

Apprenticeship and Training Provider Directory 2025-2026

Below is a useful list of some of the places you can find Apprenticeships or alternatives to traditional learning choices. If Sixth Form or College isn't for you, or maybe you are ready for work, these are great options.

This guide does not include every option, but it does include many useful and popular choices.

You can learn more about all of the options available to you on the Skills for Careers website.

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Apprenticeships

Apprenticeship Vacancy Search Tools

- Government Apprenticeship Website
- Get My First Job
- Rate My Apprenticeship
- Not Going to Uni
- UCAS
- WM Jobs

College Apprenticeship Vacancies

- Walsall College
- Birmingham Metropolitan College
- Sandwell College

Training Providers by Location

Walsall

• PTP Training

Accounts, business, customer service, dental nursing, early years, engineering, health and social care, hospitality, IT, retail, sales, travel, warehouse.

NOVA

Construction, hair and beauty, hospitality, retail, motor vehicle, business administration, customer service.

NACRO

Animal care, business, early years, ESOL, hair and beauty, health and social care, IT, motor vehicle, sport.

• InComm

Engineering, Manufacturing, business

• Juniper Training

For those with an EHCP

SCL College

Sport, performing arts, business

Many of the above have centres in other areas.

Birmingham

• Aspiration

Health & social care, childcare, dental, education and management

Heart of England

Football, beauty, hair

Protocol

Business administration, IT (digital marketing), warehouse, customer service

• Creative Alliance

IT/digital, media

Training Providers by Interest

Animal care

NACRO

Childcare/Early Years

- Crackerjack
- Swift

Computing

- Baltic Apprenticeships
- **QA**

Electrical/Plumbing/Gas

- JTL
- Birmingham Electrical

Construction

- Nova
- JTL
- <u>Juniper</u>

Engineering/Manufacturing

- InComm
- Next Gen Makers

A list of some excellent local apprenticeship employers

Football

- Heart of England
- ESPFA

Hair and Beauty

- Hipster Group
- Heart of England
- Reflections
- Francesco Group

Hospitality

- Marston's
- HIT

<u>IT</u>

- LMPQ
- Creative Alliance
- <u>QA</u>
- SCC

Media

• <u>Creative Alliance</u>

Military Preparation

• Military Preparation College for Training

Motor Vehicle

• IMI

Sport

- Sport Structures
- Aspire
- Progressive Sports
- SCL College

Support Programmes

If you are really struggling to access any learning options or are feeling there is no great option for you, there are lots of support services for you.

Support in school

Book an appointment with our school Careers Adviser by asking your tutor or emailing postbox@barrbeaconschool.co.uk

Support outside school

- Walsall Works
- Connexions Sandwell
- Birmingham Careers Service