



# CAREERS NEWSLETTER

## Welcome

Welcome to our latest edition of the monthly careers newsletter, part of the HMS Careers Programme! We hope that the newsletter will be a useful resource for students and families to help with thinking about the future!

## Subject of the month

### English

Studying English directly links to careers by developing the "Four Cs" (critical thinking, communication, creativity, collaboration), which are essential for any job roles.

The English curriculum at Hillingdon Manor School is broad and balanced and is designed to meet the needs of all our pupils. Following three distinct pathways: immersive, flexible and concrete, the curriculum is carefully sequenced to ensure each learner is ready for the next stage in education. It is adapted and tailored to their needs which makes progression possible.

1. **Develops Communication Skills** - Essential for all jobs, from writing reports to customer service.

2. **Builds Critical Thinking** - Helps you analyse information and make informed decisions.

3. **Useful in Many Jobs** - From teaching to engineering, English skills are highly valued.

4. **Understands Different Cultures** - Helps you work effectively in a global environment.

5. **Be Creative & Flexible** - Encourages you to think outside the box and adapt to change.



Sectors include: Retail, Hospitality, Healthcare, Education, Engineering, and Finance.

Companies include: Daily Mail, BT, BT Sport, BT Wholesale, BT Business, BT Consumer, BT Openreach, BT Energy, BT Security, BT Legal, BT Financial, BT Health, BT Education, BT Government, BT Local, BT International, BT Global, BT Europe, BT Asia, BT Africa, BT Latin America, BT Middle East, BT Oceania, BT South America, BT Central America, BT Caribbean, BT Africa, BT Asia, BT Europe, BT Latin America, BT Middle East, BT Oceania, BT South America, BT Central America, BT Caribbean.

### My Learning - My Future

Where can studying English can take you? Links [here](#) and [here](#).

**JOBS THAT USE... ENGLISH**

Teaching Assistant, Writer, Library Assistant, Paraplanner, Health Care Assistant, Social Media Manager, Call Centre Agent, Checkout Operator, Ministry Worker.

**FOUR PATHWAYS TO YOUR FUTURE**

PATHWAY	WHAT OPTIONS WILL BE AVAILABLE?	LEVEL	ENTRY REQUIREMENTS	IDEAL IF YOU...	LEADS TO...	KEY MESSAGE
FOUNDATION	Adults	Level 2	GCSE English Language (Grade 4 or above)	Strong oral and written communication skills	University, Higher Education, Apprenticeship, Employment	Strong communication skills are essential for many jobs.
INTERMEDIATE	Occupational English, English for Specific Purposes	Level 2	GCSE English Language (Grade 4 or above)	Strong oral and written communication skills	University, Higher Education, Apprenticeship, Employment	Strong communication skills are essential for many jobs.
ADVANCED	English and Media Studies, English and Business Studies	Level 3	GCSE English Language (Grade 4 or above)	Strong oral and written communication skills	University, Higher Education, Apprenticeship, Employment	Strong communication skills are essential for many jobs.
EXCELLENCE	English Language, English Literature, English Language and Literature	Level 3	GCSE English Language (Grade 4 or above)	Strong oral and written communication skills	University, Higher Education, Apprenticeship, Employment	Strong communication skills are essential for many jobs.

Speak to a Careers Adviser to help you explore the options in more detail.

Jobs and careers linked to [English](#).

## May Events

### 'Out in the Community' class trips

Often designed to build life skills, independence, and social confidence, they offer hands-on learning outside the classroom, such as exploring local shops and parks, museums, and restaurants. HMS learners have the opportunity to work towards their EHCP outcomes and targets links to Community and Independence.



KS4/5 Exams - primarily scheduled between early May and late June

## Upcoming Events

- Volunteering Week: 1<sup>st</sup> -7<sup>th</sup> June
- Work experience - Heathrow farm
- Babcock virtual work experience sessions
- KS4/5 Post-exam Apprenticeship workshop: 16<sup>th</sup> June
- Sports Day at Hillingdon Athletics Stadium: 18<sup>th</sup> June
- KS3 Apprenticeship workshop: 23<sup>rd</sup> of June

## Useful Information

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