

# What Next Sussex – Careers Support for Year 10–12 Students

West Sussex, Brighton & Hove Careers Hub continue to offer What Next Sussex, a free online careers resource designed to support young people as they consider their post-16 options.

The platform includes a range of useful videos, along with information from:

- Employers and careers experts
- Colleges, sixth forms and universities
- Training providers and apprenticeship organisations

There are also upcoming online Q&A events, giving students and families the opportunity to hear directly from providers and ask questions about different pathways.

The resources are particularly aimed at Year 10 and Year 11 students, but Year 12 students may also find them helpful as they think ahead and refine their plans. The content is well suited to being explored independently or together with parents and carers, helping to support informed discussions about future choices.

Students are encouraged to make use of these materials to:

- Explore a wide range of post-16 pathways
- Learn more about apprenticeships, training and academic routes
- Build confidence in planning their next steps

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## WHAT NEXT SUSSEX?

Are you thinking about what to do when you finish your GCSEs? Or do you support someone who is thinking through their next steps? What Next Sussex is here to help.



You can search our directory to find information about all of the various places you can study across East Sussex, Brighton and Hove and West Sussex and the qualifications they offer. You can also find Apprenticeship and traineeship information, as well as video guides to help you along your way.

### KNOW WHERE YOU WANT TO GO?

Select one of the settings below

#### Sixth Forms

Sixth form colleges can be stand-alone or can be attached to a secondary school. They are primarily for 16-19 year olds.

#### Further Education Colleges

Offer a range of courses for learners age 16+ and adults.

#### Apprenticeships and Traineeships

Colleges and training providers which offer the training element of apprenticeships (work with training) and traineeships (no

#### SEND

Providers with a dedicated offer for learners who have an EHCP or require SEN support.



# STEM in the Park – Free Family Event in Crawley

STEM in the Park returns to Crawley on Saturday 16 May 2026, bringing a free, family-friendly day celebrating Science, Technology, Engineering and Maths (STEM) to Memorial Gardens, from 11.00am–4.00pm.

Delivered by The STEM Hub, the event features hands-on activities and interactive exhibits from local employers, colleges, universities and professional bodies. Visitors can explore STEM through practical challenges, discover how STEM is used in real workplaces, and learn more about future study and career pathways.

With a wide range of exhibitors, from engineering and aviation to environmental science and technology, the event is ideal for young people and families looking to spark curiosity and explore future opportunities in an engaging, accessible way.

For more information, visit: <https://thestemhub.org.uk/stem-in-the-park>



**DATE:** Saturday 16 May 2026

**TIME:** 11.00am-4.00pm

**VENUE:** Memorial Gardens, College Road, Crawley, West Sussex RH10 1EH