



# National Careers Week 2022

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# #NCW2022



**National Careers Week (NCW) is a celebration of careers guidance and free resources in education across the UK.**

You can find out about industry sectors and career pathways, learn about employers across a range of industries, and gain an insight into the world of work from day-in-the-life encounters with employees and business leaders.

So whether you're choosing which subjects to study at school, college or university; exploring your job options for when you finish; or considering which career pathway is right for you, there's something in #NCW2022 for everyone.

## How to make the most of this year's event...

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### Access Resources

Explore our range of free resources, bitesize videos, student factsheets and more in our newly launched Careers Hub for Schools and Colleges

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### Download our Careers Prospectus

Want to know more about the careers available in Stockport? Learn about local employers and the latest labour market insights in our new Prospectus

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### Watch our Future World of Work Webinar

Find out about the key areas of growth and investment in Stockport and what skills employers are looking for in our series of short videos

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### Explore Jobs, Work Experience & Volunteering

View opportunities to gain work experience via volunteering, insight days, business projects, apprenticeships, internships and part-time jobs

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### Find out what else is happening during #NCW2022

Browse the full range of events and careers talks happening during the week and take full advantage of what's on offer

# Your Careers Hub



Leaving school or college and considering what comes next? There's lots of different ways to reach your ultimate career goal and plenty of support available in our newly launched Careers Hub.

Learn about what further and higher education pathways are available and the future careers they could lead you to.



## Career Guides

Explore different sectors, career prospects & entry requirements



## Career Stories

Watch employer videos and day-in-the-life stories



## Support Services

Learn about specialist support and funding for young people

## Resources for Students and Teachers

Whether you're looking for a practice college application form, a school or college leaver CV or a career pathway plan, we have a range of free downloads to help you prepare for what comes next. From bitesize videos to watch on your lunch-break to downloads for independent research or group activities, why not start with these...

- [Create a Career Pathway Plan](#)
- [Find your Career Match](#)
- [What skills do I need for different jobs?](#)
- [Exploring Career Pathways in Stockport](#)
- [Career Aspirations and Planning Tools](#)
- [What jobs can I do with different qualifications?](#)



# Digital Careers Prospectus



Now is a great time to aim high, go far and stay local. Our Digital Careers Prospectus will help you explore the range of career opportunities on offer across Stockport - from entry requirements to future career prospects.

Learn about different industry sectors, the jobs available and the skills that local employers are looking for.



## Labour Market Insights

Learn about the local impact of the global pandemic on different sectors



## Typical Salaries

Understand starting pay and average earnings in the North West



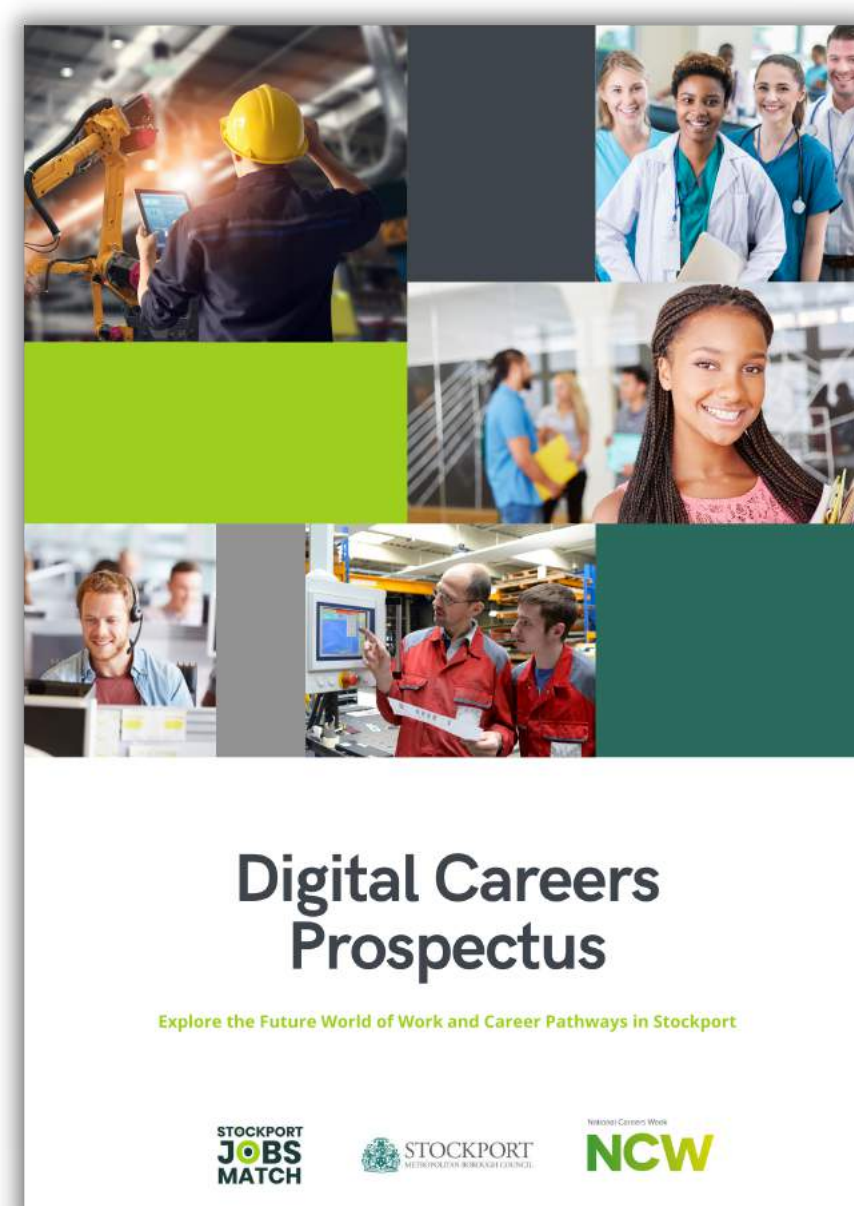
## Featured Employers

Find out what Stockport businesses are looking for

## Your Career Starts here

Whatever career path you're considering, there's plenty of choice available in Stockport's successful and diverse economy, with an impressive range of businesses and a competitive edge in a range of sectors. Upon starting employment, you'll be joining a highly skilled workforce that plays a vital role in making our borough one of the North West's leading locations.

Find out more about careers in Stockport now and in the future with our new **Digital Careers Prospectus**.



# Future World of Work Webinar



Want to know more about future growth and investment in Stockport? Learn about our Plan to build a skilled, confident workforce and hear from employers and partners talk about skills for business, now and in the years to come.

Ideal for students, parents and carers, watch our bitesize videos as part of our webinar on the Future World of Work and hear from guest speakers including...



## Richard Mortimer

Head of Economy, Work & Skills for Stockport Council



## Claire Walker

Enterprise Co-ordinator, Bridge GM / GMACS



## Rhiannon Collins

Education Relationship Manager, Speakers for Schools



## Tim Marsh

Operations Manager, The Prince's Trust



## Matt Leigh

ASK Programme Manager, Greater Manchester Learning Provider Network



## Ian McGarry

IAG Manager, GM Higher

Careers Advisor? Join our **CIEAG Webinar on Weds 16th March**

**Contact us** to book onto our 'Future World of Work' Workshop at 3.45pm



# Work Experience & Volunteering



**Need to gain practical skills and industry experience to boost your CV, college or university applications, or general job prospects? Find out more about accessing work experience in Stockport and what local employers want.**

Finding your own work experience placement can be a good experience as it means you'll have more choice and control over where to go and what you'll be doing.

## Accessing Work Experience Opportunities in Stockport



### Decide on what you want to do

Research what careers you're interested in and figure out what type of placement you're looking for, the skills you want to gain and why it appeals to you



### Research potential opportunities

Search local employers in that sector or industry using search engines, social media, directory websites like yell.com or asking friends or family members



### Reach out to employers directly

Find out the best contact details and telephone, email or visit potential employers - be sure to have a copy of your CV or covering letter to give them



### Follow-up and have conversations

If you don't receive a response straight away, contact the employer again. If they can't offer a work placement, ask if they would be willing to have a call with you about the job they do or for you to call in for a short workplace visit instead



### Explore alternative options to gaining work experience

Virtual work experience, online insight days, remote careers talks and in-person volunteering are also great ways to gain experience. [Search what's available here.](#)

# #NCW2022 Events

Find out what's happening 7th-12th March and how to take part



Explore the full list of live events and webinars taking place throughout #NCW2022 from a range of providers in one place and use the links to join

## Meet Your Future

### GMCA Meet Your Future events

Meet Your Future are hosting a series of events for the week with a range of talks from global employers and industry sector leaders.



#### Careers at a glance with Arup

Monday 7th March 8:30am



#### Careers using Maths using Equans

Monday 7th March 1:30pm



#### Careers at a glance with Autotrader

Tuesday 8th March 8:30am



#### Careers using English using Equans

Tuesday 8th March 1:30pm



#### Supporting your child with Careers within the NHS

Tuesday 8th March 3:30pm



#### Careers at a glance with BAM Nuttall

Wednesday 9th March 8:30am



#### Careers using Science in the NHS

Wednesday 9th March 1:30pm



#### Careers at a glance with The Warehouse Project

Thursday 10th March 8:30am



#### The World of Work with MENCAP (SEND Students)

Thursday 10th March 10am



#### Introduction to Money Management

Thursday 10th March 1:30pm





## HeppSY

HeppSY will be hosting a series of virtual events, useful resources, and social media campaigns to celebrate National Careers Week 2022.



### National Careers Week launch event 2022

Monday 7th March 9:30am



### NCW 2022 - Digital Theme

Monday 7th March 10am



### NCW 2022 - Engineering Theme

Tuesday 8th March 10am



### NCW 2022 - Food Theme

Wednesday 9th March 10am



### NCW 2022 - The Arts Theme

Thursday 10th March 10am



### NCW 2022 - Sport Theme

Friday 11th March 10am

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## Other events

These virtual sessions will be exploring the different career opportunities in the UK hosted by a range of different employers.



### Careers Week - Working in Animal Welfare

Tuesday 8th March 10:15am / 1:30pm

Thursday 10th March 9:15am / 12:45pm



### Careers in the Spotlight

Wednesday 9th March 09:45am



### Labcorp Drug Development Career Insights

Monday 7th - Thursday 10th March 4pm











# Useful Links

## Careers Advice & Guidance

-  **Stockport Jobs Match Careers Hub**  
<https://stockport-jobsmatch.co.uk/career-hub>
-  **Stockport Education & Careers Advice Service**  
[www.stockport.gov.uk/careers-information-advice-and-guidance/contact-us-education-and-careers](http://www.stockport.gov.uk/careers-information-advice-and-guidance/contact-us-education-and-careers)
-  **National Careers Service**  
[nationalcareers.service.gov.uk](http://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk)
-  **NHS Careers**  
[www.healthcareers.nhs.uk](http://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk)
-  **Digital Career Prospectus**  
[stockport-jobsmatch.co.uk/digital-careers-prospectus-for-stockport](http://stockport-jobsmatch.co.uk/digital-careers-prospectus-for-stockport)
-  **Stockport Homes Careers Support**  
[www.stockporthomes.org/employment-support/](http://www.stockporthomes.org/employment-support/)

## Apprenticeship Guides & Resources

-  **Complete Guide to Apprenticeships in Stockport**  
<https://stockport-jobsmatch.co.uk/apprenticeships-and-traineeships>
-  **Bitesize Guide to Vocational Qualifications**  
[stockport-jobsmatch.co.uk/bitesize-guide-to-apprenticeships-and-vocational-qualifications](http://stockport-jobsmatch.co.uk/bitesize-guide-to-apprenticeships-and-vocational-qualifications)
-  **Apprenticeship Providers**  
[stockport-jobsmatch.co.uk/studying-apprenticeships-and-traineeships](http://stockport-jobsmatch.co.uk/studying-apprenticeships-and-traineeships)
-  **How to Apply for an Apprenticeship**  
[stockport-jobsmatch.co.uk/applying-for-apprenticeships-](http://stockport-jobsmatch.co.uk/applying-for-apprenticeships-)
-  **Search Apprenticeship Jobs**  
[tockport-jobsmatch.co.uk/jobs/apprentices-trainees-kickstart](http://stockport-jobsmatch.co.uk/jobs/apprentices-trainees-kickstart)
-  **Writing an Apprentice CV**  
[stockport-jobsmatch.co.uk/how-to-write-the-perfect-cv-for-apprenticeship](http://stockport-jobsmatch.co.uk/how-to-write-the-perfect-cv-for-apprenticeship)
-  **Find an Apprenticeship**  
[www.apprenticeships.gov.uk](http://www.apprenticeships.gov.uk)
-  **Find a Traineeship**  
[www.gov.uk/find-traineeship](http://www.gov.uk/find-traineeship)
-  **Stockport Apprenticeship Store**  
<https://www.stockport.gov.uk/groups/the-apprenticeships-store>
-  **Not Going to Uni**  
[www.notgoingtouni.co.uk/](http://www.notgoingtouni.co.uk/)



## SEND

- 📍 **Preparing for Adulthood**  
[www.preparingforadulthood.org.uk](http://www.preparingforadulthood.org.uk)
- 📍 **Stockport SAYS**  
[www.stockportsays.co.uk](http://www.stockportsays.co.uk)
- 📍 **Parents & Carers Together Stockport**  
[pactstockport.co.uk](http://pactstockport.co.uk)
- 📍 **Stockport Local Offer**  
[stockport.fsd.org.uk/kb5/stockport/fsd/localoffer.page](http://stockport.fsd.org.uk/kb5/stockport/fsd/localoffer.page)

## Volunteering & Work Experience

- 📍 **Do-It.org**  
[do-it.org/about](http://do-it.org/about)
- 📍 **Vinspired**  
[vinspired.com/volunteer](http://vinspired.com/volunteer)
- 📍 **The Prince's Trust**  
[www.princes-trust.org.uk/about-the-trust/where-we-work/north-england/manchester-centre](http://www.princes-trust.org.uk/about-the-trust/where-we-work/north-england/manchester-centre)
- 📍 **Speakers for Schools - Virtual Work Experience**  
<https://www.speakersforschools.org/experience-2/vwex/>

