



## St. Damian's Careers Update: February 2021

### Independent Careers Advice & Guidance – Positive Steps

If a pupil wishes to request a Careers appointment, please email our Careers Adviser:

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### Career Paths – Where can these subjects take you?

#### Art & Design

[https://resources.careersandenterprise.co.uk/sites/default/files/2021-01/1438\\_My%20Learning%20My%20Future\\_Art\\_Design\\_FINAL.pdf](https://resources.careersandenterprise.co.uk/sites/default/files/2021-01/1438_My%20Learning%20My%20Future_Art_Design_FINAL.pdf)



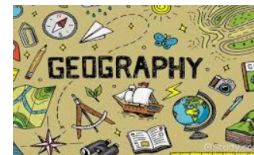
#### English

[https://resources.careersandenterprise.co.uk/sites/default/files/2021-01/1438\\_My%20Learning%20My%20Future\\_English\\_inspiration%20guide\\_012021.pdf](https://resources.careersandenterprise.co.uk/sites/default/files/2021-01/1438_My%20Learning%20My%20Future_English_inspiration%20guide_012021.pdf)



#### Geography

[https://resources.careersandenterprise.co.uk/sites/default/files/2021-01/1438\\_My%20Learning%20My%20Future\\_Geography\\_FINAL.pdf](https://resources.careersandenterprise.co.uk/sites/default/files/2021-01/1438_My%20Learning%20My%20Future_Geography_FINAL.pdf)



### Digital & Creative Industries – Find out more!

#### Core Network Planner - Vodafone

<https://icould.com/stories/fran-w/>

#### Freelance Web Developer

<https://icould.com/stories/andrew-s-2/>

#### Lead Curator Games Software

<https://icould.com/stories/david-c-2/>



#### The Digital Industry in Greater Manchester - Wild & Form Digital

Hear from Rubbi founder of Wild & Form Digital, a social media education company who talks about the different careers in the digital sector.

Watch the video

[https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JexcFIHyBuI&list=PLQQHZ1Akd0gqvOAJtZV\\_8oNM2I940kowO&index=11](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=JexcFIHyBuI&list=PLQQHZ1Akd0gqvOAJtZV_8oNM2I940kowO&index=11)

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## Understanding the Built Environment – Virtual Work Experience

<https://virtualworkexperience.beskillsinschools.co.uk/>

Key themes

1. Health and Wellbeing
2. Future Cities
3. Environment and Pollution
4. Human Development
5. Traffic and Transport
6. Infrastructure
7. Growing Cities
8. City Finances



## Accountancy, Business & Finance – Virtual Insight Week

Applications for our 2021 Virtual Insight Week are now open - Apply by 14<sup>th</sup> March 2021

Throughout the Virtual Insight Week, you'll have the opportunity to gain lots of valuable skills and explore your career options with PwC. You may be interested in doing an apprenticeship, going to university, or you're still not sure, and you simply want to find out more about PwC and the different areas of PwC that you could join. The Virtual Insight Week will help you to answer these questions by giving you an insight into lots of our different business areas, and you'll hear from staff who have joined PwC through a range of pathways and programmes.



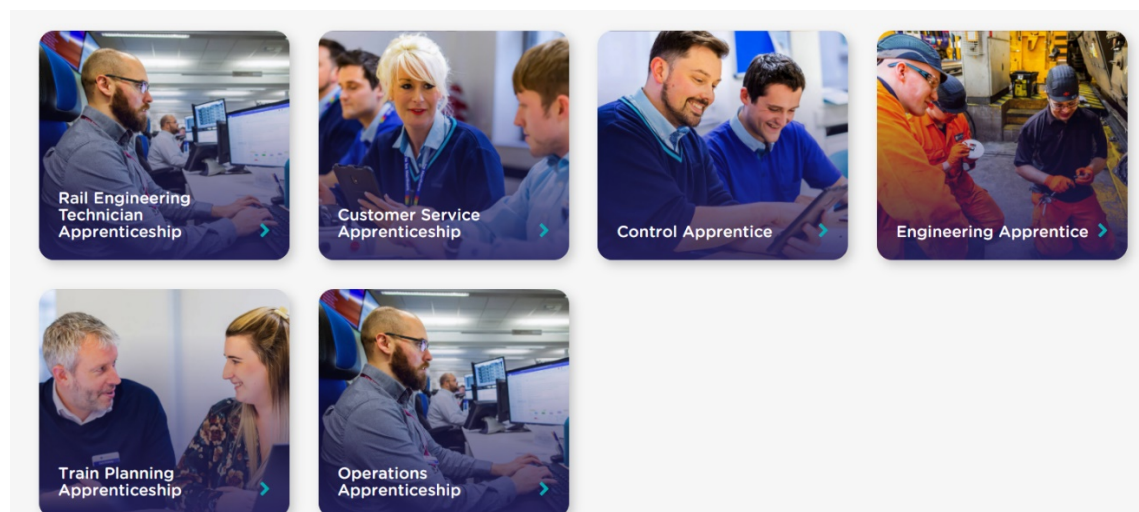
You'll get to try out some of these different business areas for yourself through interactive workshops and demonstrations. Some of the technical skills sessions will be differentiated so that you're able to select either a 'beginner' or 'advanced' level based on your individual experience of a topic. You'll also take part in a variety of skills sessions on topics such as wellbeing, resilience and personal values. These sessions will equip you with the skills and knowledge to help you succeed with a future application to PwC and beyond.

## Apprenticeships Opportunities

### Northern Rail

Apprenticeships are currently available with Northern Rail. Click on the link for more information

<https://www.northernrailway.co.uk/corporate/careers/early-careers/2489-apprenticeships>





## Science Apprenticeships with Pfizer

<https://www.apprenticesandgraduates.co.uk/vacancies/#pfizer-uk>



### You're the future

Your ambition, talents, ideas and unique way of looking at the world will help us drive innovation in every part of our business.

### About Pfizer Apprenticeships

Having an Apprenticeship at Pfizer means doing work that helps millions of people across the world benefit from life-changing treatment.

It means working for a company that believes in equity, excellence and protecting your work-life balance. And it means working with colleagues who take your ideas seriously and support your learning and development.

If you want an Apprenticeship that matters, you'll find it at Pfizer.

## National Careers Service & National Apprenticeship Websites

### What is an Apprenticeship?

The opportunity to get on the job training and earn qualifications – up to degree level whilst getting paid!



[www.apprenticeshipguide.co.uk](http://www.apprenticeshipguide.co.uk)

[www.ucas.com/apprenticeships-in-england](http://www.ucas.com/apprenticeships-in-england)



[www.findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk/apprenticeshipsearch](http://www.findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk/apprenticeshipsearch)



<https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/>

#### Skills assessment

Learn more about your skills and match them to potential new careers.

[Assess your skills](#)

#### Explore careers

Choose from over 800 career profiles to discover what each job involves.

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#### Find a course

Look for online learn opportunities and training local to you.

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