

DYW – Developing the Young Workforce

While you are at Saint Rochs, you are developing COUNTLESS different skills and qualities you can use beyond the classroom! Whether that's in your social, personal, familial, creative or professional life.

On everybody's mind in particular is what career they'd like to get into as well as how that can be achieved.

We have put together some handy resources which give you a foot in the door to the World of Work – specifically from an *English teacher's perspective*.

USEFUL LINKS

1. Careers related to English

<https://www.prospects.ac.uk/careers-advice/what-can-i-do-with-my-degree/english>

The above link takes you to a UK Gov. produced site listing many potential careers related to English as a subject, as well as handy steps to take this further.

2. Exploring careers and building your professional profile

<https://www.myworldofwork.co.uk/>

This website is one I am sure you're all familiar with – it has everything you could possibly need to develop your insight into the World of Work. Career quizzes, skills quizzes, industry insight, CV building, job opportunities...

3. <https://www.dyw.scot/young-people.html>

This website is a catch all site, connecting you, your parents and employers under one roof. From events in Scotland tailored to young people considering work after school, to online skills building, to parent's evenings, or even just ideas to inspire you...this link is a great place to access resources beyond the classroom.

4. <https://wakelet.com/wake/f9de3b32-8f1d-47a1-843a-429119c6abea>

BBC Careers Resources ranging from application and interview tips to where your favourite school subjects could take you.

5. https://wakelet.com/wake/zsvs7KuNtRrOmPqP5_8Pi

Interested in being the next big name in business? Got an idea you think could change the world and make millions? Keep up to date with opportunities for budding entrepreneurs with this handy link to news, opportunities, challenges and programmes designed to bring young people into enterprise.

6. <https://youngpersonsguarantee.scot/youngpersons-hub>

The Young Person's Guarantee is a commitment to bring together employers, partners and young people. It aims to connect every 16 to 24 year old in Scotland to an opportunity. This could be a job, apprenticeship, further or higher education, training or volunteering. Discover what you could be doing next with your future using our opportunity finder.

SOCIAL MEDIA

<https://wakelet.com/wake/-b1pgLsjiIwMMMO-ruk->

This link hosts access to social media accounts related to the development of Scotland's Young Workforce. You can have a look through their newsletter for opportunities and events. You can follow their Twitter to have immediate access to employment news relevant to YOU. Keep up to date through your online footprint.