

**10 ways to achieve careers education at home**

1. **Explore different job roles and the job market**

[Videos featuring real people talking about their careers](https://icould.com)

[Information about different job roles](https://guest.startprofile.com/world-of-work/explore/industries)

[Information about over 350 job roles within the NHS](https://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/explore-roles)

[Lesson plans and articles](https://www.myworldofwork.co.uk/partner-resources)

[Quiz to find jobs that are suited to you](https://www.ucas.com/careers/buzz-quiz)

[Leicester and Leicestershire labour market Information](https://www.llep.org.uk/investing-in-our-people/choosing-a-career/guide-to-the-local-labour-market/)

[Labour market lesson plan and resources](https://www.llep.org.uk/investing-in-our-people/choosing-a-career/guide-to-the-local-labour-market/)

[More labour market information](http://www.lmiforall.org.uk/explore_lmi)

[View careers by industry](https://www.how2become.com/careers/)

1. **Find out about different courses and pathways**

[Information about apprenticeships](http://www.apprenticeships.gov.uk)

[Virtual Tours and information on Leicester Universities](https://www.pathwaystohe.ac.uk/)

[University exploration and course search](https://www.ucas.com)

[Guides on how subjects link to different careers](https://successatschool.org/advicedetails/1221/coronavirus-gatbsy-subject-guides-free-to-access-from-home?utm_source=Success+at+School+-+Newsletter+Signups&utm_campaign=7e0d5a0af4-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2020_03_18_12_44&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_65c6d67e71-7e0d5a0af4-212054963&goal=0_65c6d67e71-7e0d5a0af4-212054963&mc_cid=7e0d5a0af4&mc_eid=1d43f262bb)

[Compare universities](https://discoveruni.gov.uk)

[Information about uni alternatives](https://www.notgoingtouni.co.uk)

[Advice on how to work in certain sectors](https://www.how2become.com)

[Leading university information](https://www.russellgroup.ac.uk)

[Search for courses by location](https://guest.startprofile.com/options/where-could-i-learn)

1. **Have a debate**

Debate career myths and stereotypes with someone else (online or face-to-face):

“Bricklaying is a man’s job”

“Caring jobs (nurse, teacher, vet etc.) are for females”

“Only rich people go to university”

“Apprenticeships aren’t for academics”

“You need all A’s in your A Levels to go to University”

“Creative Industries don’t make any money”

Follow this up by researching online and writing down your thoughts.

1. **Watch educational videos and documentaries**

BBC [Bitesize](https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize)

[Stacey Dooley’s BBC Series](https://www.bbc.co.uk/iplayer/episodes/p06zhf9j/the-nine-to-five-with-stacey-dooley)

Follow this up by writing about what you learnt.

1. **Play an educational game**

[Microsoft Minecraft](https://education.minecraft.net/blog/microsoft-extends-access-to-minecraft-education-edition-and-resources-to-support-remote-learning/)

1. **Discover and build upon your skills and strengths**

[Life skills lesson plans and resources](https://barclayslifeskills.com)

[Lesson plan and worksheet (Use CVDTWINKLHELPS code for free access)](https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resource/t3-p-92-my-skills-and-qualities-lesson-pack)

[A range of skills-based activities and information](https://hub.skillsbuilder.org)

[Take this personality quiz](https://icould.com/buzz-quiz)

[Skills employers want](https://www.ucas.com/careers/getting-job/what-are-employers-looking)

1. **Print and complete worksheets/workbooks**

[PSHE workbooks](https://www.tes.com/teaching-resource/pshe-home-learning-pack-12268315)

[Citizenship workbooks](https://www.tes.com/teaching-resource/citizenship-home-learning-pack-12268323)

[Skills and activities workbook](https://www.youthemployment.org.uk/free-skills-careers-activities-booklet-for-young-people)

[Free careers guides for all subject areas](https://successatschool.org/advicedetails/1221/coronavirus-gatbsy-subject-guides-free-to-access-from-home?utm_source=Success+at+School+-+Newsletter+Signups&utm_campaign=7e0d5a0af4-EMAIL_CAMPAIGN_2020_03_18_12_44&utm_medium=email&utm_term=0_65c6d67e71-7e0d5)

[Home Learning Hub for parents, students and teachers](http://www.skillsbuilder.org/homelearning)

[STEM Learning Family Activities](https://www.stem.org.uk/home-learning/family-activities)

1. **Take a free online course or lesson**

[30 Minute Apprenticeship in Business](https://hub.skillsbuilder.org/resources/30-minute-apprenticeship-business)

[30 Minute Apprenticeship in Construction](https://hub.skillsbuilder.org/resources/30-minute-apprenticeship-construction)

[30 Minute Apprenticeship in Marketing](https://hub.skillsbuilder.org/resources/30-minute-apprenticeship-marketing)

[Strengths and Skills (Lesson)](https://hub.skillsbuilder.org/resources/mapping-strengths)

[Staying Positive (Lesson)](https://hub.skillsbuilder.org/resources/getting-job)

[Finding your Cyber Security Career Path (Free online course)](https://www.edx.org/course/finding-your-cybersecurity-career-path)

[Career Skills for Investment Banking and Finance (Free online course)](https://www.edx.org/course/essential-career-skills-for-investment-banking-and)

[Creativity and Entrepreneurship (Free online course)](https://www.edx.org/course/creativity-entrepreneurship)

[Resilience, the art of coping with disasters (Free online course)](https://www.edx.org/course/resilience-the-art-of-coping-with-disasters)

[Prepare for career success at Uni (Free online course)](https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/career-success)

[Building your career in tomorrow’s workplace (Free online course)](https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/creating-your-future)

[How to start your career in games development (Free online course)](https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/how-to-start-your-career-in-games-development)

[How to succeed in interviews (Free online course)](https://www.futurelearn.com/courses/interviews)

1. **Create a CV and/or write a personal statement**

[Free app for CV creation](https://fledglink.com)

[CV Builder](https://barclayslifeskills.com/i-want-to-use-my-online-presence-to-get-ahead/school/cv-builder)

[CV writing guidance](https://www.prospects.ac.uk/careers-advice/cvs-and-cover-letters/how-to-write-a-cv)

[Personal statement guide](https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/applying-university/how-write-ucas-undergraduate-personal-statement)

1. **Browse Careers websites**

[Careerpilot](https://www.careerpilot.org.uk/)

[Start Profile](https://www.startprofile.com/)

[Bridge U](https://bridge-u.com/)

[Springpod](https://www.springpod.co.uk)

[National Careers Service](https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk)

[BBC Bitesize](https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/careers)

[My Career Springboard](https://www.mycareerspringboard.org)

[Careers Box](https://www.careersbox.co.uk)

[Success at School](https://successatschool.org)

[Gov: Apprenticeships](https://www.gov.uk/topic/further-education-skills/apprenticeships)

[Gov: Careers helpline](https://www.gov.uk/careers-helpline-for-teenagers)

[All About Apprenticeships](https://allaboutapprenticeships.co.uk)

[All About School Leavers](http://www.allaboutschoolleavers.co.uk)

[Career Connect](http://www.careerconnect.org.uk)

[Shaw Trust (SEND)](http://www.shaw-trust.org.uk)

[Careers Advice for Parents](http://www.careersadviceforparents.org/p/free-expert-advice.html)

**Here are also some general free online learning sites!**

[MOOC (Online courses for anyone)](https://www.mooc.org)

[Minecraft (Educational games and activities)](https://education.minecraft.net/class-resources/lessons)

[TES (Resources & lesson plans)](https://www.tes.com/teaching-resources)

[Twinkl (Online lessons & activities - Use CVDTWINKLHELPS code for free access):](https://www.twinkl.co.uk/resources/keystage3-ks3)

[BBC Bitesize (Online lessons and revision)](https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize)

[Seneca (Online interactive lessons)](https://app.senecalearning.com/courses?Price=Free)

[Future Learn (Free online courses):](http://www.futurelearn.com)

[TED (Video lessons)](https://ed.ted.com)