

Why a Local Government Apprenticeship?

The qualification

Alongside workplace learning, as an apprentice you'll be studying level 2 to degree qualification. External training outside the workplace, or remote virtual learning will be given.

Support we offer

You will be supported by both your college and assessor; councils also ensure you are supported by your workplace manager. By working together, they can help you progress at the right speed.

Structured learning

All the modules included in your structured study programme are tailored to develop the valuable skills needed for your future career. These skills will also help you build a fantastic CV, with qualifications, practical skills and the experience employers look for in candidates.

What is Local Government?

No other employer plays such a pivotal role in the community. Councils provide healthy, safe and vibrant places to live and work. That's a great responsibility but also fantastically rewarding and something that really does make a difference.

Explore your interest...

Working with people

- social work and social care
- administrative/customer services
- public and media relations
- educational services/psychologists
- leisure and tourism
- youth work/teaching support work
- fire control operators
- trading standards

Analytics and research

- procurement
- architects/property management
- contract management
- trading standards
- ICT/telecoms
- planning
- finance/legal
- human resources
- policy/research and analysis
- commissions
- building control/surveyors

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Success Stories

“You can learn so much through doing a degrees or college course whilst already having a job in what you are studying as it is easier to understand and apply your learning. By the end of this degree I will be a full qualified chartered surveyor with an exciting career ahead of me.”

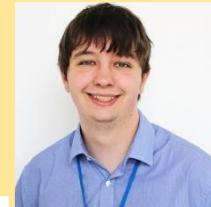
Hannah,
Apprentice Surveyor



Degree qualifications

“I was offered a permanent career development role which means I will complete a planning degree and become a qualified Planning Officer.”

Alex, Planning Policy
Officer (former apprentice)



Development opportunities

“After finishing my GCSEs, I started a level 2 apprenticeship in Finance. I quickly progressed and obtained my AAT level 3 qualification. I was then offered a Trainee Business Advisor post, undertaking an AAT level 4 qualification and have now progressed to Trainee Business Partner which will enable me to become a chartered accountant.”

Ben, Trainee Business Partner (former apprentice)



Life skills

“I vastly enjoyed my Apprenticeship, as it gave me the opportunity to gain the skills, knowledge and understanding required to be successful within Local Government.”

Ellie, Administrator
Electoral Services and
Learning & Development
(former apprentice)



Interested?

1. **Research** your local council.
2. **Visit your local council's website**, explore their opportunities. Many local councils have recruitment pages with information on early careers.
3. **Contact** the organisation for further information, you may be able to undertake work experience prior to applying for an apprenticeship.
4. **Search** vacancies and **apply**.

