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# CAREERS FESTIVAL

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# Norfolk Skills & Career Festival 2023



**Task 1:** Have a look at this list of exhibitors at the event. Discuss what you think some of them might be. Have you heard of any of them? Put a \* next to any you might like to speak to at the event.

- Education
- Access Creative
- Action Community
- Enterprises
- Apprenticeships
- Business and IP centre
- CITB Construction College
- East Anglian Collaborate
- East Coast College
- Easton College
- Flagship Group
- Football Industry College
- Help you choose
- Icanbea
- Inspiring Learning
- Network for East Anglian
- Outreach
- Norwich City College
- St Edmunds
- Suffolk Academies Trust
- Suffolk College
- University of Suffolk
- Youth Pledge
- Leisure/tourism
- Oyster Yachts
- Stage Works Studios
- The Garage Ltd
- The Visitor Economy
- Bam Nuttal Ltd
- BerryGlobal
- Camden Boss
- Lovell Homes
- Marsh Mclennan
- Morgan Sindell
- Neucin Design Ltd
- Poultec
- RJ construction
- Tarmac
- Agriculture
- Bunnings
- CLAAS
- CMG
- Food skills
- Gressingham foods
- GS fresh Ltd
- John Deere – Ben Burgees
- Public Services Council
- Dog Handler
- DPSS
- HMP
- Military of Defence
- Norfolk and Suffolk Police
- Norfolk Care Careers
- Norfolk Council
- Norfolk County Council
- Care
- Royal Air Force
- Charity
- RSPCA
- Professional Services
- Alan Boswell
- Ashton Shaw
- CGM Insurance
- Howes Percival
- Inspire
- JTL Training Insurance
- Lovewell Blake
- Smith and Pinching
- Energy
- EEEGR
- EDF – Sizewell Power
- Stations
- Digital
- Netmatters
- Aviva

**Task 2: Understanding you and your values.** Have a look at the list below and consider which of these profiles suit you best. Highlight any of the jobs listed that interest you.

Then look at the list of values that are important to think about when looking for a career. Circle the top 5 values most important to you.

<p><b>Doers:</b> Enjoy practical work, working with their hands</p> <p><b>Examples:</b> Electrician, Athletic Trainer, Carpenter, Police Officer, Army soldier, Mechanic, Hairdresser, Construction Worker, Caterer, Truck Driver, Dressmaker, Chefs, Plumber, Welding, Computer Repairs, Engineer.</p>	<p><b>Investigators:</b> are observant and explore a wide range of ideas to solve problems.</p> <p><b>Examples:</b> Nurse, Pharmacist, Dietician, Detective, Dentist, Librarian, Lawyer, Reporter, Computer system analyst, computer security specialist, Horticulture, Veterinarian, Science Teacher</p>	<p>Academic</p> <p>Achievement</p> <p>Ambition</p> <p>Challenge</p> <p>Compassion</p> <p>Control</p> <p>Empathy</p> <p>Focus</p> <p>Happiness</p> <p>Intellectual status</p> <p>Leadership</p> <p>Making a difference</p> <p>Public interest</p> <p>Reward</p> <p>Salary</p> <p>Sense of purpose</p> <p>Team work</p> <p>Authority</p> <p>Outdoors</p>	<p>Accountability</p> <p>Advancement</p> <p>Belonging</p> <p>Community</p> <p>Competition</p> <p>Diversity</p> <p>Fairness</p> <p>Fun</p> <p>Health</p> <p>Justice</p> <p>Loyalty</p> <p>Originality</p> <p>Reliability</p> <p>Risk</p> <p>Job security</p> <p>Success</p> <p>Variety</p> <p>Creativity</p> <p>Travel</p>
<p><b>Artists:</b> are creative, innovative, imaginative and unconventional.</p> <p><b>Examples:</b> English teacher, Music teacher, Graphic Designer, Interior decorator, Photographer, Museum curator, Dance Instructor, Musician, Painter, Florist, Landscaper, Lighting specialist, Writer, Entertainer</p>	<p><b>Helpers:</b> interact with people teaching them new skills or helping them solve personal problems.</p> <p><b>Examples:</b> Youth worker, Counsellor, Teacher, Funeral director, Athletic coach, Sales Representative, Fitness Instructor, Paramedic, Social Worker, Nurse, Dietician, Nursery Nurse, Travel Agent, Receptionist, Health Care Assistant, Waitress, Career Advice</p>		
<p><b>Enterprisers:</b> risk takers who enjoy decision making, selling things, leading people and politics.</p> <p><b>Examples:</b> Banker, Real Estate Agent, Florist, Lawyer, Radio/TV Presenter, Branch Manager, Personnel Recruiter, Office Manager, Travel Agent, Advertising Executive, Politician, Business Manager</p>	<p><b>Detailers:</b> people who collect and organise things following defined routines and procedures.</p> <p><b>Examples:</b> Accountant, Bookkeeper, Secretary, Librarian, Proof Reader, Credit Controller, Court Reporter, Medical Secretary, Accounts Auditor, Financial Analyst, Health and Safety Inspector, Probation Officer, Cashier, Hotel Clerk</p>		

**Task 3:** List some careers you would like to find out more about

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**Task 4: Exhibitors at the event.** Remember, many companies have a huge variety of roles within them. For example, in a school there are teachers but also there is likely to be a nurse, a librarian, maintenance staff, a counsellor, secretaries, personal assistants, technicians, finance staff, even a marketing manager and many more! Do not just think about the most obvious roles within organisations, **ask exhibitors about the range of opportunities on offer.** List some of the exhibitors from the first page that you might like to speak to.

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# Questions to ask at a Careers Festival



It is important that you get the most out of the event. To do that, you must speak to a **range** of different exhibitors and ask **as many questions as possible**.

- Do you mind if I ask what your company does?
- Would you recommend a career in your Company or Industry?
- What skills and or qualifications would I need to get a job in your company?
- How did you decide to work with this company or in this industry? Is it what you always wanted to do?
- What tips or advice would you give to students wanting to get into your line of work?
- Do you know if you offer work visits or work experience?
- Do you offer apprenticeships and how would it work?
- Have you got some information in case I want to apply in the future?
- What changes do you foresee happening in your industry in the next few years?
- How do you think young people coming out of school could help with those challenges?

**Make sure you say “thank you for your time”, as a representative of Notre Dame it is important you make a good impression.**

**Can you think of any more questions to ask? Note them down here:**