



# OPTIONS AND CAREERS



There's no such thing as a bad decision. It just might take longer to get to your destination if you choose some routes

You are likely to have several careers throughout your life

Careers are not limited by  
the 'knowledge' learnt in  
your school subjects

75-80% of graduate  
student employers  
state no preference  
for degree subject  
when recruiting

# English

## Skills you'll be developing

- Analysis,
- Written communication
- Debating
- Developing persuasive arguments
- Speaking
- Critical reasoning and analysis
- Negotiation and teamworking
- Thinking creatively
- Articulating knowledge and understanding of concepts and theories

Literacy skills are useful in many jobs

## A few careers linked with enjoying English



Journalist

Vlogger

Poet

Screenwriter

Advertising  
Copywriter

Sales Executive

Barrister

PR Manager

Paralegal

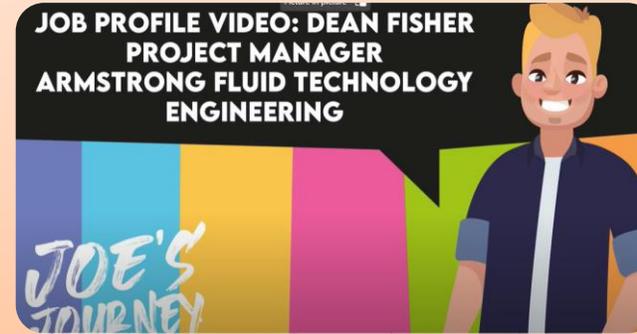
# Maths

Skills you'll be developing

- Problem solving
- Logical thinking
- Attention to detail
- Mathematical techniques
- Analysis of data

Numeracy skills are useful in  
many jobs

# A few careers linked with enjoying Maths



**Tax Adviser**

**Economist**

**Civil Engineer**

**Investment Banker**

**Data  
Analyst**

**Insurance  
Underwriter**

**Network Engineer**

**Games  
Developer**

**Accountant**

**Actuary**

# Science – Biology/ Chemistry / Physics

Skills you'll be developing

- Investigation
- Problem solving
- Analysing information
- Using data
- General scientific skills
- Practical investigative skills
- Dealing with logical and scientific concepts
- Mathematical skills
- Reasoning
- Communication
- IT

Problem Solving skills are  
useful in many jobs

# A few careers linked with enjoying Biology



GP

Veterinary Nurse

Environmental Consultant

Beautician

Florist

Dental Nurse

Physiotherapist

Psychologist

Agronomist

Criminologist

Biomedical Scientist

# A few careers linked with enjoying Chemistry



Energy Engineer

Geotechnician

Dentist

Doctor

Clinical Researcher

Science Teacher

Analytical  
Chemist

Forensic  
Scientist

Pharmacologist

Chemical  
Engineer

Textile  
Technologist

# A few careers linked with enjoying Physics



**Gas Engineer**

**Audiologist**

**Nuclear Engineer**

**Software  
Programmer**

**Geochemist**

**Ballistics Expert**

**Sound Engineer**

**Meteorologist**

**Radiographer**

**Data Scientist**

# IT, Computer Science

Skills you'll be developing

- Communication
- Programming and technical
- Analytical thinking
- Problem solving
- Organisation and logical planning
- Computer literacy

These skills are useful in  
**MOST** jobs!

# A few careers linked with enjoying IT, Computer Science



**Automotive Engineer**

**Systems Architect**

**Cloud Engineer**

**IT Project Manager**

**Robotic Engineer**

**Investment Analyst**

**Forensic Accountant**

**Asset Manager**

**Data Scientist**

**IT Trainer**

# Business, Economics, Retail, Travel and Tourism

Skills you'll be developing

- Communication- writing and presenting
- Interpersonal- Dealing with a range of different people
- Appreciating different points of view
- Reflecting- looking at what you did and why?
- Applying knowledge to local, national and global issues
- Evaluating, analysing and interpreting research
- Problem solving

These skills are  
useful in many jobs

# A few careers linked with enjoying Business, Economics



Retail  
Assistant

HR  
Assistant

Project  
Manager

Business  
Analyst

Sales  
Manager

Management  
Consultant

Market  
Researcher

Events  
Co-ordinator

Operations  
Manager

Account  
Executive

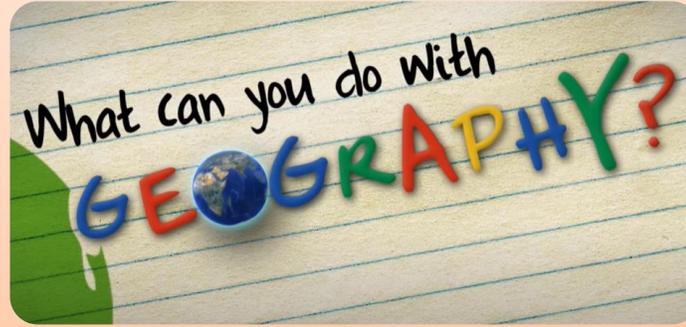
# Geography

## Skills you'll be developing

- Collecting, interpreting and presenting information
- Working with maps, tables and graphs
- Understanding global issues
- Problem solving and critical thinking
- Research

These skills are useful in  
many jobs

# A few careers linked with enjoying Geography



**Ecologist**

**Seismologist**

**Town  
Planner**

**Climate  
Scientist**

**Tour  
Guide**

**Transport  
Planner**

**Drone Pilot**

**Environmental  
Engineer**

**Minerals  
Surveyor**

**Landscape  
Architect**

# History

Skills you'll be developing

- Research
- Communication in writing and orally
- Developing a balanced argument
- Sourcing evidence to support a point of view
- Organising information
- Critical thinking
- Time Management
- Attention to detail

[Transferable Skills in History](#)

# A few careers linked with enjoying History



Solicitor

Writer

Journalist

Academic Librarian

Museum Curator

Broadcaster

Secondary Teacher

Archivist

Historical  
Researcher

Policy Officer

Civil Service  
Administrator

# A few careers linked with enjoying RE, Philosophy & Ethics



Religious Leader



Community  
Cohesion Officer



Social Enterprise  
Business Manager

Marketing  
Executive

Lecturer

Police Officer

Teacher

Editorial Assistant

Policy  
Adviser

HR Manager

Aid Worker

Barrister

Psychotherapist

# RE, Philosophy & Ethics

Skills you'll be developing

- Clear and logical thinking
- Organising information
- Communication - writing and self-expression
- Understanding both sides of an argument
- Negotiating and resolving conflict
- Debating and positive group discussion

These skills are useful in many  
jobs

# Languages

Skills you'll be developing

- Verbal and written communication
- Reading and ability to select important text
- Self motivation and perseverance
- Adaptability and improvisation
- Organising workload
- Speaking another language

These skills are useful in  
many jobs

[Why MFL?](#)

# A few careers linked with enjoying Languages



**Blogger and  
Speaker**

**Broadcast Journalist**

**Tour Guide**

**Hotel  
Manager**

**Barrister**

**Cabin Crew**

**Translator**

**Diplomat**

**Logistics and  
Distribution Manager**

**International  
Banker**

**Business Executive**

**Public Relations  
Manager**

**International  
Development Worker**

**Interpreter**

# Art & Design, Graphic Communication, Photography

Skills you'll be developing

- Creating ideas visually
- Drawing, designing, painting, illustrating by hand and using a computer
- Developing ideas through research
- Critical thinking
- Creative and practical problem solving
- Organising and planning
- Working independently

Creativity skills are useful in many jobs

# A few careers linked with enjoying Art & Design, Graphic Communication, Photography



**Brand Specialist**

**CAD Technician**

**Vlogger**

**Tattooist**

**Landscape Designer**

**Set Designer**

**Advertising Art Director**

**Animator**

**Art Therapist**

# Music, Drama, Dance, Performing Arts

Skills you'll be developing

- Creativity
- Confidence
- Developing and communicating ideas
- Social skills
- Critical thinking
- Improvisation
- Discipline
- Ability to work in a team
- Ability to meet deadlines
- Performing in public

These skills are  
useful in many jobs

# A few careers linked with enjoying Music, Drama, Dance, Performing Arts



Events Assistant



Community Arts Facilitator



Stage Manager

Performer

Programme Researcher

Festival Organiser

Music Therapist

Sound Engineer

Radio Producer

Arts Administrator

Choreographer

Director

Lighting Engineer

TV Runner

# DT- Food and Nutrition

Skills you'll be developing

- Organising and planning
- Working independently
- Analysing and evaluating
- Team working
- Creativity
- Practical cookery skills
- Decision-making

These skills are  
useful in many jobs

# A few careers linked with enjoying Food and Nutrition



Food  
Manufacturing

Hotel  
Manager

Barista

Butcher

Food Scientist

Catering Manager

Packaging  
Technologist

Restaurant  
Manager

Nutritionist

Baker

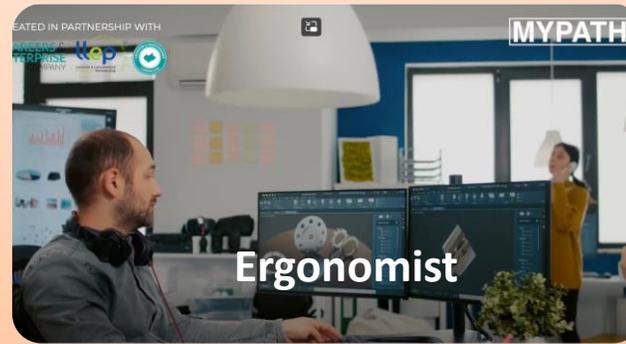
# DT- Timber, Construction, Engineering

Skills you'll be developing

- Designing and drawing
- Making and modelling
- Undertaking research
- Analysis and problem solving
- Team working
- Planning
- Construction
- Practical skills
- Working with hands, machines and computers

These skills are  
useful in many jobs

# A few careers linked with enjoying DT



**Structural Engineer**

**Architect**

**Automotive Engineer**

**Builder**

**Farrier**

**Product Designer**

**Construction Project Manager**

**Automotive Technician**

**Footwear Technologist**

**Carpenter**

# DT- Textiles

## Skills you'll be developing

- Creative design
- The ability to work independently, set goals, manage your own workload
- Meeting deadlines
- Project management - to see the design project through from conception to completion
- Attention to detail
- IT and technical skills
- Team work
- Communication

These skills are useful in many jobs

## A few careers linked with enjoying Textiles



**Creative  
Director**



**Knitwear  
Designer**



**Costume  
Designer**

**Advertising  
Art Director**

**Tailor**

**Retail  
Buyer**

**Magazine  
Journalist**

**Image  
Consultant**

**Fashion  
Designer**

**Fashion  
Model**

**Textile  
Technologist**

**Conservator**

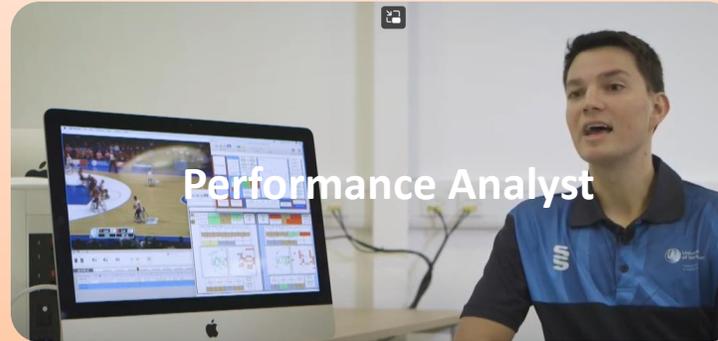
# PE, Sports Science,

Skills you'll be developing

- Health and fitness
- Exploring and communicating ideas
- Team working and leadership
- Training and coaching
- Identifying and solving problems
- Tactics and strategies
- Performing to your maximum

Teamwork skills are  
useful in many jobs

# A few careers linked with enjoying PE, Sports Science



**Sports  
Researcher**

**Clinical Exercise  
Physiologist**

**Leisure Centre  
Manager**

**RAF Pilot**

**Sports  
Nutritionist**

**Sports  
Psychologist**

**Physiotherapist**

**Social Media  
Manager**

**Performance  
Coach**

**Sports  
Therapist**