)

Details:

Since 2001, when Accent Catering was founded, we have always taken pride in offering our teams unparalleled resources, attention and support. At the heart of everything we do is our love of good, fresh and healthy food, prepared by teams who care. We create tailored service plans to meet the individual needs of our clients, specialising in business & industry staff restaurants, independent schools, state primary schools, secondary schools and academies. We are a talented bunch and pay close attention to detail in every aspect of our operation: from sourcing the freshest ingredients to recruiting and training the best Chefs. We deliver outstanding food – the best within our industry!

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HOSPITALITY

Hotels

**Located
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Organisation:

Cliveden House

Representative:

Kelly Branch

Details:

Cliveden is undeniably special. It's one of the world's finest luxury 5 Red Star hotels, and it sits right in the heart of the Berkshire countryside, surrounded by 376 acres of stunning gardens and parkland with incredible views over the River Thames. What sets us apart is how much we value our team. We're all about luxury, but we keep things relaxed without all the formalities. We encourage our team to be themselves because it's their unique personalities that make our guest experiences truly unforgettable. Together, we have created a culture where our efforts go hand in hand with enjoying what we do and delivering with an unwavering commitment for exceptional hospitality.

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LAW

**Located
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Organisation:

Blaser Mills Law

Representative:

Tracy Jones

Details:

Blaser Mills is an all service law firm with local offices in High Wycombe, Marlow and Amersham. The firm actively supports less traditional career paths - more than one of our partners who started out as secretarial support are now at partner level. Tracy studied law at UCL and has spent over 20 years practicing as a lawyer. She also has experience in business development and marketing within a law firm and most recently has become the Responsible Business Partner at Blaser Mills. Tracy can let you know what it's like to study law at university and what pathways there are to becoming a solicitor. There are lots of other jobs within law firms and Tracy can chat to you about these too, or try to answer any other questions you might have!

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**Located
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Organisation:

AkzoNobel

Representative:

Adam Clarke

Details:

AkzoNobel are a global enterprise started originally by Alfred Nobel. (a.k.a. the Peace Prize guy.) Globally we create coatings to make the world more sustainable and colourful. A Research, Development and Manufacturing business like ours has roles and career paths for everybody, be it Chemistry, Engineering, Interior Design, Marketing, Sales, Painting or even teaching in our Dulux Academy. No matter your level or function in our business we continue education and development including 'in-role' apprenticeships. Adam is from the Decorative part of the business 'Adding Colour to Peoples Lives' and work in Technical Advice ensuring people have beautifully decorated buildings.

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PERFORMING ARTS

**Located
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Organisation:

Norden Farm Centre for the Arts

Representative:

Shelley Collins

Details:

Norden Farm Centre for the Arts in Maidenhead is a vibrant, multi-form arts centre and registered charity located on the site of an old farm, blending original listed buildings with award-winning contemporary architecture. The venue features two performance spaces - including a 220-seat main theatre and a studio theatre - alongside an art gallery, café-bar, meeting rooms, and an 18th-century Long Barn. Open five days a week and hosting around 150 events per season, Norden Farm presents a diverse programme of live performances, including theatre, music, comedy, dance, classical concerts, and family shows, as well as screenings of independent cinema. The centre also offers a wide range of participatory arts opportunities, with classes and workshops for children and adults. Its dedicated education department works closely with local schools, community groups, and charities that support disadvantaged children and families, reflecting Norden Farm's passion for the transformative power of the arts.

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PHARMACEUTICALS

Located
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Organisation:

Pfizer

Representative:

Alex King

Details:

Pfizer is a leading, innovative, company discovering, developing and supplying medicines & vaccines to help improve the lives of millions of people in the UK and around the world. We strive to bring breakthroughs that have the potential to change patients' lives. Pfizer offers work experience, apprenticeships, undergraduate placements and graduate opportunities across science and business fields.

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PHOTOGRAPHY

**Located
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Representative:

Loren Stone

Details:

Loren is a self employed professional photographer. She has a degree in photography and digital imaging and is a member of the British Institute of Professional Photographers. Loren has been photographing weddings, portraits, events & some commercial photography for 25 years. She has a studio in Maidenhead and also works on location, for example she has recently taken photos around the school for the prospectus and website.

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PHYSIOTHERAPY

**Located
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Organisation:

PhysioFitness

Representative:

Maciej Tajs

Details:

PhysioFitness Maidenhead is the private physiotherapy practice of John Manders who has been providing Physiotherapy services in Maidenhead for 20 years. The types of injuries seen in clinic are all manner of aches, sprains, strains and breaks - known as the speciality of Musculoskeletal Physiotherapy. These could be from sporting injury, slips, trips, falls or car accidents, to name a few. The clinic also sees people recovering from Orthopaedic Surgery such as joint replacement, back/neck surgery, ligament reconstructions - known as Orthopaedic Physiotherapy. We look forward to talking to you more during the evening.

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POLICE

**Located
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Organisation:

Thames Valley Police

Representative:

Keith Doward & Tammi Cudmore-Ray

Details:

Tammi has been a PCSO for the past 4 years, and has a wealth of experience and understanding of roles within the Thames Valley Police Force. Keith has been a PCSO for just over a year, so the recruitment and training process is still very fresh in his mind. Both Tammi and Keith have close links to personnel in other departments within the Force so will be well placed to explain the variety of opportunities that exist in the service.

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PROPERTY

Chartered Surveying

**Located
in the
THEATRE**

Organisation:

JLL

Representative:

Harry Tanner

Details:

Harry is a Furze Platt alumnus, he left here in 2015 and is now a chartered surveyor at JLL with 6 years' experience in the commercial property industry. JLL is a leading international property consultancy with over 2000 staff in the UK. Commercial property surveying is an exciting and in demand profession. It involves a range of activities such as selling/leasing multi-million pound properties, refurbishing buildings to improve efficiency and carbon ratings and negotiating leases. Harry can answer your questions about careers in this industry. Additionally, as a former Furze Platt Senior School pupil Harry understands the difficulty of choosing the right career path at early age!

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SPORT & LEISURE

**Located
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Organisation:

Leisure Focus

Representative:

Ioan Mannion

Details:

Leisure Focus is a not-for-profit Charitable Incorporated Organisation (CIO) dedicated to working with local communities to support clubs, organisations, and individuals in achieving their sporting and lifestyle ambitions. Committed to inclusivity, Leisure Focus ensures every individual - regardless of race, gender, age, religion, financial situation, or physical and mental abilities has access to activities that promote well-being. Leisure Focus provides diverse career opportunities in roles such as sales, front of house, catering, recreation, fitness, and group exercise.

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Personal Trainer

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Organisation:

Pure Gym

Representative:

Callum Serls

Details:

Callum is a Furze Platt alumnus and is now a personal trainer at PureGym, a leading fitness brand that prides itself on promoting diversity, inclusion, and equal opportunity for everyone, both in its gyms and across its workforce. Through the PureGym Personal Training (PT) Academy, aspiring trainers can gain the qualifications, confidence, and experience needed to launch a successful fitness career. Working at PureGym offers the flexibility to be self-employed while benefiting from the support, resources, and community of one of the UK's most trusted fitness networks.

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STEM Engineering

**Located
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Organisation:

AVK

Representative:

Tianna Hawkins, Bradley Aro-Eneh, Octavian Murea

Details:

AVK powers tomorrow's data. We are the leading and fastest-growing supplier of innovative power solutions for data centres and the financial sector across the UK and Europe. We specialise in the complete process of design, planning, implementation, control, and ongoing maintenance. Our team is transforming the industry's approach to energy connectivity and consumption by creating innovative and sustainable solutions. We collaborate across various disciplines to address complex, large-scale, and pioneering engineering and energy projects.

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STEM

Multidiscipline

**Located
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Organisation:

Syngenta

Representative:

Jenny O'Reilly & Lim Pei Pei

Details:

Syngenta is a leading multinational agriculture company with > 28,000 people in 90 countries working together to improve global food security. Through world class science and innovative crop solutions, we aim to enable millions of farmers worldwide to make better use of their available resources. Jenny and Pei represent research at the large Jealott's Hill R&D site near Bracknell, each of them hold PhDs in Chemistry. The site of >700 people covers a range of scientific disciplines including chemistry, biology, biochemistry, formulation, product safety & environmental science.

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TEACHING

Primary Education

**Located
in the
THEATRE**

Organisation:

Sir Edmund Campion Primary School

Representative:

Jen Mulvany

Details:

Jen is a Furze Platt Senior School alumna. She is now Assistant Head Teacher at St Edmund Campion Catholic Primary School. Jen can tell you all you need to know about primary school teaching – the best job in the world!

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TEACHING

Secondary Education

**Located
in the
THEATRE**

Organisation:

Teach Maidenhead

Representative:

Claire Eadie

Details:

Teach Maidenhead (University of Reading ITE Hub) is the foremost teacher training provider west of London offering a fantastic place to work and learn. It provides a unique school based learning opportunity in partnership with the University of Reading. The University of Reading's Institute of Education has just been rated OUTSTANDING by Ofsted. The partnership consists of six secondary schools in Maidenhead, overseen by Furze Platt School. All trainees with Teach Maidenhead gain PGCE and QTS status and many start their careers at one of the Teach Maidenhead schools.

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TRAVEL AGENCY

**Located
in the
THEATRE**

Organisation:

Not Just Travel

Representative:

Janet Lacey

Details:

Travel is one of the most exciting, fun and interesting sectors in the world to work in and can lead to a career that literally takes you to far-flung places across the world! There are very many routes into a career in travel, that can span from working as a holiday rep or in a holiday call centre making bookings, to working for a high street agent, possibly in an apprenticeship role, to training as air or ground crew for an airline, to working in sales, marketing or IT for a tour operator, and so much more. There are literally 1000's of different roles. Running her own home based travel business, Janet loves her job and has heaps of fun. She has travelled all over the world. She is happy to chat through any ideas you have and answer any questions she can about working in travel. She is also happy to help you and your families to plan your own holidays! Janet can be contacted on 07562748867 or on thelaceys@notjusttravel.com

Employers Attending

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**Located
in the
THEATRE**

Organisation:

Pines Vets

Representative:

Callum Patterson

Details:

The Pines Veterinary Clinic is a well-established, small animal veterinary practice on the Bath Road in Maidenhead that has been part of the CVS veterinary group for over a decade. A true general practice, everyone does a bit of everything and we have staff members that have special interests in internal medicine, weight and nutrition, x-rays and ultrasound, general surgery and dermatology. We see all sizes of dogs, cats and rabbits as well as other furred, feathered, scaly or spiky pets on the odd occasion. We are also a Veterinary Nurse training practice sending our nursing students to MYF Training College in Aldershot.