

Sector & Career Overviews

- www.prospects.ac.uk/jobs-and-work-experience/job-sectors/teaching-and-education - Overview of the teaching and education sector in the UK
- www.prospects.ac.uk/job-profiles/browse-sector/teaching-and-education - Education job profiles
- <https://www.skillsforcare.org.uk/About/Skills-for-Care-and-Development/Skills-for-Care-and-Development.aspx> - Skills for Care & Development (for early years and children's services)
- <https://targetjobs.co.uk/career-sectors/teaching-and-education> - Overview of Education sector
- <https://targetjobs.co.uk/career-sectors/teaching-and-education/advice/330569-alternative-careers-in-education> - Alternative careers to teaching overview
- https://targetjobs.co.uk/sites/targetjobs.co.uk/files/public/education_alternatives_final_pdf_layout_1_0.pdf - Education Alternatives (range of non-teaching related roles in education sector) by AGCAS

Jobs, Work Experience, Internships & Volunteering

Some opportunities within the sector may be formally advertised either through local authority (council) websites, sector specific jobsites or via organisation websites. There are also specific childcare agencies and many recruitment agencies also specialise in recruiting for educational settings. However, as not all opportunities will be formally advertised making speculative approaches will be essential.

Local Authority (Councils)

- <https://www.gov.uk/find-local-council> - Local Council Finder directory
- Local council jobs websites; <https://jobs.bathnes.gov.uk> (BANES), <https://jobs.n-somerset.gov.uk> (North Somerset Council); <http://jobs.southglos.gov.uk> (South Gloucestershire Council); <https://www.somerset.gov.uk/jobs-and-careers/> (Somerset County Council); <http://jobs.wiltshire.gov.uk> (Wiltshire Council); & <https://jobs.swindon.gov.uk> (Swindon Borough Council).
- Local Authorities might also have separate information about working in wider education sector: e.g. www.bathnes.gov.uk/services/children-young-people-and-families/childcare-early-years-play/family-information-service/wo

Sector specific jobsites

- www.eteach.com – Eteach (also used by Councils - covers roles in teaching and support staff across UK and internationally, state maintained and independent schools, primary and secondary).
- www.fejobs.com – Further Education Sector Jobs (teaching and non-teaching roles)
- www.tes.com/jobs – Times Education Supplement Online
- <http://www.jobs.ac.uk/> - Jobs in Higher Education (Universities) and research.
- www.cypnowjobs.co.uk – Children and Young People Now
- www.jobsgopublic.com – Jobs Go Public (public sector jobs)
- www.lgjobs.com – Local Government Jobs
- <http://bandltd.org.uk/jobs> – BAND: jobs for play workers and childcare professionals in Bristol.
- www.nurseryworldjobs.co.uk/ - Nursery World Jobs
- www.tinies.com/ - TiNiEs: nanny and childcare agency
- www.charityjob.co.uk/jobs/ - CharityJob
- <https://www.voscur.org/> - South West organisation supporting the voluntary and community sector

Recruitment Agencies

- www.rec.uk.com/ - The Recruitment and Employment Confederation searchable database
- <http://hays.co.uk/job/education-jobs/index.htm> - Hays Education (national, all settings)
- www.itnmark.com/ - ITN Mark Education (national coverage, all settings)
- www.kmrecruitment.co.uk – KM Recruitment (specialists for training industry)
- www.capitaeducation.co.uk – Capita Education (national, all settings)
- www.protocol-education.com – Protocol Education (national and international coverage, all settings)
- www.appleadaysupply.co.uk/ - Apple A Day (local primary schools)
- www.thesupplydesk.co.uk – Supply Desk (national, primary and secondary)
- www.prosperoteaching.com/ - Prospero Teaching (national coverage, all settings)
- www.coverteachers.co.uk/ - Cover Supply Teachers (local, supply specialists)
- www.apolloteaching.co.uk/ - Apollo Teaching (South Wales, supply specialists)
- <http://essrt.co.uk/> - Education Staffing Solutions (Wales)

Specific Organisations

Targeting specific employers / organisations is important for any job or placement search. Think broadly about where children 'are' or where education 'happens' e.g. community centres, after school clubs, activities centres, and private tutoring schools. The following tools can assist you;

- www.charitychoice.co.uk/charities/children-and-youth - Charity Choice
- <https://get-information-schools.service.gov.uk/?SelectedTab=Establishments> - Schools Directory
- www.indschools.co.uk/ - Independent Schools - Directory
- www.1bigdatabase.org.uk - Local database (Bath, Bristol, South Glos) of organisations

Here are some examples of specific organisations to get you started:

- www.threeways.co.uk/jobs – Three Ways School
- www.childrenssociety.org.uk/about-us/work-us The Children's Society
- www.firststepsbath.org.uk/ - First Steps Bath (charity and social enterprise)

After School/Tutoring

- <http://careers.explorellearning.co.uk/> - Explore Learning (Maths and English tuition centres)
- <https://www.super-stars.org.uk/> - Super Stars (after school/holiday clubs)

Youth Work

- www.lpw.org.uk/work-with-us/ - Learning Partnership West
- www.princes-trust.org.uk/about-the-trust/jobs/vacancies - Princes Trust

Summer/Overseas Work

- www.ccusa.co.uk/ (summer camps)
- www.lsc.ac/home.aspx - Language Study Centres (summer schools)
- www.jet-uk.org/index.php - The Japan Exchange and Teaching (JET) Programme

Industry Associations

- www.tes.co.uk – Teaching Education Supplement
- www.pacey.org.uk – Professional Association for Childcare and Early Years
- www.bbc.co.uk/news/education/ – BBC News Education Sector
- www.theguardian.com/education – Guardian Newspaper Education Sector
- www.independent.co.uk/news/education/education-news/ – Independent News Education Sector
- www.fenews.co.uk/ - Further Education news