

Useful websites for school leavers and parents/carers

Website Name	Link	Description
Unifrog	https://www.unifrog.org/	A careers and destinations platform to help students explore their future options, research apprenticeships, university courses.
UCAS	https://www.ucas.com/	Use the website to find universities and courses that match your interests.
All About School Leavers	https://www.allaboutschoolleavers.co.uk/	Apprenticeships, school leaver programmes, CV tips, and employer insights.
Success at School	https://successatschool.org/	Career zones, employer profiles, and guidance for ages 13–19.
Youth Employment UK	https://www.youthemployment.org.uk/career-ideas-school-leavers/	Career ideas, training, and free Young Professional programmes.
Gradcracker	https://www.gradcracker.com/for-schools/students	STEM-focused careers, apprenticeships, and employer webinars.
National Careers Service	https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/careers-advice/career-choices-at-16	Post-16 options including education, apprenticeships, and volunteering.

Skills for Careers	https://www.skillsforcareers.education.gov.uk/pages/young-people	Explore career ideas and training options.
Careermap	https://careermap.co.uk/career-advice/school-leavers	Practical advice on gap years, apprenticeships, and university.
Working Options	https://workingoptions.org.uk/student-zone/useful-careers-advice-websites/	Links to top career sites like BBC Bitesize, Prospects, and The Prince's Trust.
Skills for Careers – Parent Advice	https://www.skillsforcareers.education.gov.uk/pages/parent-advice-and-resources	Support for discussing careers, understanding exam results, and exploring training options.
Youth Employment UK – Careers Advice for Parents	https://www.youthemployment.org.uk/careers-advice-for-parents/	Guides on apprenticeships, employability skills, and navigating post-16 decisions.
Talking Futures	https://www.talkingfutures.org.uk/	Helps parents start career conversations and understand modern education pathways.
Parentkind – Careers Guidance	https://www.parentkind.org.uk/for-parents/careers/careers-guidance-and-access	Overview of services available to help parents support career decisions.
The Parents' Guide To	https://www.theparentsguideto.co.uk/free-resources	Free downloadable guides for National Careers Week, Green Careers Week, and more.
Careers Hub – Resources for Parents	https://careers.cimspa.co.uk/resources-for-parents/	Curated resources to help parents support career exploration.
Gatsby Foundation – Talking Futures Campaign	https://www.gatsby.org.uk/education/careers-guidance/	Encourages informed conversations about technical education pathways.