# Work Experience Norlington School 16 – 27 January 2023 Parent/student talk



# Three things!

- Lots of information, so ...
- Own placement to guarantee choice
- 2. <u>Deadline not a target</u> don't leave own placement until the last minute
- 3. Once any placement confirmed ... contact employer!

# What is Work Experience?

- An unpaid opportunity for you to experience working life, whilst you are still at school
- A chance for you to develop and practice new skills and become more confident in your abilities
- A general experience of work, but can be vocational
- May help you refocus on education and form future career choices



## 'Own Placements'

- Placements could be anywhere in the UK
- Employers in some occupations prefer direct approach by students
- Prepare how you dress and what you will say to the employer.....why do you want to work there?
- Prepare an introductory email
- Placements should not be with a direct family member
- Check the journey route, times and the cost
- Be realistic about what work you will do in that job role



#### Own Placement Form



School Name:			School Deadline:		
STUDENT DETAIL:	S				
Name:			Postpode:		
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PLACEMENTS DAT	TES (Che	ck and change if req	ulred)		
Start Date:		End date	1 Week C 2 week blook		
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Address:					
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Telephone number:	Mobile number:				
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Position:	2110000000				
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Student supervisor:	Title	·····	www		
Interviewer:	Title	~~~~	····		
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Policy number:					
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AGREEMENT BY This placement has been signed: Print name:	COMPAN agreed on	behalf of the above named	Date:		

- The employer must have Employer Liability Insurance (ELI)
- All forms must be <u>fully</u> completed with <u>all</u> employer contact details
- Must pass a pre-placement check carried out by an approved person



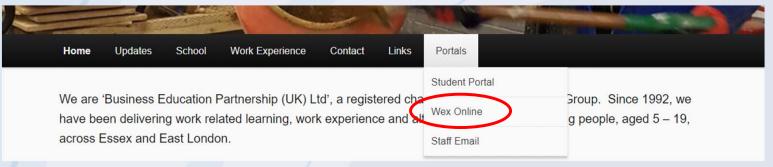
 Forms must be signed and returned to the school by 21 October

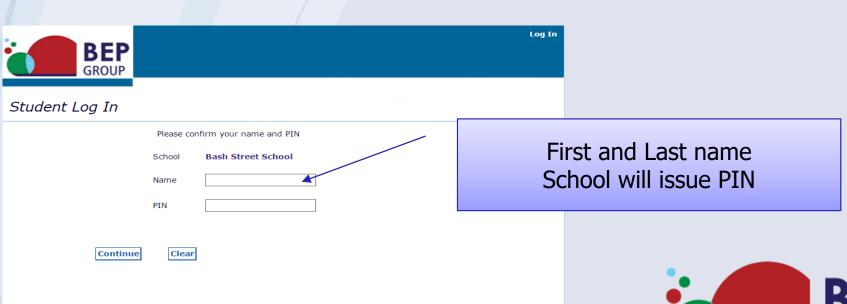


# Webview

(Online Work Experience System)

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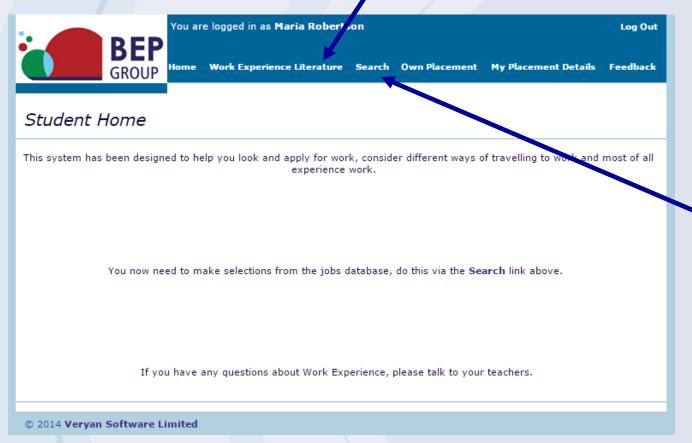






When you have successfully logged in you will be directed to the student home page where you will be able start the process of making selections

There is a student guide to the system available under the 'work experience literature' icon



Click on 'search' to start looking for a placement





You are logged in as Maria Robertson

Filter by job category and location

Log Out



#### Opportunity List

Records 41 to 60 of 146	First	Previous   Ne	ext   Last	
Organisation	Job Title	Postcode	Job No.	Details
Chinese Information and Advice Centre	Admin Assistant	WC2H ONE	25327	View
Chisti and Co Property Services	Estate Agency Administrator	IG1 4TD	35369	View
City YMCA London	Customer Services/Office Assistant	EC1Y 8SE	39073	View
Clarke Hillyer Ltd	Administration Assistant	E4 9HH	38552	
Clegg Gifford and Co Ltd	Clerical Work	RM1 3NH	3284	View
Coffey Brooks Financial Services Ltd	Admin Assistant	CO15 1SP	33798	
Controlled Flame Boilers LTD	Admin Assistant	CO15 4LU	35717	View
Corner House Care	Activities Assistant	CO15 1DB	42707	View
Country Places Lettings	Admin Assistant	CM14 4BY	46271	View
Cranford Property Services	Admin Assistant	RM6 6NL	41990	Viev
Dhillons	Admin Assistant	IG3 8LB	25381	Vi€ w
Drakefield Ltd	Accounts Clerical Assistant	CM13 3XL	31840	V <sub>2</sub> w
E2V Technologies	Admin Assistant	CM1 2QU	46812	View
Eleanor Nursing and Social Care	Admin Assistant	IG2 6RE	20107	View
Essex Nuffield Hospital	Admin Assistant	CM15 8EH	42670	View
Essex Shipping Services Ltd	Admin Assistant	CM14 4SR	27483	View
Express Toughening Ltd	Admin Assistant	IG6 3XE	16556	View
Extrastaff	Admin Assistant	CM20 1EY	42315	View
First Data	General Assistant	SS14 3WF	45465	View
FTS Recruitment Solutions Ltd	Consultants Assistant	RM13 7RB	32893	View

A list of 'available' jobs will appear

By clicking on 'view'
you can see a full job
description for the
placement you are thinking of selecting

Most jobs available on the system will be in administration, retail and education



#### Job Description

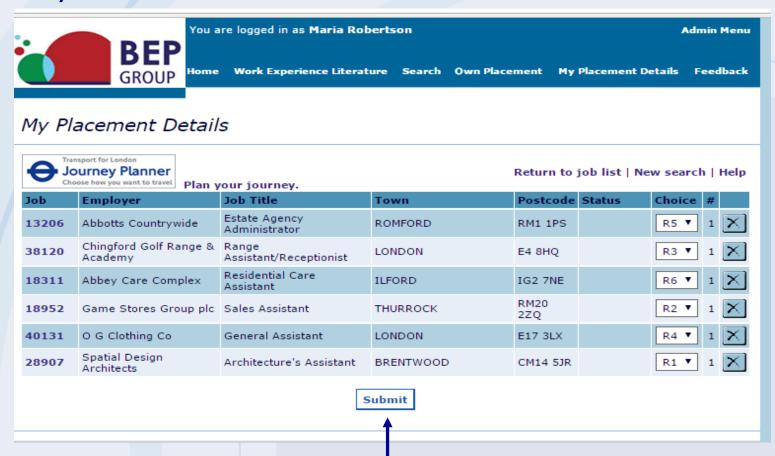
#### Return to job list | New search | Add to selections | Help

Employer	Drakefield Ltd CM13 3XL				
Job Title	Accounts Clerical Assistant				
Job Number	31840				
Classification	Administration, Business and Office Work				
Business	warehouse and distribution				
Skills Gained					
Job Description	Comply with company safety policy, be aware of risk assessments that may apply. Student duties may include: Word processing, photocopying, filing, faxing. Distribution of the incoming post Telephone inquiries Invoicing and ordering. Data input				
Requirements	Students should be confident, with initiative and able to communicate. A good level of literacy and numeracy are essential. Keyboard skills are useful.				
Health and Safety	An induction will be given on first day, which will include Health & Safety.  All electrical equipment used by student such as Photocopier, PC's, Fax, etc. has been electrically safety tested.  Student tasks may involve some light lifting of files and packs of photocopier paper.  Student must adhere to employers Health & Safety polices and procedures.  Regular breaks from computer as required.  At no time will the student be left alone on the premises.  Parents are reminded that students are legally required to take proper care of themselves and others.  It is also an offence to misuse or interfere with anything provided in the interests of Health and Safety.  Students may be required to leave the premises at lunchtime where they will not be supervised. Travel arrangements to and from the placement are the responsibility of the student Instruction, Training and Supervision will be given.				
Hours	9:00 to 4:00pm m Mon to Fri				
Meals	one Hour Minimum lunch break				
Travel	student to arrange				
Clothing	Smart, clean clothes should be worn (shirt and tie) unless told otherwise at interview.				
Interview					
Website					
Address	Unit 60, Horndon Industrial Park, Station Road West Horndon BRENTWOOD CM13 3XL  Transport for London Journey Planner Choose how you want to travel Plan your journey.				
	Click here for a map				

Parent/carer's should also view the selections to check location, hours tasks and health and safety



You will need to make a **minimum** of 3 and up to 6 'live job' selections, put them in choice order and be prepared to go to any one of your choices.



**Submit before 9 December 2022** 



## After allocation

- You may need to reselect, if not allocated a job
- You will receive a job description which includes a risk assessment for the job and a parental consent form
- This needs to be signed by the student and your parent, guardian or carer and returned to school
- All students will be issued with a log book to record their work experience



## **Employer Contact**

- BEP informs the employer of the placement details...employers do sometimes forget!
- On receipt of the parental consent form and job description, you <u>must</u> contact the employer <u>immediately</u> to confirm your attendance.
- Some employers may have to withdraw from accepting the placement, this can be at a late stage
- In many cases, no contact = no work experience!!!



## **During the Placement**

- You will be expected to work business hours. This is anything up to a maximum of 40 hours per week!
- You must contact your employer if you are ill, running late or attending an appointment
- BEP Group will be advised if you do not attend placement and in turn will contact the school to find out where you are
- If you have any issues during your placement you must contact the school



Whilst on placement you will be treated as an employee by the company, you can be dismissed!

Phones
Attitude
Conduct
Timekeeping





## After the Placement

- On completion of Work Experience employers can leave feedback in your log book, have a look!
- You may be asked to complete a school evaluation form to feedback about your placement
- On successful completion of your placement, you will be issued with a certificate
- Some successful placements can lead to employment or more!



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**Any questions?** 

