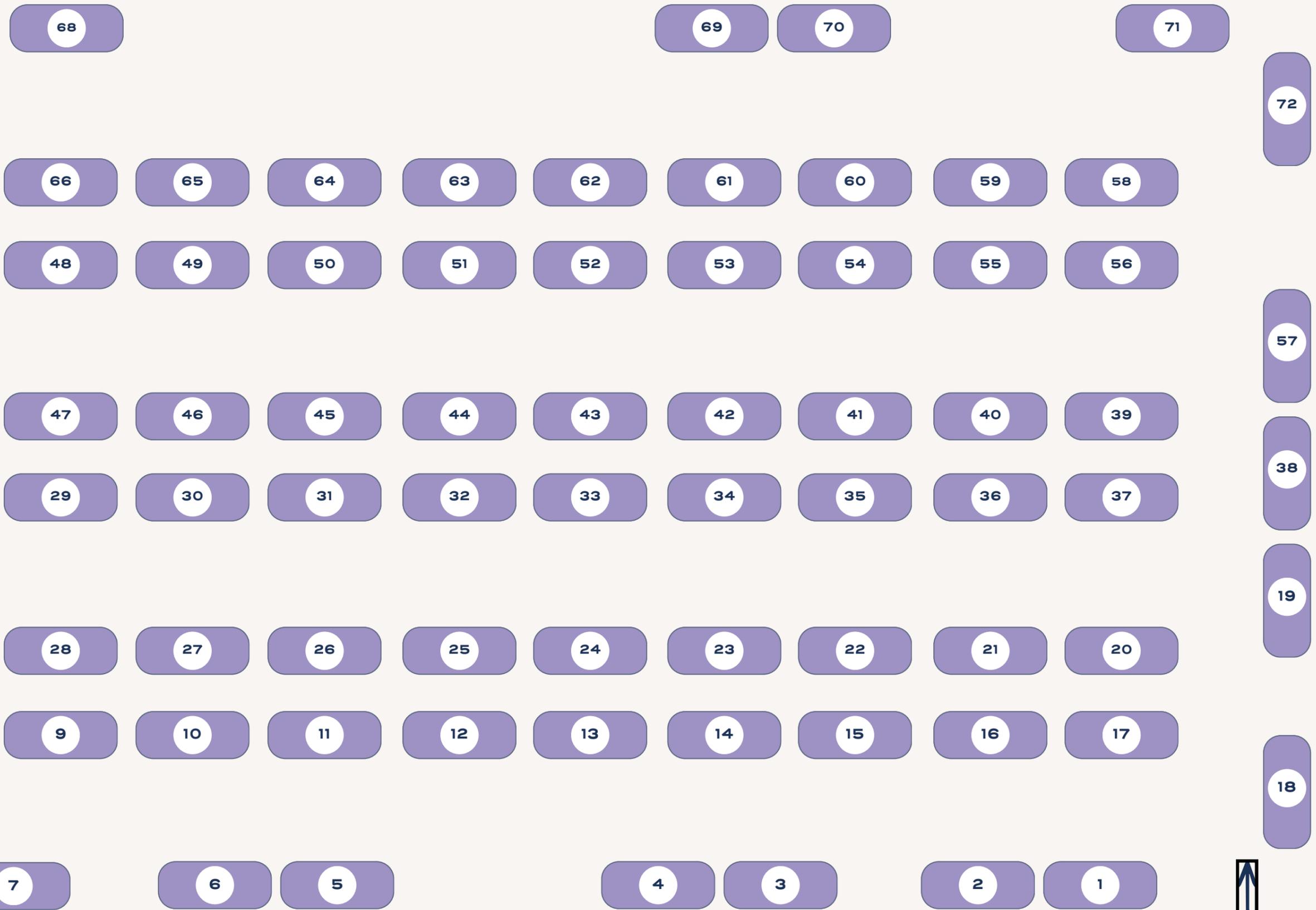


# EXHIBITOR AREA



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**ALPHA-PET**  
Futures Fair



# ALPHA-PET

## Futures Fair

### Exhibitor Information



#### 1. ASTON UNIVERSITY

Located in the city centre of Birmingham, Aston University is home to over 18,000 students from over 120 countries. Aston is ranked 21st in the 2025 Guardian University Guide and offers a wide-range of courses, including STEM subjects, social sciences, business and accounting courses, and healthcare sciences.



#### 2. DURHAM UNIVERSITY

Durham University is a globally outstanding centre of teaching and research excellence in a unique and historic setting. We have 27 departments and schools, offering over 200 undergraduate courses, not to mention postgraduate degrees, both taught and research. Our research-led education will challenge you, inspire you and help you achieve the extraordinary. The distinctive college system with 17 colleges and a wider student experience programme which includes drama, music, sport, volunteering, and more will help you to grow and develop as a person.



#### 3. NEWCASTLE UNIVERSITY

Russell group university offering degrees in STEM, Humanities and Medical Sciences. Top 10 BUCS university for those interested in competitive sports and High Performance Sporting opportunities. We also have Supported Entry routes for our subjects- PARTNERS and Pathways to STEM SER.



#### 4. NEW ERA

New Era provide support and awareness about domestic abuse and the impact on individuals, employers and communities. We support adults, children and also deliver a behaviour change service for those using harmful behaviours.



#### 5. UNIVERSITY OF STAFFORDSHIRE

Tracing its roots back to 1914 as a technical college supporting the local mining and ceramics industries, the University of Staffordshire is a modern institution known as a "catalyst for change". The university is spread across three main hubs: its primary campus in Stoke-on-Trent, a specialist healthcare center in Stafford, and a digital-focused London campus located at the Queen Elizabeth Olympic Park



#### 6. 159 REGT RLC ARMY RESERVE

159 Regiment Royal Logistic Corps has Reserve Centres in Coventry, West Bromwich, Telford, Stoke-On-Trent, Loughborough, and Burton-On-Trent. Under command of 102 Logistic Brigade, our operational role is to augment our sister regular regiments with supply capability. We regularly deploy soldiers on operations and maintain our warfighting capability through deliberate, high-quality training.



#### 7. E.QUALITY TRAINING LIMITED

Information on full-time courses, Apprenticeships and Adult Learning.



## 8. MARTEC TRAINING

Offer courses in Motor Vehicle Construction Hospitality we also offer Performing Arts for students with an EHCP

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## 9. ARDOUR HOUSING CIC

Ardour Housing CIC is a community interest company dedicated to improving access to safe, decent, and affordable housing for individuals and families who are at risk of homelessness or living in poor-quality accommodation. The organisation works to address housing inequality by providing high-quality accommodation, housing management services, and practical support that helps tenants achieve long-term stability and independence.

The company operates with a strong social purpose, reinvesting all surplus income into improving housing standards, expanding provision, and supporting vulnerable residents. Ardour Housing CIC is committed to meeting and exceeding the Decent Homes Standard, ensuring that all properties are safe, warm, well-maintained, and fit for habitation.

In addition to property provision and management, Ardour Housing CIC collaborates with local authorities, support agencies, and community partners to deliver housing solutions that respond to local need. The organisation focuses on ethical housing practices, tenant wellbeing, and sustainable community development.

Ardour Housing CIC exists to create positive social impact through housing, helping people build secure lives while strengthening communities.

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## 10. BIMM UNI

We are a creative university with campuses across the UK, we offer HE courses in performing arts, film production, games design and music.

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## 11. BSN GROUP CONSTRUCTION LIMITED

Construction Management business based in North and West Midlands. Offer apprenticeships from Level 3 through to Level 7.

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## 12. BT

Technology sector: working in telecommunications (Wifi, Networks, Network Design). Ideal for computer science students. Provide other roles such as sales roles, project management, data analytics, and UX Design. Provide L4 Apprenticeships and Degree Apprenticeships.

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## 13. CITY OF STOKE ON TRENT SIXTH FORM COLLEGE

As the first purpose built Sixth Form College in the country, for over 50 years we have been delivering post-16 education to students. We have helped over 30,000 young people reach their potential by progressing onto universities, great jobs and varied apprenticeships. With a wealth of experience, we are experts in the field of providing high quality education for all.

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## 14. COVENTRY UNIVERSITY

Coventry University is a forward-looking, modern institution with a heritage stretching back to the Coventry School of Design in 1843. Known for its commitment to career-focused education, the university has established a strong reputation for innovation, employability, and international partnerships

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## 15. DOUGIE MAC

Dougie Mac provides hospice services to adults, young adults and children living with a life-limiting illness in Stoke-on-Trent, North Staffordshire and the surrounding villages; also offering supportive care for their families and carers.

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## 16. DPC ACCOUNTANTS

We're DPC, part of the Sumer Group, a people focused accountancy practice with offices in Staffordshire and Nottinghamshire. Our people are crucial to our success so we're serious about your learning and development. We offer fully funded and supported professional training at each stage of an accountancy career which is supplemented with an in-house mentor and Personal Development Plan. We've been welcoming apprentices for years, could you be next?

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## 17. EDGE HILL UNIVERSITY

Edge Hill is a multi-award-winning university that aims to open doors for its students, providing an outstanding student experience and high-quality teaching (TEF 2023). Students are guaranteed accommodation on a stunning campus within easy reach of England's best cities, countryside and coast. Underpinned by research and teaching excellence, students and academics create new knowledge and life-changing opportunities, enabling every individual to thrive.

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## 18. UNIVERSITY HOSPITALS OF NORTH MIDLANDS

Health care provider - Acute/Hospital

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## 19. NSEG

Engineering Training Academy

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## 20. CONNECT FIBRE

Connect Fibre is a rapidly expanding broadband provider on a mission to revolutionise connectivity for UK towns and villages. Founded in 2019 and backed by a multi-million-pound investment from Foresight Group, the company specialises in delivering "Full Fibre" (FTTP) technology directly to homes and businesses. Unlike providers that rely on older copper wires, Connect Fibre offers a 100% fibre-optic network with speeds up to 2000Mbps, paired with the latest Wi-Fi 6 technology for a seamless, "fuss-free" experience.

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## 21. F BALL AND CO. LTD

F. Ball and Co. Ltd. is the UK's leading manufacturer of flooring installation products for the contract flooring industry.

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## 22. FALMOUTH UNIVERSITY

Falmouth University, We're creative. For over 120 years, we've been steering the course of the creative industries, and beyond. It's the key to unlocking new innovations, finding solutions to global challenges and engaging people to think, act and feel differently.

Students at Falmouth are given the freedom, support and professional experiences to make their creativity count. With an abundance of creative minds working across a huge range of disciplines, our students fuel each other to push the limits of what creativity can do.

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## 23. HARPER ADAMS UNIVERSITY

You local provider of land based degrees

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## 24. IAE

IAE are the United Kingdom's leading and largest manufacturer of livestock handling and housing equipment operating from a 38 acre purpose-built, environmentally conscious site in Stoke-on-Trent, Staffordshire. Our ability to design, manufacture, assemble and distribute from this unique operation allows us to offer our customers a complete range of high quality products, like no other.

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## 25. JCB

JCB, formally known as J.C. Bamford Excavators Limited, is a premier British multinational manufacturer of equipment for construction, agriculture, and waste handling.

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## 26. JMT ACCOUNTANCY LTD

JMT Accountancy is a modern, client-focused accountancy and bookkeeping practice supporting small businesses, startups, and sole traders across the UK. Founded by Tomasz Putynkowski, the firm provides reliable, compliant, and tailored services including bookkeeping, payroll, self-assessment, VAT, and business support. JMT Accountancy is known for its personal approach, clear communication, and commitment to helping clients understand their finances and grow with confidence. With over 110 clients served within its first year of trading and recognition through industry award nominations, the practice combines professional expertise with strong community involvement and ethical standards.

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## 27. JUMP 2 INDEPENDENCE LTD

Jump 2 Independence Ltd is a UK-based social care provider delivering personalised supported living and home care services, helping adults with diverse needs to live safely, confidently, and as independently as possible within their communities. We have 110 cares across Staffordshire

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## 28. KEELE UNIVERSITY

We're Keele and we're different. Founded 75 years ago to meet the demands of a new kind of society, economy and world, our principles resonate now more than ever.

We are a campus university with over 13,500 students, nestled in 600 acres of Staffordshire countryside and just an hour from Manchester and Birmingham. It's a big campus but a small and cosmopolitan community, with space to think and plenty to do.

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## 29. LANCASTER UNIVERSITY

Lancaster University is a top 10 UK university (Complete University Guide 2026) situated on a spacious parkland campus in the north-west of England. We're just three miles from the city centre of Lancaster and we're well-connected to many other places of interest, like the stunning Lake District.

We're consistently ranked in the top 15 in three major UK league tables, and our teaching was awarded a Gold overall rating in the latest Teaching Excellence Framework (2023). We're well-connected and were named as one of the top 30 most targeted universities by the UK's leading graduate employers in the Graduate Market in 2025 report (High Fliers).

As well as excellent teaching and learning, we're passionate about providing a fantastic student experience. Our welcoming and diverse community is comprised of staff and students from over 100 different countries, so whether you're local or crossing oceans to join us, you'll build lifelong global connections and make memories to last a lifetime.

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### 30. LAWRENCE DAVIS

Marketing and design agency. Their core services include:

Branding & Identity: Brand creation, visual identity, and strategy.

Web Development: UX/UI design, e-commerce solutions, and backend development.

Digital Marketing: SEO, PPC, social media management, and content creation.

Creative Content: Photography, drone videography, and professional podcasting.

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### 31. LEEDS ARTS UNIVERSITY

Leeds Arts University is the only specialist arts university in the north of England, known for our creative courses and strong emphasis on arts education. We are studio-based university with 175+ years of art and design heritage. Students work across Animation, Graphic Design, Fashion, Filmmaking, Fine Art and more, learning in purpose-built spaces with expert technicians and a tight creative community.

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### 32. LIPA

LIPA is a world leading provider of university-level performing and creative arts training. An international community of creatives, performers, technicians, filmmakers and business people who learn by working together on fully realised productions and projects.

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### 33. LIVERPOOL JOHN MOORES UNIVERSITY

LJMU is a vibrant, "student-focused" civic university home to over 25,000 students from 100+ countries. It is widely recognised for its research-driven teaching and strong industry links, consistently achieving high marks for graduate employability.

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### 34. LLS

The LLS course, offered by LLS, the UK's leading provider of Sixth Form sports courses, allows students to pursue their future in sport.

Key aspects include:

Course Types: They offer various programs, including Multi-Sports (available in all locations), Football Performance Programme (Northern Ireland-only), The Rugby Programme (Yorkshire-only), and The Basketball Programme (North Wales but boarding opportunities available).

Locations: Courses are available in over 27 locations across England, Wales, and Northern Ireland.

Focus: Sport-specific courses (football, rugby, basketball) replace practical lessons with team training sessions to develop aspiring athletes technically and tactically in their chosen sport.

Unique Opportunities: Students are guaranteed to receive unique experiences and international opportunities.

The LLS course is designed for students considering a sports course for sixth form, with taster sessions available.

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### 35. LOUGHBOROUGH UNIVERSITY

Loughborough is one of the country's leading universities, with an international reputation for research that matters, excellence in teaching, strong links with industry, and unrivalled achievement in sport and its underpinning academic disciplines.

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### 36. LOVELL

Lovell is a leading housing specialist that delivers high-quality, affordable homes in partnership with local authorities, registered providers and private-sector organisations.



### 37. MANCHESTER METROPOLITAN UNIVERSITY

At Manchester Met, you'll find a student experience as individual as you are. Study on a world-class campus in the heart of a global city, and join one of the UK's largest and most diverse student communities.

Named Modern University of the Year 2026 (Good University Guide 2026), we've been awarded Gold in the Teaching Excellence Framework (TEF), ranked 7th in England for student experience in the National Student Survey 2025, 33rd in the Guardian University Guide and shortlisted for University of the Year (Daily Mail 2026)



### 38. KMF PRECISION SHEET METAL LTD

KMF's UK-based Precision Sheet Metal facility offers 255,000 sq ft of manufacturing space and operates 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

Housing state-of-the-art equipment, our innovative sheet metal fabrication service minimises risk, adds value and ensures efficient supply chain continuity.

Our plant list includes industry leading technology such as Trumpf cutting and folding equipment, Salvagnini panel benders and Gema powder coating plant. We also offer dedicated facilities for stainless steel manufacturing and electro-mechanical integration.

At KMF, we are deeply committed to our Apprenticeship Scheme, which is why we are always looking for innovative ways to keep our three-year program engaging, dynamic, and aligned with the demands of our technology-driven industry.

Annually, we recruit 12-14 apprentices from local schools and colleges. To give you a closer look, we host an open day during National Apprenticeship Week, where you can tour our state-of-the-art facilities and meet with current apprentices, mentors, and trainers.

We know that apprentices are essential in providing the next generation of new technology-led engineering specialists and have brought innovation, increased productivity, and improved staff retention to all departments within KMF.



### 39. NATIONAL PROBATION SERVICE

The National Probation Service (NPS) is a statutory criminal justice agency responsible for supervising individuals on probation and supporting their rehabilitation. It works to protect the public, reduce reoffending, and ensure offenders complete court-ordered sentences safely and effectively. The service delivers risk assessments, manages high-risk offenders in the community, and collaborates with partner agencies to promote rehabilitation and community safety.



### 40. NOTTINGHAM TRENT UNIVERSITY

Nottingham Trent University (NTU) is known for doing things differently, offering a supportive and career-focused learning environment. With strong industry links, high-quality courses and facilities, and a vibrant student community, NTU helps students achieve their ambitions.

With 200+ undergraduate courses, NTU focuses on personalised learning, employability and real-world experience. It's why NTU is number 1 in the UK for employability and has been named University of the Year five times in six years.

NTU empowers students to grow academically and personally, blending excellent teaching with an exciting campus life and countless opportunities to succeed.

## 41. NSCG

NSCG- Pathways include: A-levels, T Levels, BTEC and Apprenticeships.



## 42. ORTHOPTICS UHNM

We diagnose & treat eye conditions in children and adults. Some common problems we treat/investigate are double vision, reduced vision, cranial nerve palsies & other conditions which have related visual symptoms such as Parkinson's, Thyroid Eye Disease & more!



## 43. POTTERIES EDUCATIONAL TRUST SCITT

Established by the Potteries Educational Trust (PET) in Stoke-on-Trent, the PET SCITT (School-Centred Initial Teacher Training) is an accredited provider of school-based teacher education. It is designed to develop the next generation of educators through a hands-on, research-led approach within the Trust's network of primary, secondary, and sixth-form institution.



## 44. ROYAL AIR FORCE (RAF)

The United Kingdom's air and space force, offering a wide range of exciting and meaningful careers both in the air and on the ground. With over 55 different roles available—from engineering, cyber and communications to logistics, medical services and aviation—students can develop world-class skills, gain internationally recognised qualifications, and access exceptional training and progression opportunities. A career in the RAF combines adventure, teamwork and purpose, with the chance to travel, grow professionally, and make a real difference as part of a globally respected organisation.



## 45. RSM UK

RSM is a leading provider of audit, tax and consulting services to the middle market. As an integrated team with 5,420 partners and staff operating from 29 locations across the UK, we have a culture of understanding what it means to deliver value, and to value what we do.

As part of the RSM International network, we have access to more than 65,000 people in 120 countries. Our global presence helps us to meet the needs of clients who are trading and expanding internationally.

We have built a strong, sustainable and dynamic firm, where our people focus on supporting clients by taking the time to truly understand their needs. We provide tailored solutions that help our clients to make decisions about their future, with confidence. Our investment in digital technology and data-driven insights enhances our ability to deliver the rich, interactive experience our clients value. This is the power of being understood.



## 46. SHEFFIELD HALLAM UNIVERSITY

Sheffield Hallam University is one of the UK's largest modern universities, committed to shaping students' futures and creating real-world solutions. With two central Sheffield campuses and around 30,000 students, it offers a safe, affordable and well-connected study environment with state-of-the-art facilities and guaranteed first-year accommodation.

Offering 200+ undergraduate degrees across areas such as business, law, psychology, health and social care, Hallam focuses on practical, career-ready learning through real-world projects and placements. 95% of UK graduates progress into work or further study within 15 months, supported by partnerships with over 1,000 employers, including organisations like the NHS, Rolls-Royce and Disney.



## 47. STAFFORDSHIRE POLICE

Our Recruitment Team will be attending to highlight the various career pathways within the Force, including entry routes, training opportunities and the wide range of roles available. They'll be on hand to answer questions and guide anyone interested in starting a rewarding career in policing.

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## 48. STOKE CITY FOUNDATION

Stoke City Foundation is the official charitable arm of Stoke City Football Club, dedicated to transforming lives and strengthening communities across Stoke-on-Trent and Staffordshire. Formerly known as Stoke City Community Trust, our rebrand reflects a renewed commitment to long-term impact, inclusivity, and innovation in community development.

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## 49. STOKE ON TRENT COLLEGE

Established in 1970, Stoke on Trent College is the leading provider of further education and vocational training in North Staffordshire. The college operates across two main campuses—Cauldon and Burslem—each specialising in distinct career pathways

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## 50. STOKE-ON-TRENT CITY COUNCIL

We provide a range of services to the residents of Stoke-on-Trent as a council and our employees are in a range of jobs and professions including social work; planning; construction trades; civil engineering; business; finance and so on. The council recruits apprentices all year round and also offers work placements to T level students and others.

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## 51. STOKE-ON-TRENT CITY COUNCIL'S REPAIRS & MAINTENANCE SERVICE

Stoke-on-Trent City Council's Repairs and Maintenance Service

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## 52. SWANSEA UNIVERSITY

Swansea University is a research-led university that has been making a difference since 1920. The University community thrives on exploration and discovery, and offers the right balance of excellent teaching and research, matched by an enviable quality of life.

Our stunning waterfront campuses make us a desirable location for students and staff from around the world, and our multicultural community provides a global perspective, enabling those who join us to develop skills and knowledge that set them on successful and enriching careers.

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## 53. THE UNIVERSITY OF SHEFFIELD

Founded in 1905, the University of Sheffield is a world-renowned "red brick" institution and a member of the elite Russell Group. The university is celebrated for combining academic excellence with a top-tier student experience, consistently ranking in the global top 100. Its research is deeply integrated with industry, boasting partnerships with global giants like Boeing, Rolls-Royce, and Siemens

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## 54. UNIVERSITY OF CHESTER

Established in 1839, the University of Chester, based in the heart of a historic city, are a forward-thinking modern university with a focus on delivering a sustainable higher education experience that is adaptable to the world around us. More information is available on our website [www.chester.ac.uk](http://www.chester.ac.uk)

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## 55. UNIVERSITY OF DERBY

The University of Derby is a modern university in the heart of England known for its teaching excellence, industry-focused research, and strong employability focus. It is the only university in Derbyshire, holding a Gold rating in the 2023 Teaching Excellence Framework (TEF) and achieving high rankings for student satisfaction and employability. The university offers a wide range of undergraduate, postgraduate, and online courses, and is committed to creating opportunities for students and staff while serving its local region.

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## 56. UNIVERSITY OF HULL

The University of Hull offers everything students could want: TEF Gold standard, research led teaching; an inclusive, one-campus community; and a famously friendly city that is the most affordable in the UK for students. With a huge range of courses that will help you learn more as well as boost your employability, the University of Hull is helping students achieve the future they want.

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## 57. YMCA NORTH STAFFORDSHIRE

YMCA North Staffordshire houses 165 people at risk of homelessness in Stoke-on-Trent! It also does amazing work in the community for all ages especially 10-16 year olds. YMCA North Staffordshire also works closely with schools and colleges.

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## 58. UNIVERSITY OF LANCASHIRE

Tracing its roots back to the Institution for the Diffusion of Knowledge founded in 1828, the University of Lancashire (formerly the University of Central Lancashire, or UCLan) is one of the UK's largest and most established modern universities. The institution officially rebranded to its current name in 2025 to better reflect its regional significance and global reach. Based primarily in Preston, the university is a major civic anchor for the North West, with additional campuses in Burnley and West Cumbria.

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## 59. UNIVERSITY OF LEEDS

The University of Leeds is one of the UK's largest and most prestigious universities, ranked in the top 100 globally. As a member of the Russell Group, it welcomes nearly 40,000 students from over 140 countries.

Leeds offers an inspiring learning experience led by world-leading academics whose research shapes your studies. Students develop the knowledge, skills and experiences needed for successful, meaningful careers.

Beyond the classroom, you can study abroad, take a work placement, volunteer, or join clubs and societies—building confidence, friendships and new perspectives.

All of this takes place within a diverse, welcoming community in one of the UK's most exciting student cities.

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## 60. UNIVERSITY OF LEICESTER

Based in one of the UK's most multicultural cities, we are proud to be one of the most diverse and inclusive universities. We're ranked as a top 25 UK university (The Times Higher Education World Rankings 2025), hold an overall Gold rating in the Teaching Excellence Framework 2023, and crowned University of the Year (Daily Mail 2025). We're also ranked in the top 20 for employability (Uni Compare Best universities for employability 2025).

Our mission is to provide an education that gives you the skills and experience employers value. Through a student-first approach with hands-on learning, global engagement and real-world experience, our graduates are ready to be Citizens of Change.

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## 61. UNIVERSITY OF NOTTINGHAM

The University of Nottingham is a world top 100 university (97) and top 20 in the UK (17), QS World University Rankings 2026. With campuses in the UK and Asia, we offer exceptional education, an outstanding student experience and world-changing research empowering trailblazer and pioneers to tackle global challenges beyond borders.

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## 62. UNIVERSITY OF READING

University of Reading is a global, research-intensive university with student experience at the heart of what we do. You'll be taught by passionate academics whose teaching is informed by the latest research to offer you an outstanding learning experience. Our degree courses are designed to give you more choice in what you study and how you study it. You'll join an inclusive, welcoming student environment, that actively encourages a strong student voice. Here, you can make a real impact. More importantly, we'll help equip you to make an even greater impact in the world beyond graduation. Our fantastic teaching, research and study facilities are nestled within 130 hectares of stunning parkland.

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## 63. UNIVERSITY OF SALFORD

Located just a mile from Manchester city centre, it is renowned for its industry-focused approach and its unique position as the only university with a campus at MediaCity, sharing a footprint with the BBC and ITV. The university is a powerhouse for employability, heavily integrating professional placements and "real-world" briefs into its curriculum

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## 64. VAST

VAST is a registered charity providing vital services across Stoke-on-Trent and North Staffordshire.

We're passionate about Volunteering and we use that passion to match people with opportunities that are the right fit for them. We know that volunteering is a great way to boost your health and wellbeing whilst making a huge difference in local your community. There's no better time to start your volunteering journey! Volunteering can take many different forms from one-off events and roles you can dip in and out of through to longer and more established placements.

Everything we do helps to create, support, and develop strong, efficient, and resilient voluntary and community groups, enabling them to thrive and flourish, and ultimately, to provide the best services possible to support their communities.

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## 65. VICTIM SUPPORT

Victim Support is an independent charity. We are dedicated to supporting people affected by crime and traumatic incidents in England and Wales, and we put them at the heart of our organisation. Our support and campaigns are informed and shaped by them and their experiences.

We provide specialist services to help people manage after crime and to empower them to ensure their voices are heard individually and collectively at a local and national level.

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## 66. WREXHAM UNIVERSITY

Originally founded in 1887 as the Wrexham School of Science and Art, Wrexham University (formerly Glyndŵr University) is a vibrant, community-focused institution in North Wales. It officially rebranded in 2023 to strengthen its identity as a civic anchor and a driver of regional economic growth.

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## 68. URBAN WILDERNESS CIC

We are an arts organisation based in Longton, Stoke-on-Trent. We collaborate with communities to create events from photowalks and workshops to festivals and carnival, such as the Longton Carnival & Pig Walk Parade which is taking place in April 2026 for the fourth year. We are based in an ex-shop unit in Longton Exchange Shopping Centre, where we run a creative community hub with weekly workshops, artist talks, film screenings and mental health support meetings.

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## 69. SPORTS COACHING GROUP/SPORTSCAPE EDUCATION

Sports Coaching Group provides sports coaching in around 50 schools across the area and includes holiday clubs, specialist sports clubs, PE provision within schools, wraparound care, swimming lessons through our Pools to You scheme. We also run Sportscape Education which provides a range of coaching apprenticeships from sports coach to personal training and we now run an early years apprenticeship course.

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## 70. IN2HEALTH & WELLBEING CIC

In2 is a not-for-profit youth and community organisation dedicated to improving the health, confidence and life chances of young people. We provide safe, inclusive spaces where young people can access sports, fitness, youth clubs, mentoring, cooking and nutrition workshops, leadership programmes and volunteering opportunities. Our work takes place at community venues including The Yard in Meir, where we run open-access youth sessions, holiday programmes and skill-building activities. We are passionate about helping young people develop real-world skills, gain qualifications, build confidence and progress into volunteering, apprenticeships and employment through our "grow your own" leadership pathway. Students engaging with IN2 can expect hands-on experience, meaningful community impact, and the opportunity to contribute to projects that support physical health, mental wellbeing, youth voice and positive futures across the city.

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## 71. ARCADIS

Arcadis is a global consulting firm providing services in Sustainable Design, Engineering, and Advisory services for the built and natural environment, helping clients improve quality of life.

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## 72. BARKERS SECURITY ENGINEERING

With over 45 years of experience, Barkers Security Engineering (previously known as Barkers Fencing) delivers tailored perimeter security solutions designed to protect people, property, and reputation. We've evolved beyond fencing to provide end-to-end security packages for the most demanding environments, including projects for blue-chip companies and global brands.

We offer excellent apprenticeships from Engineering, H&S, Sales and Business. Over 5% of our workforce are apprentices.