

CAREERS NEWSLETTER

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NEW SCHOOL YEAR

North East Futures UTC welcomes to our first Careers Newsletter of the 2020-21 academic year!

We're so excited for the beginning of the new school year. Even though we are starting while lockdown is still in effect, that does not mean we are still not on hand to provide you with a whole host of Careers-related information, guidance and opportunities.

This issue, our focus is mostly on healthcare careers, but we still have plenty for those passionate about other industries.

OUR NEW WEBSITE

The new North East Futures UTC website was launched in June and includes an awesome section dedicated to Careers and Business Engagement - be sure to check out all the new blogs and articles for a well-rounded view of the careers outlook in the North East.

For parents, there are a whole host of great resources there to support their children's aspirations.

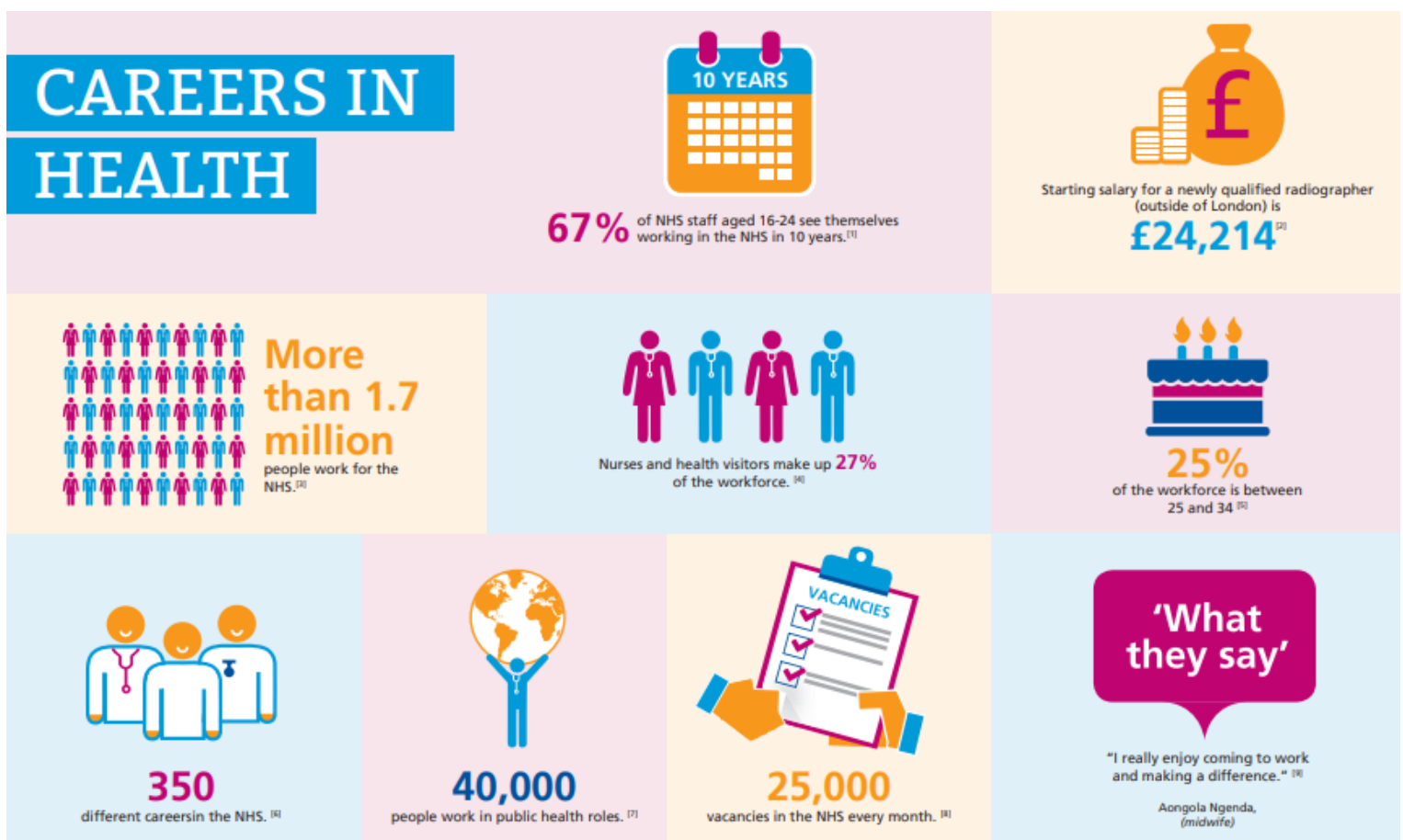
North East Futures UTC Careers & Business Engagement: <https://www.nefuturesutc.co.uk/industry-engagement>

LABOUR MARKET INFORMATION

Put simply, Labour Market Information (LMI) is the playing field for the region. It gives information on salaries, both employment and unemployment rates, as well as Employment information on certain sectors.

Check July's Newsletter for Digital Marketing LMI, made available by the Altitude Foundation: <https://www.nefuturesutc.co.uk/newsletters>

Below are just some examples of Healthcare Science information, as presented by the Health Education England department of the NHS.



For more information on Careers within Healthcare Science - including apprenticeships - follow this link to the NHS website:

[https://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/career-planning/resources?](https://www.healthcareers.nhs.uk/career-planning/resources?combine=infographic&field_resource_type_tid=All&sort_by=changed)

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Here is also an article on the UK's first 18-month Nursing Degree Apprenticeship, which you can be completed at Northumbria University:

<https://www.northumbria.ac.uk/study-at-northumbria/courses/bsc-hons-nursing-science-registered-nurse-child-degree-apprenticeship-dufdac1/>

COMING UP THIS SEPTEMBER...

Online event at Newcastle University: The skills employers are looking for and how to demonstrate them

Learn about the key skills required by employers, what they mean and how they translate into the working world, why they're needed and how to demonstrate these skills

Saturday 8th September

<https://www.ncl.ac.uk/careers/events/item/theskillsemployersarelookingforandhowtodemonstratethem8sept.html>

CyberFest: Are you interested in a career in Cyber Security?

At this free online event hosted by Newcastle College, find out what it takes to be an in-demand, highly skilled cyber security professional in one of the world's fastest growing sectors.

See what companies are looking for and how a relevant qualification or apprenticeship can help you make a start.

This event is a part of CyberFest that has several events taking place through the month online.

To register your interest, follow the link below:

Tuesday 22nd September

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/cyberfest-interested-in-a-career-in-cyber-security-tickets-113323808562>

North East Skills 2020

Get Inspired! An interactive Careers Event for the North East!

North East Skills are hosting an event that'll bring you face-to-face with employers, training providers, colleges, universities and professional bodies.

To register your interest, follow the link below:

Wednesday 23rd and Thursday 24th September

<https://10times.com/north-east-skills>

Throckley Jobs & Skills Fair

Following the success of 2019's Jobs and skills fair, Throckley Community Hall are holding another jobs and skills fair. It is free to attend and refreshments will be available.

Confirmed exhibitors include: Royal Navy, Prince's Trust and Bell Group.
To register your place, please follow the link below:

Thursday 24th September

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/throckley-jobs-and-skills-fair-tickets-97597844781>



Speakers for Schools

Speakers for Schools provides an excellent way to gain insight into every kind of industry you can think - from the people who know them best.

New talks are released every week, but some are recorded and kept on the website for a few weeks after, so it is always worth a look at their Vtalks Video Library.

<https://www.speakersforschools.org/inspiration/vtalks/vtalks-video-library/>

Rate My Apprenticeship - Vacancies

The Careers Team has received several queries about Apprenticeships in the last few weeks, so we thought we'd provide you with some help if this is something you are interested in looking at

<https://www.ratemyapprenticeship.co.uk/top-employers>

For even more Apprenticeship opportunities, see our Useful Careers Resources page

Useful Careers Resources

There are lots of great resources online for finding out about careers. Here are some links that might be useful to you:

Careers Research

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

<https://icould.com/>

Apprenticeships

<https://www.findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk/apprenticeshipsearch>

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

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

Job Search

<https://www.gov.uk/find-a-job>

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

<https://www.fish4.co.uk/>

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

Universities

<https://www.ucas.com/>

<https://www.whatuni.com/>

<http://unistats.direct.gov.uk/>

<https://www.studential.com/>

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