



Bioscience Career Resources for Schools

General

Careers Service	www.nextstep.direct.gov.uk
Future Morph	www.futuremorph.org
UCAS Website	www.ucas.com
University Comparison Website	www.unistats.com

Bioscience Careers

Biochemical Society	www.biochemistry.org
British Nutrition Foundation	www.nutrition.org.uk
Institute of Food Science & Technology	www.foodtechcareers.org
Genetics Society	www.genetics.org.uk
Nutrition Society	www.nutritionociety.org
The Physiological Society	www.understanding-life.org
Royal Microscopical Society	www.rms.org.uk
Royal Society of Chemistry	www.rsc.org
Society for General Microbiology	www.sgm-microbiologycareers.org.uk

Environmental Careers

British Ecological Society	www.britishecologicalsociety.org
British Society for Plant Pathology	www.bspp.org.uk
Environmental Jobs	www.environmentjob.co.uk
Institute of Animal Technology	www.iat.org.uk
Institute of Ecology and Environmental Management	www.ieem.net/advice.asp
Science and Plants for Schools	www.saps.org.uk
Zoological Society of London	www.zsl.org

Medical and Pharmaceutical Careers

Association of British Pharmaceutical Industry (ABPI)	www.careers.abpi.org.uk
British Pharmacological Society	www.careersinpharmacology.org
British Society for Immunology	www.immunology.org
British Toxicology Society	www.thebts.org
Institute of Biomedical Science	www.ibms.org
NHS Careers	www.nhscareers.nhs.uk
Biomedical Science Jobs	www.careerscene.com

Science Communication

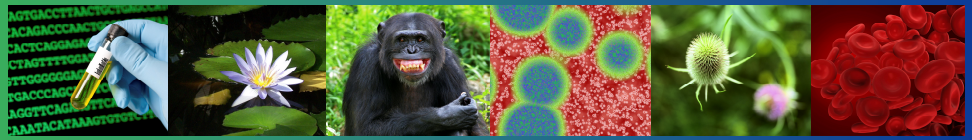
Association of British Science Writers	www.absw.org.uk
British Science Association	www.britishtscienceassociation.org

Teaching

Association of Science Education	www.ase.org.uk
Teacher Training	www.tda.gov.uk

Tips for finding bioscience work experience placements

www.societyofbiology.org/education/careers/placements/gcseandalevelworkexperience



Recognising Young Biologists

The Society of Biology is committed to promoting biology as a subject of choice to students in schools, colleges and universities.

Biology Challenge

An annual competition designed to enable pupils from all types of schools to enjoy taking part and for as many as possible to be rewarded for their participation. The Biology Challenge is open to all pupils in Y9/Y10 in England and Wales, Y10/Y11 in Northern Ireland and S2/S3 in Scotland.

The Biology Challenge encourages pupils in their interest in biology before they make their crucial choice of subjects for further study.

British Biology Olympiad (BBO)

An annual competition for post-16 students designed to reward the best young biologists in the country.

The BBO challenges and stimulates gifted students with an interest in biology to expand and extend their talents. In offering a wider syllabus than A-level, it allows gifted students to demonstrate their knowledge and to be suitably rewarded and publicly recognised by the award of medals, certificates and other prizes.

The BBO provides a means of selecting a team to represent the UK at the International Biology Olympiad. This prestigious international competition attracts some of the top pre-university biology students in the world, with over 50 countries taking part. The UK teams have had considerable success in this competition in the past.

More information on the Biology Challenge and British Biology Olympiad can be found at www.biology-olympiad.org.uk

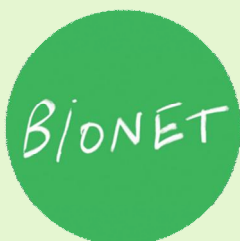
CREST Awards

The Society of Biology supports the National Science and Engineering Competition for 11-18 year olds who have completed a project in biology. For more information on the CREST Awards see <http://regional.thebigbangfair.co.uk/nsec>

The Society of Biology Disciplinary Prize

This prize will be offered to the one team or one individual that has produced the best project in the biological sciences. The winner(s) will receive £500, a certificate and an experience prize.

For more information on the Society of Biology Disciplinary Prize see http://regional.thebigbangfair.co.uk/nsec/past_winners.cfm



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