College Open Events

**Colleges in the area**

**Barking and Dagenham College**  Thursday 31st October 2019 4pm Thursday 5th December 2019 4pm

**The Technical Skills Academy** (operated by Barking and Dagenham College) Thursday 10th October 2019 4pm

**Havering College of Further & Higher Education**

**Ardleigh Green Campus** Sat 16th November 10am-2pm

Thursday 16th January 2020 4pm-7pm

Saturday 28th March 2020 10am-2pm

Tuesday 9th June 2020 4pm-7pm

**Quarles Campus** Sat 16th November 10am-2pm

**Rainham Campus** Sat 16th November 10am-2pm

**Havering Sixth Form College**  Saturday 16th November 2019 10pm-3.30pm

**Palmer’s College** 10th October 6- 8:30pm

28th November 6-8:30pm

30th January 6-8:30pm

**SEEVIC** 3rd October 2019 6pm-8pm

19th November 2019 6pm-8:30pm

6th February 2019 6pm-8:30pm

**Redbridge College** Saturday 16th November 2019 10am-1pm

Tuesday 26th November 2019 5pm-7pm

Wednesday 5th February 2020 5pm-7pm

Saturday 28th March 2020 10am-1pm

Wednesday 17th June 2020 5pm-7pm

**South Essex College**

All **Southend Campus** Wednesday 9th October 2019 5pm-8:00pm Thursday 14th November 2019 5pm-8:00pm

Tuesday 17th March 2020 5pm-8:00pm

**Basildon Campus**  Tuesday 22nd October 2019 5pm-8:00pm

Wednesday 11th March 2020 5pm-8:00pm

**Thurrock Campus** Thursday 17th October 2019 5pm-8:00pm

Wednesday 15th January 2020 5pm-8:00pm

Tuesday 12th May 2020 5pm-8:00pm

**Local School 6th Forms**

**Campion (Girls accepted in 6th Form)** Wednesday 4th December 2019 6pm

**Coopers Company and Coborn** Thursday 28th November 2019 4pm

**Drapers Academy** Monday 25th November 2019 6pm-8pm

**Frances Bardsley Academy for Girls** Wednesday 13th November 2019 6:30pm-9:00pm Thursday 21st January 2020 2:10- 4:30pm

**Sacred Heart School for Girls** Thursday 7th November 2019 7pm onwards

**St Edward’s Church of England School** Thursday 31st January 4pm – 7pm

**Other school 6th Forms in Essex, Thurrock and Barking & Dagenham**

**Ockendon Academy** Thursday 17th October 2019 5pm-7pm

**Harris Academy**  Thursday 26th September 2020 5pm

Wednesday 20th November 2019 5pm-8pm

**St Martins School** Wednesday, 15 November 5pm-7pm

**Brentwood Ursuline Convent School** Wednesday 6th November 2019 6:30pm-8:30pm

**Brentwood County High School** Saturday 28th September 2019 10am-1pm

**Shenfield High School** Thursday 14th November 2019 6.15pm-8.00pm

**Anglo European School**  Thursday 26th September 2019 6:30pm- 8:30pm

**Becket Keys School** 25th September 2019 Time TBC

2nd October 2019

**Grammar Schools (High entry grades required)**

**King Edward V1 (KEGS)** Monday 10th December 5.00pm

**Chelmsford County High School for Girls** Monday 14th October 5pm-8pm

**Westcliff High School for Girls**  Tuesday 12th November 2019 7pm-9pm

**Westcliff High School for Boys**  Thursday 14th November 2019 6:30pm-9pm

**Southend Schools for Boys** Thursday 7th November 2019 5:30pm-7:30pm

**Southend School for Girls** Thursday 1st November 2019 6pm-8pm

**Colchester Royal Grammar School** Tuesday 22 October 6.30pm -9.00pm.

**Ilford County High for Boys** Thursday 5th December

**Woodford County High School for Girls** TBC

**Highly rated sixth form/colleges (High entry grades required)**

**Brampton manor school (Newham)** Thursday 21st November

**Seven Kings High School (Seven kings)** TBC

**Oaks Park High schools (Newbury park)**  28th November 3.30-6.30pm

**London Academy of Excellence (Stratford)** Wednesday 30th October

Wednesday 13th November

Saturday 23rd November

**Kings College London Maths School** (maths, physics and computing)

Open evening 1st October 5pm

Taster day 12th October 10am

**Newham collegiate sixth form** (sciences) Thursday 28th November 5pm-8pm

Thursday 5th December 5pm-8pm

**Specialist Colleges**

**Access to Music**

Shoreditch Campus- London Shoreditch

Book on to Open Day via telephone or online

Tuesday 22nd October 2019 3:00pm, 4:30pm or 6:00pm

**Big Creative**

Wednesday 16th October 4:30pm-7pm

Wednesday 13th November 4:30pm-7pm

Wednesday 11th December 4:30pm-7pm

Wednesday 15th January 4:30pm-7pm

Wednesday 12th February 4:30pm-7pm

Wednesday 18th March 4:30pm-7pm

Wednesday 22nd April 4:30pm-7pm

Wednesday 13th May 4:30pm-7pm

Wednesday 17th June 4:30pm-7pm

Wednesday 15th July 4:30pm-7pm

*Please register your attendance at* [*http://www.bigcreative.education/*](http://www.bigcreative.education/)

**Brit School**

Book online

Thursday 26th September 2019 4-8:30pm

*The Brit School is a free Performing Arts and Technology School. It is an independent state funded City College for the Technology of the Arts.*

**Elutec** 26th November 2019 5pm-7pm

*Elutec is a University Technical College for students aged 14 to 19 years old specialising in Engineering, Design and Technology.*

**ELAM** – East London Arts and Music

TBC

**London College of Beauty Therapy**

Book in for an appointment for their open days

*London College of Beauty Therapy offers courses and apprenticeships in Beauty Therapy, Hair & Media Make-up, Hairdressing and Fitness.*

**Fashion Retail Academy** 19th October 2019

L2 & L3 - 10:00am prompt – Need to register online to book

*FRA is a private training provider which offers free government funded places on full-time further education courses. It offers a range of vocational and work-orientated courses for employment in the fashion retail sector.*

**PROCAT** – Engineering and Construction Wednesday 15th October 2019 4pm-8pm

Please register your attendance at http://www.procat.ac.uk/events

**Writtle College**

Saturday 7th September 2019 10am-1pm

Saturday 8th November 2019 10am-1pm

Saturday 11th January 2020 10am-1pm

*Writtle College offers a range of Further Education courses including Animal and Equine Sciences, Conservation, Countryside, Sport, Horticulture, Veterinary Nursing, Veterinary Physiotherapy, Design, Agriculture and Floristry.*

Appendix 2 - Want 20 Things You Need To Know About Apprenticeships

Apprentices train on the job, working with an employer to pick up the skill they need for their chose career

**As an Apprentice you study (either at college or with a Training Provider) to gain nationally-recognised qualifications**

**Apprentices are paid for their work. The amount varies. Any apprentice, regardless of age, is paid £3.90 per hour in the first year of their apprenticeship. The minimum after that for under 18s is£4.35, for 18-20 year olds is £6.15 and £7.70 if you are over 21, but it can be much more than that**

**Apprentices can also get a Degree Apprenticeship. They do just what they say on the tin: you get a degree (a Bachelors or Masters, depending on the level you go for) via the Apprenticeship route. Except all your costs are paid for. That's right – a fee-free degree**

**No student loan required! You earn as you learn on an Apprenticeship, and your employer covers your training costs**

**Major employers hire Apprentices, including the BBC, Barclays, IBM and Google**

**Employers offer apprenticeships in more than 170 industries, with some 1500 job roles available. You could train to be anything from an accountant to a youth worker, an engineer to a veterinary nurse**

**Apprenticeships are available at three levels: Intermediate Level 2 (equivalent to GCSE), Advanced Level 3 (equivalent to A Levels) and Higher Levels 4-7. Higher and Degree Apprenticeships are equivalent to university-level study, from Foundation to Masters Degree**

**Apprenticeships last for at least a year and can continue for up to five years**

**Anyone over 16 living in England can apply to be an Apprentice. If you live in Scotland, Wales, or Northern Ireland, check out your apprenticeship options locally**

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**If you're not quite ready for an Apprenticeship, a Traineeship can help young people aged 16-24 get the skills and experience needed, for an apprenticeship or the world of work**

**Apprentices can earn more. On average, Higher Apprentices earn £150,000 more over their lifetime than those with Level Three vocational qualifications**

**Forget all that old-fashioned stereotyping of Apprenticeships as only being good for learning a trade. The most popular sector is health and social care, but business, finance, engineering and construction are growing**

**Apprentice and school leaver recruitment in 2018 was 50% higher than 2017, a much faster rate than the growth in graduate hiring**

**Nine out of ten Apprentices say they are satisfied with their Apprenticeship**

**Most employers retain their apprentices as employees, seeing them as a way to deal with skills gaps and bring in fresh thinking**

**Apprentices receive at least 20 days of paid holiday, plus bank holidays**

**There were 375,800 apprentice starts last year**

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**Apprentices get an NUS card, just like any other student, which entitles you to cheaper travel and discounts in various stores**

**Apprentices work at least 30 hours a week**