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**Activate Learning** – Activate Learning is a predominantly further education college group, with some higher education courses, including a range delivered by our new Institute of Technology. We are a group of seven, including Reading College.

Reading College has been welcoming further education students since 1955 when the campus opened as Reading Technical College. We now provide education to students from the Thames Valley region and beyond, who are attracted by our facilities and location.

Reading College offers spectacular facilities in a vibrant setting. The Kings Road campus offers a wide range of specialist facilities include creative art workshops, recording studios, performance spaces, a TV studio, theatre, garage, construction centre and fully-fitted training kitchens. These are supported by expert tuition from lecturers, and input from businesses, who help shape our courses.

**Lauren Davis** 

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Adviza – Adviza- BEEP Project - Berkshire Education and Employment Partnership

BEEP is an employability programme that aligns schools and colleges with local employers to develop employability skills and talent in our young people. It has been adapted for the pandemic era so the next generation won't miss out on key employability opportunities. BEEP is for anyone aged 15-24 and living in Berkshire, with intensive support available for those with Special Educational Needs or Not in Education, Employment or Training.

James Hobson

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**The British Army** – The Army is distinct from the RAF and Royal Navy in that our tasks are always delivered directly by soldiers through human interaction. They are our greatest asset. We are an inspirational employer who embraces diversity, inclusivity and contributes to society in everything we do. We are leaders in leadership with skills for life and the opportunity for all.

We have to make life-critical decisions and take purposeful action in sometimes hostile, confusing and unclear situations that occasionally test us to the limit of human endurance. Our training, development and preparation is personally rewarding but also ensures we are united by common values and strong bonds and will do the right thing, even under the most difficult circumstances.

**Lance Corporal Carlington Reid** 

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**ASK on behalf of National Apprenticeship Service** – The Apprenticeship Support and Knowledge for Schools and Colleges programme (ASK) is funded by the National Apprenticeship Service, part of the Department for Education. The programme is designed to give schools, colleges and other educational establishments across England free support to develop and transform how your students think about apprenticeships.

Varsha Venon – ASK Project worker

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**AWE (Atomic Weapons Establishment)** – AWE is the Defence contractor responsible for the countries nuclear deterrent. We are a large engineering, scientific, and technology company located close to Reading.

We have a wide range of job roles across all of these areas, and our website https://www.awe.co.uk/careers/ has details of all of the job roles available. We have a thriving Apprenticeship scheme which has been providing highly trained personnel since 1952.

**Andy Salter** 

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**BCA and Langley College** – BCA is a further education land-based specialist college based in Burchetts Green, Maidenhead 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

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. https://www.langley.ac.uk/

01753 793288 Henrietta Collier

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**Bellway** – Bellway began as a small family business in 1946 - with a passion for building exceptional quality homes in carefully selected locations, inspired by the needs of real families. To this day, we maintain these same core values, combining our decades of expertise with the level of personalised care that Bellway is known for. Our exciting and innovative apprenticeship programmes are designed to attract and develop a diverse range of talented individuals who will contribute to the continued growth and success of our business in a wide range of roles.

Land

Planning

Commercial

Architecture

Engineering

Construction

Finance

PR & Comms

https://www.bellwaycareers.co.uk/our-programmes/apprenticeship-programme

Maria Mason

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Berkshire Physiotherapy – Physiotherapy is a growing post graduate profession with great opportunities in the NHS or private sector. Berkshire Physio has been providing up to date therapy for over 35 years and has worked with Maiden Erlegh School during this time providing work experience and gap year placements, which are an essential part of the application process for a degree in Physiotherapy. Recently apprenticeships have been introduced as another entrance to the profession. Physios from Berkshire Physio be available to discuss the physiotherapists role and how to apply to university or the new apprenticeship scheme

Mrs Carol Adkins – Director of Physiotherapy

**Bowmer and Kirkland** – Bowmer + Kirkland is one of the largest and most successful, privately owned construction and development groups in the UK. With a turnover exceeding £1.1bn and year-end cash balance of £481 million, we are a trusted and valued construction partner to our public sector and private clients. Our values, ethos and culture are moulded by the fact we are family owned and we are committed to training, developing and rewarding our people. We provide apprenticeships/work experience opportunities for roles such as quantity surveying, site management, civil engineering, design management, planning and estimating. Please visit our website – <a href="www.bandk.co.uk">www.bandk.co.uk</a> - to find our more about the roles listed above and what a day in your life could look like if you joined B+K.

**Alina Sacalus** 

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Day Lewis Pharmacy – Here at Day Lewis we place a great deal of emphasis on investing in, training and developing our people by continually reviewing our people strategy to ensure working for us is rewarding. All learning and development within the company is recognised and rewarded through our award-winning Day Lewis Academy, which assigns points for all learning. Our Academy supports one of our core values; 'To reward, recognise and empower'.

https://www.daylewis.co.uk/our-careers/email - onboarding@daylewisplc.co.uk

Pooja Kashyap - Teacher Practitioner and Pharmacist at Day Lewis

**Deloitte** – Deloitte is a leading global provider of audit and assurance, consulting, financial advisory, risk advisory, tax, and related services. With more than 150 years of hard work and commitment to making a real difference, our organisation has grown in scale and diversity - approximately 330,000 people in over 150 countries and territories, providing these services - yet our shared culture remains the same. Our organisation serves four out of five Fortune Global 500 companies.

Ellie Newey G5

#### easyJet - Arsalan Ali

Arsalan Ali is a former student of Maiden Erlegh School, and is a commercial airline pilot, currently working for Easyjet.

Mr Arsalan Ali – First Officer, Airline Pilot & Maiden Erlegh School Alumni, 2013

**Hanson** – Hanson UK is a leading supplier of low carbon heavy building materials to the construction industry. We are part of Heidelberg Materials, one of the largest building materials manufacturers in the world, the global market leader in aggregates which also has leading positions in asphalt, cement, concrete and other downstream activities.

https://www.hanson.co.uk/en/driver-apprenticeships-launched

https://www.hanson.co.uk/en/news-and-events/gold-standard-for-work-based-training

Georgina Perry

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#### Harrison Clark Rickerbys -

Our firm is entrepreneurial and fast moving which means we can connect quickly with you to make sure that we provide you with a really good legal service. Our commitment to you is reflected by being responsive and flexible in the way we work with you. Clients value our honesty, commercially focused advice and hard work. They find us friendly and caring, with expertise and integrity. People are our passion. We understand that we are part of key moments in your life, whether these are connected to a company acquisition or sale, a change in your relationships, a marriage or divorce, your expansion into a new area, or the purchase of a new home.

As an award winning Top 60 UK law firm we provide the full range of services that you would expect to organisations, business leaders and individuals. Our sector experts provide specialist advice nationally and are leaders in their field, recognised with industry award nominations and for their contributions to national conferences.

Vacation Scheme link: https://www.hcrlaw.com/vacation-schemes/ Training contract link: https://www.hcrlaw.com/training-contracts/

Habibur Rahman - Trainee Solicitor- Corporate Law G7





**InvestIN** – InvestIN Education are an organisation dedicated to bridging the gap between school and industry by equipping students with the tools and knowledge they need to succeed in the future. They predominantly do this by providing immersive career experiences for students aged 12-18 in 18 different industries, from the popular Medicine and Law, through to up-and-coming careers like Video Game Design and Forensic Science. Their programmes offer an invaluable insight into each career, through interactive activities, exclusive site visits and industry-specific career coaching - all led by top professionals. Their flagship Summer Experiences run throughout July and August for 5, 10 or 15 days, with shorter taster experiences taking place at weekends throughout the Spring and Autumn terms. To find out more, please do visit their website (www.investin.org), where full timetable breakdowns, testimonials and further information can be found.

Lilly Walker, Partner Development Associate

**Lilly Walker** 

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#### Orion Electrotech Recruitment - "Big enough to deliver. Small enough to care."

Orion is an award-winning recruitment company based in Lower Earley. We partner with clients from exciting start-ups to well-established household names. At Orion, we are dedicated to building exceptional relationships with candidates and clients. We deliver a world talent solutions service to engineering clients throughout the UK. So, Why should you consider a career in recruitment with Orion?.....

Unlocking Possibilities and Achieving Goals:

We are Orion. Our structure is based on a meritocracy, which means we reward and promote our staff based purely on merit and results. We offer the opportunity for progression every 6 months, and our intention is to create leaders within 18 months of joining us. Spurred on by exceptional people around you, we empower you to make your own decisions and grow your own business.

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We're a community. We have passion. We have ambition. We continue to grow an established, empowered, and motivated team. We pride ourselves in each individual having the resources to have the freedom, flexibility, and autonomy to manage their area of the business.

As market leaders, who continue to be at the top of their game, we are uniquely positioned to pass down expertise from our biggest billers to individuals starting their recruitment careers with us.

What do we offer you?.....

We offer excellent base salaries, uncapped commission structures, and incentives such as Private Healthcare or Subsidised Gym membership, not to mention our Holiday Incentives (Dubai/New York...) We also offer "off the scale" Lunch-Clubs, Wellness Days as well as industry-leading Learning and Development support

We have roles for Trainee Recruitment Consultants, Trainee Account Managers, and Trainee Business Development Managers.

Contact:

Please do get in touch today for an informal conversation, we would love to get to know you and explain more about a career in recruitment with Orion.

https://www.orionelectrotech.com/

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Georgina Leonard - Senior Internal Recruitment Consultant - georgina.leonard@orion-group.co.uk

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**PwC** – PricewaterhouseCoopers (PwC) is an international professional services brand of firms, operating as partnerships under the PwC brand. It is the second-largest professional services network in the world and is considered one of the Big Four accounting firms, along with Deloitte, EY and KPMG. At PwC, our purpose is to build trust in society and solve important problems. It is this focus which informs the services we provide and the decisions we make. In order to be the leading professional services firm it's important we have the right values, culture and behaviours embedded throughout our organisation, so our work reflects our purpose and we can successfully deliver our strategy. We offer a variety of programmes for School and College Leavers, undergraduates and graduates to start creating their careers with PwC. We focus on your skills and passions, not just your degree and education. With our diverse range of businesses and variety of work you'll easily find your perfect role. Join us and we'll help you to reimagine the possible whilst developing an inspiring career and help us solve important problems together.

PwC has removed the 2:1 criteria for early career roles, as part of our move to drive change in the social mobility and diversity of the professional services industry. At PwC, there are a number of different business lines of service. I am part of the Deals Data Analytics team where we draw insights and intelligence from business data to help companies make informed financial and commercial decisions. Please find further details on early careers here: https://www.pwc.co.uk/careers/early-careers.html

Varsha Vijay Caitlin Millar Matthew House G7

**Royal Berkshire Hospital** – I work as a Dosimetrist / Clinical Technologist in Radiotherapy at the Berkshire Cancer Center. It is not a role many people know about or think about as a career but it is an amazing career to have and has given me an opportunity to work abroad. It is not as stressful as being a Doctor but your learning never stops.

Anita Ravalia F4

**Royal Berkshire Hospital Clinical Engineering** – The Royal Berkshire Hospital's vision is to provide 'Seamless Excellence in Health Care Delivery and Outcomes', the Clinical Engineering department is part of this.

Clinical Engineering is the term given to the development, use, on-going support, and maintenance of technology for diagnosing, aiding or treating patients. It covers a very wide range of devices used in healthcare - from simple items like crutches to anaesthetic machines, artificial hip joints, patient monitors, robotic surgery, ventilators and wheelchairs. Medical devices benefit from advances in electronic, electrical, information and computer technology (ICT), hydraulics and mechanical technologies as well as biochemical and gene developments. Dramatic advances in technology have transformed many medical devices. Clinical Engineers therefore require very broad training and experience.

Clinical Engineering provides a full range of medical equipment management services, and ensures that whenever a medical device is used it is suitable for the intended purpose and maintained in a safe and reliable condition. Clinical Engineers manage the technology that is used in hospitals, working closely with clinicians in evaluating equipment to assess clinical need and decide what purchases are required.

Stella Otomewo

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Royal Veterinary College – Founded in 1791, the Royal Veterinary College (RVC), University of London is one of the world's leading veterinary and biological science institutions, renowned for pioneering approaches to teaching, research and cutting edge clinical provision. Based in central London (Camden) and Hertfordshire (575-acre site), its two campuses offer a friendly and supportive environment with state-of-the-art facilities for its 2,500 students. The RVC is a globally accredited veterinary school, as well as being the UK's largest and only independent specialist provider of Veterinary education. The RVC offers a range of undergraduate, postgraduate and research degrees. For more details, visit www.rvc.ac.uk.

**Patrick Lewis** 

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**STEM Ambassador - working for IQVIA** – Sally-Ann has a BSc, MSc and PhD in psychology and is a STEM Ambassador. She joined the clinical research industry as a data manager overseeing data that had been derived from clinical trials of novel drugs. She then moved on to project and programme management. She has experience of working in large Clinical Research Organisations and is currently employed by IQVIA - <a href="https://www.iqvia.com">www.iqvia.com</a>. IQVIA is the largest Clinical Research Organisation in the world and has an office in Reading. Sally-Ann can guide students about careers in Clinical Research if they are interested in life sciences plus careers in data if they are interested in Data Science.

Sally-Ann McDowell

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The Henley College – The Henley College is a sixth form college situated in the heart of historic Henley-on-Thames. The College offers a very broad range of A Levels, also Level 3 Vocational Diplomas, and the brand new T Level qualification. Alongside their studies, each student is supported by a Personal and Professional Tutor, and can also benefit from many extra-curricular opportunities including DofE Gold Award, Student Leadership Group, multiple sports, and College Theatre Group. Find out more at our next Information Evening on Tuesday 21st March, 5.30pm - 8pm. For further information see our website henleycol.ac.uk, or contact the College on 01491 579988, or email info@henleycol.ac.uk.

**Robyn Vitty** 

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**The Museum of English Rural Life** – The Museum of English Rural Life is part of the University of Reading. We use our diverse and surprising collections to explore how the skills and experiences of farmers and craftspeople, past and present, can help shape our lives now and into the future. We work alongside rural people, local communities and specialist researchers to create displays and activities that engage with important debates about the future of food and the ongoing relevance of the countryside to all our lives.

I am the Widening Participation Project Officer and I use the collections in sessions with secondary schools to develop study skills, as well as promote the surprisingly varied jobs and skills in the wider museum and heritage sector. Please come and talk about the roles that are on offer to people in the sector, as well as voluntering opportunities.

Adam Lines

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#### University of Reading – More than 90 years of excellence

The University of Reading has been at the forefront of UK higher education for nearly a century. Over the decades we have become innovators and pioneers, pushing academic boundaries and leading social change.

We strive to create a stronger, better University, building on our past to create an exceptional future. Our four guiding principles form the foundation of our strategy: a genuine love of learning, creating new knowledge, embracing and celebrating diversity of people and ideas, and caring for our environment.

In 2016, we celebrated the 90th anniversary of the grant of our Royal Charter by King George V.

Sarah West, Student Recruitment and Access Officer, University of Reading

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**University of Reading** – We provide a Masters of Pharmacy (MPharm) degree to study the development and use of medicines, in addition to training to become a confident and skilled healthcare professional. Vicky Kleanthous - Lecturer in clinical pharmacy practice. University of Reading, Pharmacy Department **Vicky Kleanthous** 

**uSports Ltd** – uSports Is A Sports Coaching Provider Delivering Nursery And School Sports Coaching, Holiday Clubs, Football And Toddler Sessions In East Berkshire, Bristol, West London and the surrounding areas. uSports exists to provide as many children as possible the opportunity to have a positive experience with a variety of sports at a young age. We are passionate about ensuring children develop in a fun, safe and happy environment whilst educating them not only in sports but as young people. https://www.u-sports.co.uk/

Rob Dickinson

**Vidett** – Vidett is now the UK's largest professional trustee and pension governance firm by number of clients. With a team of 120 and 475 client schemes, we are a strong, confident business, committed to investing in our people. We want to provide an opportunity for school leavers to earn a competitive salary whilst gaining valuable qualifications and learning about finance, investment, business, compliance and communication. Visit our website www.vidett.com to find out more or get in touch.

**Claire Barnes** 

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**WOOD plc** – Wood is a leading consulting and engineering company with 35,000 professionals, across 60 countries operating across Energy and Materials markets.

Wood provides performance-driven solutions throughout the asset life cycle, from concept to decommissioning across a broad range of industrial markets, including oil & gas, power & process, environment and infrastructure, clean energy, mining, minerals and general industrial sectors.

The company is organised across three business units of Consulting, Projects and Operations.

More details can be found at the Wood website here at https://www.woodplc.com

**Chris Ward** 

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#### **WoodWhite Accountants Ltd**

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Keith Westran - Client Services Director Emma Newnham - Chief Operating Officer G5



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