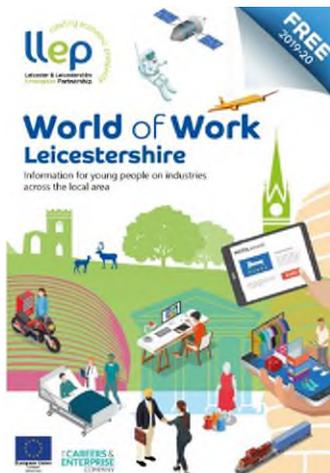




Welcome to our November 2019 Leicester and Leicestershire Enterprise Partnership (LLEP) and Careers and Enterprise Company (CEC) update

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World of Work Leicestershire 2019/2020 guides



The LLEP released the latest version of the **World of Work Leicestershire (2019-2020)** labour market guides in October 2019, and printed copies have been sent to all schools and colleges. If you **have not received any guides**, please contact anna.cyhan@llep.org.uk. **An electronic version of the guide, and other labour market resources** are available on [LLEP World of Work Leicestershire](#)

East Midlands Chamber offer to schools 2019/2020



East Midlands Chamber wants to help to enrich the education and employability of students, by working **more closely with local schools**. The Chamber is offering LLEP area schools **free Chamber Schools Membership**, so they can benefit from Chamber products and services. By becoming a Chamber Schools Member, schools can:

- Get **free access to the Chamber Schools Forum**
- Get **help with employer contacts** for education-business linked activities
- Get access to **regional policy conferences**
- Access **sector forums** and the **annual EMC Skills Summit**.

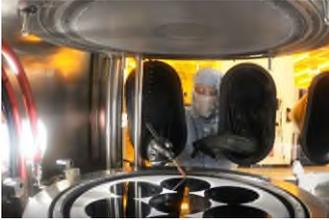
There are two levels of membership - one is free to secondary schools and includes standard access as above. The other has a charge, but includes significant added benefits, including an enhanced level of access to EMC opportunities. Find out more on: www.emc-dnl.co.uk/ChamberSchools or contact Pieter Eksteen, Education and Business Partnership Manager, on 0333 320 0333 ext. 2241 or email Pieter.Eksteen@emc-dnl.co.uk

Great programme for students aged 18+ who are interested in politics or civil society careers, applications close Dec 8.



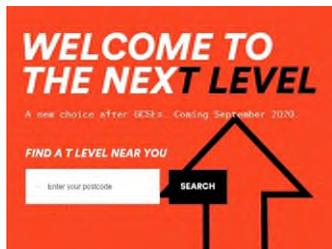
SEGR (who have a huge distribution centre development by East Midlands Airport) sponsors the Patchwork Foundation **Masterclass programme**. The charity works with young people from **under-represented, deprived and minority communities** who are interested in **pursuing a career in politics or civil society**. During this excellent programme, the young people attend a series of ten masterclasses delivered by prominent politicians, civil servants and journalists. They also receive one to one mentoring to increase their confidence. They are now **accepting applications for the 2020 programme**. Please can you raise awareness to your students aged 18 and above? To apply please visit <https://patchworkfoundation.org.uk/our-work/masterclasses/> The deadline for applications is **December 8 2019**. Support with travel costs is available, the young person can live anywhere across the LLEP area.

Made Here Now manufacturing resources, ages 11-16



Made Here Now is a website which supports the **manufacturing industry**, which is the LLEP areas largest industry for employment locally, and has roles across all levels. This website offers a number of **free resources, LMI and case studies**, going behind the scenes at a number of national and international companies, find out more on: [Made Here Now](#)

T Levels are coming!



T Levels are a brand new, 2-year qualification that aim to give young people a head start towards their career. The Government has developed T Levels, in **partnership with employers**, to deliver **world class technical education** and give young people a new choice after GCSEs. The first T Levels on offer will be in **construction, digital, education and childcare**, with more areas to follow. See the new T levels website, with videos that can be used in options lessons. See www.tlevels.gov.uk

Tech She Can careers resources, years 6-8



Tech She Can is a commitment from 133 companies, motivated by PwC's [Women in Tech : Time to close the gender gap](#) research, who put their collective energies together to help inspire more young people, particularly women, about the opportunities in tech. **Tech We Can** is everything you need to **enrich your lessons and help inspire children, especially girls, to consider a tech career**. It includes video tutorials, lesson plan slides and formats for use in years 6 - 8. They are designed to be mapped to the National Curriculum and meet **6 out of the 8 Gatsby Benchmarks**.

They teach the basics and build curiosity into the technology jobs of the future for our younger generation. See [Tech She Can](#).

Free resource linked to roles in a supermarket



To link up with the BBC 1 programme **Inside the Supermarket**, the Open University is offering a **free Shelf Life poster** which highlights a day in the life of a supermarket. This can help students to understand the diverse range of activities required to allow a modern day supermarket chain to survive. To order, click [Free Shelf Life Poster](#)

Discover Creative Careers website



Discover Creative Careers is a new free resource to help students, parents and teachers navigate the wide variety of job roles within the **Creative Sector**. From 3D modelling artists to textile designers this website will show what each role is, the routeway into it, how much you can expect to be paid and even how secure the future of each occupation is. See the [Discover Creative Careers](#) website.

Approaches to careers support



BBC Teach have developed a series of **short films profiling a diverse range of schools and careers practitioners** from across the UK, **exploring their approach to careers support** and examining what's working for them, including **helping students with additional needs**. See [teacher support](#).

Support for SEND young people



The **Gatsby Foundation**, in collaboration with **The Careers & Enterprise Company** and **Disability Rights UK**, have created a new publication which aims to inspire Careers Leaders, teachers and all those working with young people with **special educational needs and disabilities to use the Gatsby Benchmarks** to create a strong career guidance programme for each and every young person. <https://www.goodcareerguidance.org.uk/>

Traineeship Leaflet (aimed at SEND students) https://www.disabilityrightsuk.org/sites/default/files/pdf/TraineeshipLeaflet_05.pdf

Into **Apprenticeship** Guide (aimed at SEND students) <https://www.disabilityrightsuk.org/intoapprenticeships>

Into **Higher Education** Guide (aimed at SEND students) <https://www.disabilityrightsuk.org/sites/default/files/pdf/IntoHE2019.pdf>

Channel 4: **Employing Disabled Talent** guide --tailored for the TV industry
<https://www.disabilityrightsuk.org/news/2018/february/channel-4-produces-new-guide-employing-disabled-people>

Creative and video games careers resources



The **creative digital industry**, which includes **video games**, is **growing**, but does suffer from skills shortages. There are a vast range of job opportunities available in this industry, from game designers (which does not involve playing games all day!), to artists, to marketing experts, legal executives, producers and technical production. **Digital Schoolhouse**, a not for profit enterprise, has created short films about roles in the industry and resources, see [Digital Schoolhouse](#)

Industry webinars on offer to schools and colleges



Live or 'on demand' industry webinars are a great way to bring **sectors and employers into the classroom**; if you are planning some careers activities, see below for a list of different webinar offers

Spark Careers have regular live webinars, the next one is on Dec 3, and all about the Royal Navy, www.sparkcareers.org

Learn Live have been showing webinars for years, and have a large back catalogue to view, including Balfour Beatty, Network Rail and PwC, see <https://learnliveuk.com/channel/>

The Tomorrows Engineers Big Assembly can be watched on catch up, see <http://www.bigassembly.org/>

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