

# Introduction To Degree Apprenticeships

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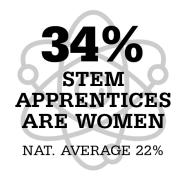


OFSTED **OUTSTANDING** PROVIDER 2022

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92%

ASSESSMENT



APPRENTICES RECOGNISED AT REGIONAL AND NATIONAL AWARDS UNIVERSITY OF THE YEAR MULTICULTURAL APPRENTICESHIP AWARDS 2022 & 2023



600 EMPLOYERS

TOP UNIVERSITY IN THE UK FOR DEGREE APPRENTICESHIPS

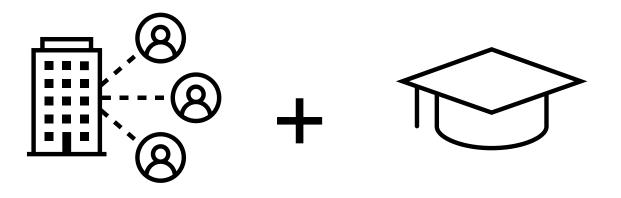
Manchester Metropolitan University RateMyApprenticeship Awards 2019 - 2023

## **LEVELS OF APPRENTICESHIPS**

Level	Apprenticeship Type	Entry Requirements	Qualification Equivalents
Level 6	Degree	University requirements	Bachelor's degree
Level 5	Higher	5 x GCSEs + Level 3 (A Level, BTEC)	Years 1 – 2 of degree Foundation degree
Level 4			HNC, HND
Level 3	Advanced	5 x GCSEs	A Levels BTEC Level 3 Diploma NVQ Level 3
Level 2	Intermediate	2 x GCSEs	GCSE grades 4 – 9 BTEC Level 2 Cert/Dip NVQ Level 2



#### WHAT ARE DEGREE APPRENTICESHIPS?



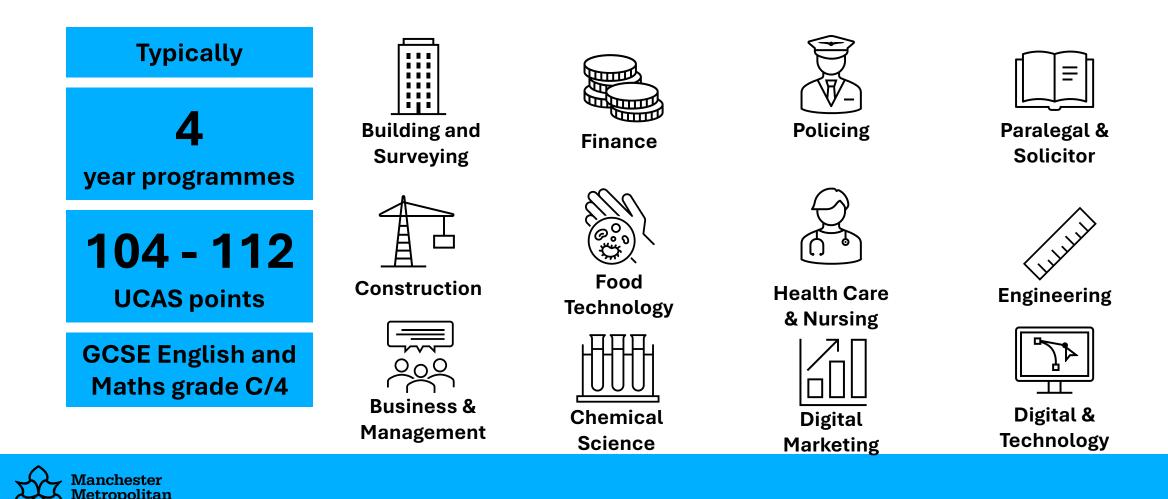
Full-time employment

Full honours degree BA/BSc/BEng



#### WHAT ARE DEGREE APPRENTICESHIPS? COMMON SUBJECT AREAS

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### **BENEFITS OF DEGREE APPRENTICESHIPS**





No tuition fees

A paid salary



Significant

employment

experience



Contextualises			
learning			



Opportunities for fast career progression



## **BENEFITS OF DEGREE APPRENTICESHIPS**



Attend University approximately 30 days per year



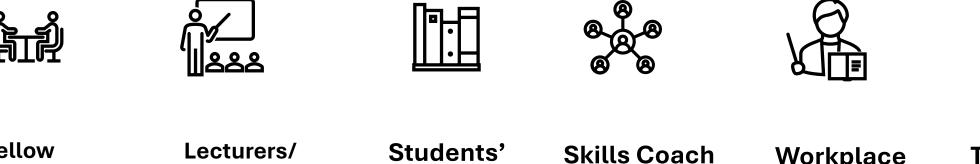
Combination of assignments and work-based projects



Study time allocated by employer during the week



## **SUPPORT FOR APPRENTICES**





Lecturers/ Programme Leaders

Students' Union s Coach

Workplace mentor Transport support



## **OUR COURSES**

**Chartered Manager Creative Digital Design Professional Digital and Technology Solutions Digital Marketing** Digital User Experience (UX) Professional Healthcare Science Practitioner Scientist (Chemical Science) Scientist (Bioscience)

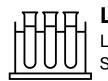




## **OUR PROGRAMMES: CAREER PATHS**



**Chartered Manager** Manager Head of Department Operations Manager



#### Laboratory Scientist Laboratory Manager Scientific Team Leader



#### Digital and Technology Solutions

Software Engineering IT Consultant Data Analyst Cyber Security Analyst



Digital User Experience (UX) Professional

UX Researcher UX Architect UX Analyst



#### Digital Marketing

Digital Marketing Executive Digital Campaign Manager Social Media Manager



#### Creative Digital Design Professional

Creative Director Studio Manager Front-end designer



# EMPLOYERS OFFERING DEGREE APPRENTICESHIPS





## **SEARCHING FOR VACANIES**









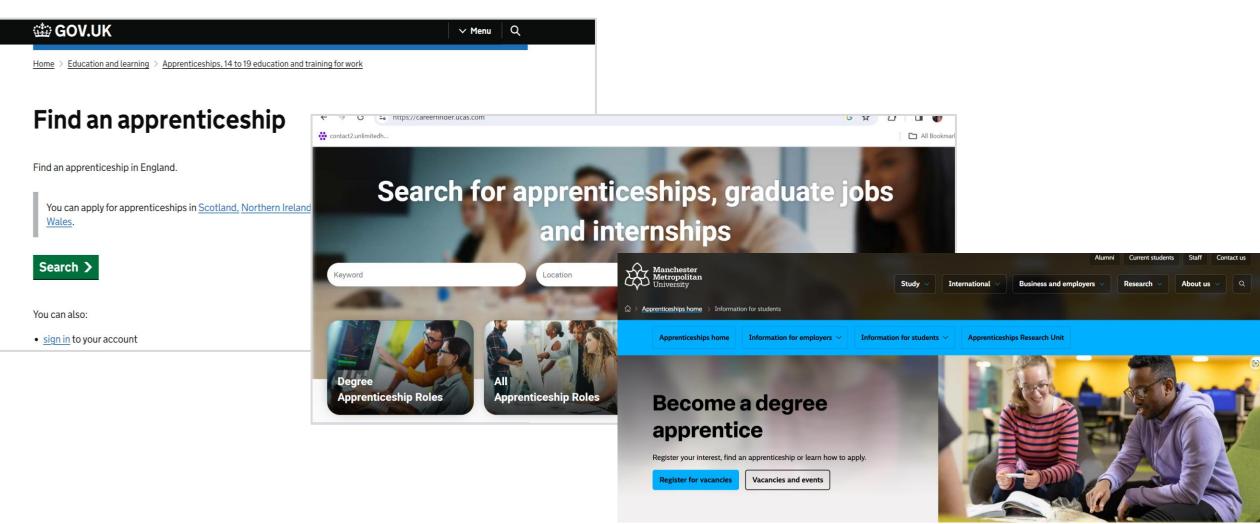








## **SEARCHING FOR VACANIES**





### **Degree Apprenticeship Application Process**



**1. CV/online application** Submitted directly to the employer



**3. Test or in-tray exercise** Not widely used/for more senior roles



**5. Interview** This will probably be online in the current climate







2. Telephone interview Used by employers to filter initial applications





4. Assessment centre Held at the employers offices or sometimes at the University



### Applying for Degree Apprenticeships at Manchester Met



#### **Step 1: Register**

Receive direct alerts by entering your details at mmu.ac.uk/study/apprenticeships



Step 2: Look

Visit our website and employer websites Peak vacancy time: March - June



Step 3: Apply

Processes vary but usually involve a CV and cover letter or online application form. You may also have to attend an assessment centre and/or interview



### Applying for Degree Apprenticeships at Manchester Met



#### **Step 4: Success**

Congratulations! You've got the job. You'll sign a contract with your new employer setting out the terms of the apprenticeship



Step 5: Enrol

Complete your university application and enrol onto your course. This usually takes places a few months before you start



#### Step 6: Begin

Apprenticeships usually start with an induction week, where you'll get an introduction to the course and meet other apprentices





# Find out what you really need to know at an open day

Wednesday 18 June 2025 Saturday 11 October 2025 Saturday 18 October 2025 Saturday 22 November 2025

Book your place and plan your day at mmu.ac.uk/openday





# **Good luck**

If you have any questions at all, you can contact our friendly team.

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