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BRITISH ARMY CAREERS NEWSLETTER



This newsletter shares helpful updates, resources, and opportunities from the British Army to support young people as they explore career options and build skills. - **British Army Supporting Education**



APPRENTICESHIPS & CAREERS

GET SKILLED QUALIFIED CONFIDENT STARTED

TANK CREWMAN >

Always wanted to drive a tank? Get to grips with the awesome Challenger 2; a powerful engine, heavy armour and massive firepower. As a Tank Crew you'll drive and operate this amazing vehicle as part of a four-strong team.



APPRENTICESHIP GAINED

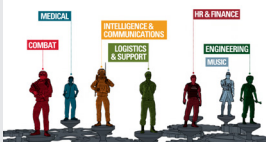
Start a Level 3 Radio Network Technician apprenticeship, lasting up to 24 months and offering pay over **£27,200** (around **£523 a week** before tax), giving you practical skills, real experience and a foundation for your future.



VIRTUAL EVENTS

INSIDE ARMY CAREERS:

7 WAYS TO SERVE



TUESDAY 9 SEP
18:00 - 19:00

REGISTER TODAY >

BRITISH ARMY INSIGHT:

PARENT VOICES



THURSDAY 17 SEPT
18:00 - 19:00

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BREAKING DOWN THE ARMY ASSESSMENT:



TUESDAY 22 SEPT
18:00 - 19:00

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YOUR ARMY JOURNEY EXPLAINED:

REGULAR SOLDIER



WEDNESDAY 30 SEPT
18:00 - 19:00

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INSIDE ARMY CAREERS:

MEET THE INFANTRY



WEDNESDAY 14 OCT
18:00 - 19:00

REGISTER TODAY >

HAVE YOU THOUGHT ABOUT JOINING: THE ROYAL ARTILLERY



GUNNER CREW

The Royal Artillery is the heart of the action - everywhere across the battlefield - providing the British Army with its eyes, ears and firepower.

DOWNLOAD GUNNER FACTSHEET >



BEING A GUNNER IN THE ROYAL ARTILLERY IS NOT JUST ABOUT THE GUNS. YOU COULD BE USING STATE OF THE ART DRONE TECHNOLOGY OR EVEN TAKING PART IN CEREMONIAL ACTIVITIES.



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SPOTLIGHT ON - REMEMBRANCE

FREE REMEMBRANCE RESOURCE

Bring Remembrance into the classroom with our free, curriculum-linked resource. Explore the stories behind remembrance, encourage meaningful discussion, and help students reflect on service, sacrifice and legacy through engaging activities designed for education settings.



[ADD TO YOUR CURRICULUM](#) >

JOIN US FOR A LIVE ASSEMBLY

REMEMBRANCE LIVE EVENT

NOVEMBER

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Join us this Remembrance Day for a special live event marking this important occasion. Hear directly from two Junior Soldiers as they share their personal experiences, reflections and what remembrance means to them today. This session gives students the opportunity to connect with real stories and gain a deeper understanding of the people behind the uniform.

[REGISTER TODAY](#) >

SUPPORTING CAREERS EDUCATION

FREE LESSON LIBRARY

35+ FREE LESSONS, assemblies and activities ready to use in the classroom.

- SUPPORTS GATSBY
BENCHMARK 3

[PLAN YOUR NEXT LESSON](#) >

EMPLOYER TALKS (YEARS 9+/S3/S4)

Interactive sessions helping students explore Army careers and pathways.

- SUPPORTS GATSBY
BENCHMARKS 2 & 7

[REQUEST A TALK](#) >

CAREERS FAIR (YEARS 9+/S3/S4)

Invite us to your careers fair to discuss roles, apprenticeships and opportunities.

- SUPPORTS GATSBY
BENCHMARK 5

[CONTACT THE OUTREACH TEAM](#) >

ARRANGE A WORKSHOP (YEARS 9+/S3/S4)

Build teamwork, resilience and communication skills through practical activities.

- SUPPORTS GATSBY BENCHMARKS 1 & 4

[BOOK A WORKSHOP](#) >

WORK EXPERIENCE (YEARS 9+/S3/S4)

Four-day residential experiences that develop leadership and confidence.

- SUPPORTS GATSBY BENCHMARK 6

[APPLY FOR A PLACEMENT](#) >

APPLICATION TIPS

APPLICATION TIP 1:
**YOU DON'T NEED
EVERYTHING FIGURED OUT**



MANY PEOPLE APPLY BEFORE THEY KNOW EXACTLY WHICH ROLE IS RIGHT FOR THEM. YOUR RECRUITER CAN HELP YOU EXPLORE THE OPTIONS AVAILABLE.

[EXPLORE OVER 100 ARMY CAREERS](#) >



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FREE RESOURCES

NEW AUTUMN TERM PLANNER

DOWNLOAD TODAY >

GET READY FOR THE AUTUMN TERM WITH FRESH, READY-TO-USE CONTENT DESIGNED TO SAVE YOU TIME AND ENGAGE YOUR STUDENTS.

In partnership with Amazing Apprenticeships, this pack brings together events, lessons, awareness days and resources you can drop straight into your planning - helping you inspire, inform and support every learner with confidence.



PARENTS

DEDICATED SUPPORT FOR YOU

Supporting a young person's career choices can raise lots of questions. Our parent resources provide clear, practical information to help you feel informed and confident.

- **Step-by-step** guidance through the Army application journey
- **Myth-busting** resources that answer common questions
- **Real stories** from families on our Parent Perspectives Podcast
- **Parent testimonials** offering practical advice and reassurance
- **An interactive journey** map explaining each stage of the recruitment process

EXPLORE THE PARENT HUB >



STUDENTS

DAY TO DAY LIFE

MOST ARMY ROLES FOLLOW A ROUTINE WORKING DAY, TYPICALLY FROM 8AM TO 5PM, MONDAY TO FRIDAY.

You'll spend your time building new skills, gaining qualifications and developing leadership experience. At certain times, you may take part in training exercises or deployments away from your normal routine.

COULD THIS BE YOUR FUTURE? >



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YOUTUBE SERIES - 3 MILESTONES



VISITING AN ARMY CAREERS OFFICE



Thinking about joining the British Army? This video explains the application process step by step, helping to demystify the journey.



ASSESSMENT CENTRE



Unsure what happens at Assessment? This video takes you through the three-day Assessment Centre experience equipped with practical tips.



BASIC TRAINING (HARROGATE)



Discover what life is really like at the Army Foundation College, Harrogate, as Junior Soldiers share their experiences in their own words.

HUBS

PARENTS AND GUARDIANS >

- PODCASTS
- APPLICATION GUIDANCE
- MYTH-BUSTING
- EXPERT WEBINARS



EDUCATORS >

- LESSON RESOURCES
- WORKSHOPS
- CAREERS GUIDANCE
- EMPLOYER ENGAGEMENT



KNOW SOMEONE WHO'D BENEFIT?

REGISTER YOUR INTEREST >

PLEASE SHARE THIS WITH COLLEAGUES, PARENTS AND CARERS

Help more people access helpful resources, events and advice.

WANT TO STAY CONNECTED >



GET IN TOUCH

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