

Welcome to our May opportunity bulletin full of ways to help inspire the next generation in Sheffield! Take a look below and get in touch with us at [seeitbeit@sheffield.gov.uk](mailto:seeitbeit@sheffield.gov.uk) if you would like to get involved. Our [Bulletin Board Padlet](#) also features information and templates to give you flavour of what some of these opportunities involve.

*NB: Opportunities marked with \* are with our Special Schools – students in these institutions may have varying levels of Learning Difficulties and/or Social, Emotional & Mental Health and/or Emotional Behavioural Difficulties – we will discuss requirements with you ahead of any events and make sure you are prepared, but there is nothing to worry about!*

Opportunity Name	Opportunity Details	Date / time	Time Commitment	Location
<b>Westbourne School – Apprenticeship Careers Talks</b>	Westbourne School is looking for employers who are offering Business, Marketing or Sales Apprenticeships to come and talk to Y7-10 students across two 20 minute sessions.	Tuesday 23 May, time to be agreed	1 hour	Westbourne School, Neill Building, 60 Westbourne Rd, Sheffield, S10 2QT
<b>Forge Valley – Breaking Stereotypes</b>	Forge Valley are looking for volunteers who have faced or broken a stereotype (e.g. gender, background, race, age). Students will be provided with photos of each volunteer and asked to guess who is who, before the volunteers are revealed and talk about themselves and the stereotypes they are challenging.	Thursday 25 May, 8:45am – 10am	1 hour	Forge Valley School, Wood Lane, Sheffield, S6 5HG

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<b>Bents Green – Careers Talks *</b>	<p>Bents Green Special School are looking for employers to deliver careers talks to their students. Given their students’ needs, they would like the talks to be interactive, with visual, resources, props, activities etc – we can discuss this with you and help you prepare.</p> <p>They are particularly interested in Charity / Voluntary sector, Health, Environment / Agriculture and Hospitality</p>	Ideally Monday 5 June (but can be flexible) – exact times to be agreed with school	2–3 hours	Bents Green School, Hollinsend Road, Sheffield, S12 2EJ and Ringinglow Road, Sheffield, S11 7TB
<b>Forge Valley – What’s my Line</b>	What’s my Line is a great way to introduce younger students to the careers available to them by playing a game to guess volunteers’ roles. We are looking for people from a wide range of sectors and different roles to take part – minimal preparation is required as you just need to answer 5 yes or no and then give a short talk about your role.	Tuesday 13 June, 8:45am – 10:25am	2 hours	Forge Valley School, Wood Lane, Sheffield, S6 5HG
<b>Chaucer – What’s my Line</b>	What’s my Line is a great way to introduce younger students to the careers available to them by playing a game to guess volunteers’ roles. We are looking for people from a wide range of sectors and different roles to take part – minimal preparation is required as you just need to answer 5 yes or no and then give a short talk about your role.	Tuesday 20 June, 12:40pm – 14:50pm	2 hours	Chaucer School, Wordsworth Avenue, Sheffield, S5 8NH

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<b>High Storrs – Careers Talks and Q&amp;A</b>	High Storrs are looking for volunteers who can talk to Y10 students about their career paths and engage in a live Q&A. All sectors are welcome across both sessions.	Wednesday 21 June, 1pm – 3pm or Friday 23 June, 10:30am – 12:15pm	2 hours	High Storrs School, High Storrs Road, Sheffield, S11 7LH
<b>Forge Valley – Y10 Mock Interviews</b>	Forge Valley are delivering a mock interview day to 240 Y10 students and need volunteers to take part in 15 minute interviews with students. No preparation required as all questions will be provided on the day, as well as lunch.	Wednesday 28 June, 9am – 1:45pm (or part of this)	Up to 5 hours	Forge Valley School, Wood Lane, Sheffield, S6 5HG
<b>Outwood City – Careers Carousel</b>	Outwood Academy City are running a careers day for all Y7–9 in the school. They will be having careers-focussed lessons all day and as part of the day will take part in a careers carousel with local employers. We are looking for volunteers who are able to meet with students as part of the carousel and have an informal chat about their sector, career paths and skills.	Friday 7 July, 8:30am – 2:30pm	6 hours	Outwood Academy City, Stradbroke Rd, Sheffield, S13 8SS
<b>Sheffield Springs Academy – Work Experience Round Table</b>	Springs Academy are looking to reintroduce Work Experience and would like to run a day of taster sessions with Y10 students. We are looking for employers who can take part in a full day of activities and offer an interactive experience to those involved. Sectors of interest are Health & Social Care, Sports, Engineering / Construction and Creative. Lunch is provided!	Monday 10 July, 8:45am – 3:10pm	6.5 hours	Sheffield Springs Academy, Hurlfield Road, Sheffield, S12 2SF

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<b>Sheffield Springs Academy – Mock Interviews</b>	Sheffield Springs Academy's Mock Interview day will enable Y10 students to reflect on the career activity that they have done this year and the progression they are making towards their goals. Volunteers are required to spend 20 minutes delivering a short interview and then provide 5 minutes feedback verbally and a completed interview sheet which the school will provide.	Tuesday 11 July, 8:45am – 3:10pm (or part of this)	Up to 6.5 hours	Sheffield Springs Academy, Hurlfield Road, Sheffield, S12 2SF
<b>Newfield – Post-16 Aspirations Day</b>	Newfield School are looking for employers to take part in activities with Y10s focussing on their post-16 aspirations. Sessions are an hour long, with volunteers talking about career prospects in their sector, their own personal journeys and, if possible, with activities for students to complete.	Wednesday 12 July – exact times to be agreed with school	Minimum of 1 hour – as many sessions as you are able	Newfield School, Lees Hall Road, Sheffield, S8 9JP
<b>King Egbert – Careers Fair</b>	King Egbert's Careers Fair is for Y10s and Sixth Formers, with over 500 students attending. We are looking for employers to host a stand to promote your sector and any school leaver opportunities you have.	Thursday 13 July, 10am – 12:30pm	2.5 hours	King Egbert School, Totley Brook Road, Dore, Sheffield, S17 3QU
<b>Chapelton Academy – Virtual Work Experience</b>	Chapelton Academy are looking for employers who can set a virtual work experience task to students, and then take time to review the completed task at the end of the week, giving feedback for the students.	w/c 17 July, times to be agreed	To be agreed	Remote opportunity

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<b>Talbot – Employer Encounters and Experiences*</b>	Talbot Specialist School are looking for employers who can come and talk to their post 16 students, and/or host a workplace visit. Students are particularly interested in animal care, farming, manufacturing, horticulture, hair & beauty and music.	To be agreed with the school	To be agreed with the school – 1 hour for a talk, 2-3 for a visit	Talbot Specialist School, Lees Hall Road, Sheffield, S8 9JP
<b>Enterprise Advisers</b>	Enterprise Advisers are volunteers who are matched with a school or college to support them with the development of their Careers Education programme, offering insights into the world of work and links to potential volunteers through their own networks / employers.  These ongoing strategic positions are a great way to make a long-term impact with a specific school or college, whilst promoting your sector.	Ongoing	A few hours a month for a minimum of one academic year	TBC – we have vacancies in a few schools and match volunteers based on skills, background and location.