



**APPRENTICESHIPS
AND TRAINING**

BURY COLLEGE APPRENTICESHIPS AND TRAINING



Welcome

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The presentation will last approximately 20 minutes.

If you still have a question that isn't answered today, please phone **0161 280 8517** or email **appvacancies@burycollege.ac.uk**

You will receive a copy of this presentation via email after the event.

Overview

The presentation will cover:

- What an apprenticeship is, including recent reforms
- What you can expect from a Bury College Apprenticeship
- How to secure a Bury College Apprenticeship
- Constructing a CV
- The current landscape

What is an Apprenticeship?

You will earn a minimum of £5.28 per hour if you're either:

- Aged under 19
- In the first year of an apprenticeship

Apprentices work towards achieving a nationally recognised apprenticeship standard.

They are typically 13 – 24 months in duration.



Apprenticeship Reforms



Why reform?

- To increase credibility
- To drive up numbers

Key changes

- End Point Assessment
- Grades – Fail, Pass, Distinction
- Increased underpinning knowledge
- Minimum of six hours a week paid off-the-job activity

A Bury College Apprenticeship....

Dedicated Learning and Skills Coach

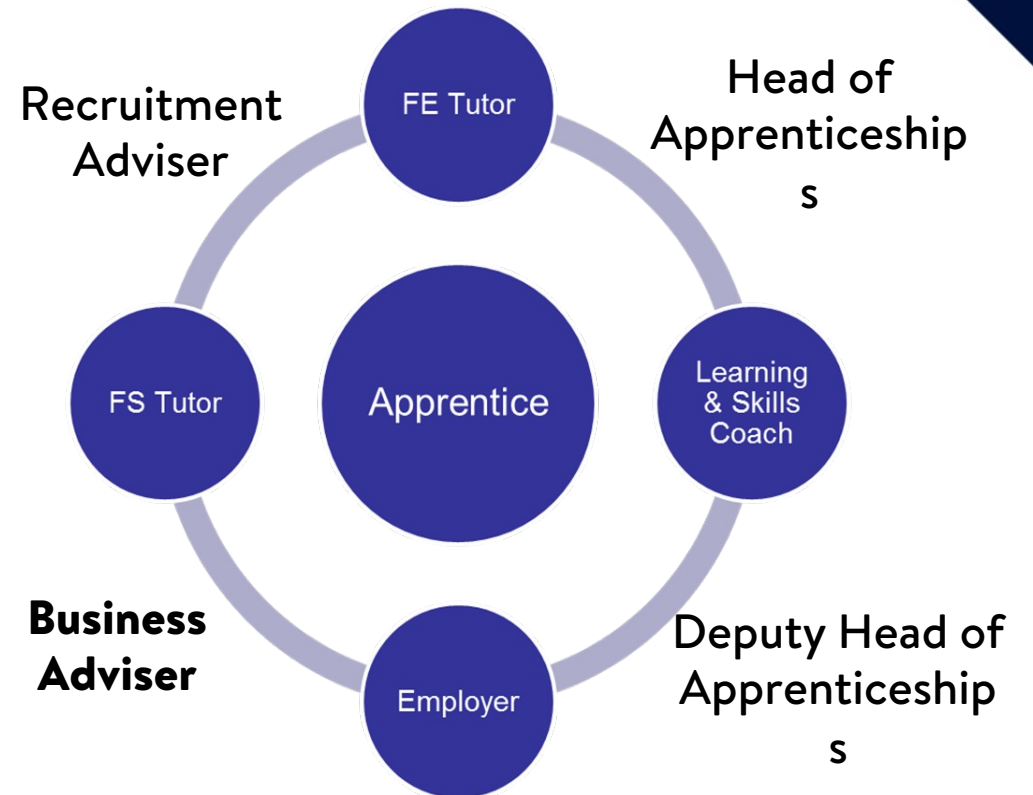
- Regular workplace visits
- Exemplary support, 98%+ pass rate for End Point Assessment
- Induction – full day in College
- Day release model, face-to-face delivery
- Parents' evenings

Specialist teachers

- Maths and English

Dedicated workplace mentor

- Employers who support quality and progression



The Bury College Apprenticeship Offer Entry Requirements

Level 2 to Level 5

Care Industries

**Childcare
Teaching Assistant
Health and Social Care
Dental Nursing**

Professional and Service Industry

**Hairdressing
Accounting
Business Administration
Customer Service
Management/Team Leading
Coaching Professional**

Myth Busting

Customer Service



Dental



Childcare



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Bury College has established partnerships with key employers



Mulberry Bush Nursery
Outstanding Childcare



NASH Pharmacy



Your journey into an Apprenticeship...

Bury College and Employer interview



Immediate Next Steps

- Book a College interview by speaking to us after this presentation

- Do your research

- Attend your College interview

- Prepare your CV



Constructing a CV

We will send you an email with guidance on writing a CV that it is clear and professional and covers all the necessary information.

Today we would like to support you with constructing your **personal profile**.

Your **personal profile** should give the reader a flavour of your character and who you are as a person. It is a short summary all about **you** and should include:

- An overview of what career you would like to pursue and why
- An overview of your skills and characteristics

Skills for Jobs ● Skills for Life

In our extensive experience of dealing with local employers, the attitudes and characteristics which they are most interested in include:

- Resilience
- Commitment
- Confidence
- Collaboration

These are the building blocks for success and employers will want to recruit individuals who have these characteristics.

Choose one or two that you feel relate to you as a person and that you would be happy to talk about at interview.

It is a good idea to also choose skills and characteristics that are sector specific.

Personal Profile Example

I am a hardworking individual who is looking to secure an apprenticeship in Hairdressing. Hairdressing appeals to me because I enjoy working with different people and I am very creative and hands-on. In my spare time I enjoy creating hairstyles for my family members. My commitment can be shown by my 100% attendance record throughout Year 11. I am a confident person who is good at communicating with different people. Recently I was asked to meet and greet parents to support a school parents' evening.

The Apprenticeship Landscape

Due to the excellent relationships we have with local employers, we have a high number of local apprenticeship vacancies and this will increase as we approach the school leaving date.

Employers are keen to recruit apprentices post Covid and to ensure they have a skilled workforce, even more important in a post-Brexit economy.

Questions and

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