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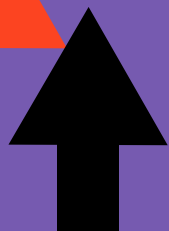


# T-LEVELS

## WEEK

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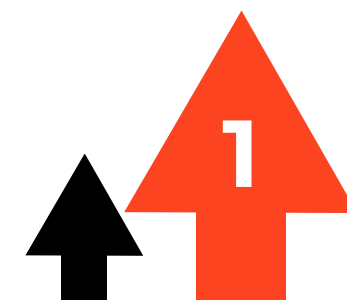
**FREE RESOURCES, IDEAS AND  
SUPPORT TO CELEBRATE  
#TLEVELSWEEK IN  
SCHOOLS AND COLLEGES**



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This guide is designed to provide you with a useful overview of everything you will need to help you celebrate national T Levels Week in your school or college. We hope you find it useful and have a brilliant week!

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# INTRODUCTION

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## What is T Levels Week?

T Levels Week is a national celebration that shines a spotlight on T Levels, the flagship technical qualifications designed with employers to prepare young people for skilled careers. It's an opportunity for schools, colleges, employers and students to come together to showcase the impact of high-quality technical education, share success stories and highlight the benefits of T Levels.

## Key facts about the week:

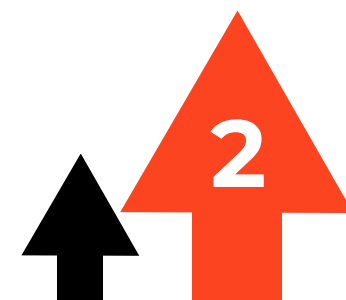
- 2026 will be the fifth annual T Levels Week.
- The first T Levels week in 2022 celebrated the first wave of T Level students to complete their courses, having started in 2020.
- The week runs from 19<sup>th</sup> - 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2026.
- Employers, schools and colleges share and celebrate their T Level students' stories and successes.
- There is a national social media campaign using the hashtag #TLevelsWeek.
- There are daily themes that will be coming soon from the Department for Education.

## Why should schools and colleges get involved?

It's important your students understand the full range of technical options available to them after Year 11, including those that might not be offered at your own school or college. Celebrating T Levels Week and making space to explore these exciting qualifications helps young people (and their families) make confident, informed decisions about their next steps and ensures no one misses out on an opportunity that could be the perfect fit for their skills and ambitions.



*Students at Burnley College celebrating T Levels Week 2025*



# BUILD KNOWLEDGE

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There is a lot to know about T Levels, especially if they aren't delivered in your school or college. These resources will help you and your colleagues to be prepared for conversations about T Levels.



## T Levels Rapid Read

All the key facts about T Levels in a two-page guide suitable for any audience.

[amapps.uk/what-are-t-levels](https://amapps.uk/what-are-t-levels)



## T Levels: A guide for teachers & careers professionals

This guide has been created especially for teachers and careers professionals to provide comprehensive information on T Levels.

[amapps.uk/t-level-teacher-guide](https://amapps.uk/t-level-teacher-guide)



## What is technical education? FAQs

This document, designed to support with answering questions that come up during the delivery of the CEC ATE resources, has a section on T Levels, covering all the key questions.

[amapps.uk/ate-faqs](https://amapps.uk/ate-faqs)

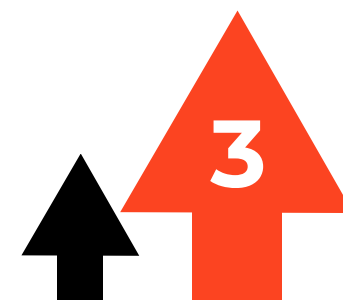


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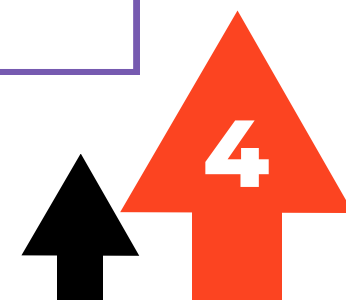
The assembly slide deck and animated film on page 5 could also be used to share T Level information with your colleagues.



# PLAN YOUR WEEK

Each day of T Levels week has a theme, which gives a great structure to the week.

|                  |                                                                                                       |
|------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| <b>MONDAY</b>    | <b>Motivation Monday</b> – showcasing data and the benefits of T Levels                               |
| <b>TUESDAY</b>   | <b>Trailblazers Tuesday</b> – progression from T Levels, spotlighting the various progression options |
| <b>WEDNESDAY</b> | <b>Workplace Wednesday</b> – focussing on employers and industry placements                           |
| <b>THURSDAY</b>  | <b>Thriving Thursday</b> – hearing from students about their T Levels                                 |
| <b>FRIDAY</b>    | <b>Future Friday</b> – T Levels sitting alongside V Levels in the new system                          |



# PLAN YOUR WEEK

There are lots of things you could do, from simply putting up posters and showing display screens through to hosting a T Level event. Here are some ideas:

## Engage students

Share T Level information with students during assemblies and form time. See pages 9 and 10 on sourcing speakers to join you.

## Involve subject leads

Ask subject teachers to share information about the T Levels that link to their subjects and display the subject posters. See page 7.

## Share success

Share the experiences and successes of your T Level students and alumni across your social media channels. See page 12 for more information on this.

## T Level stall

Set up a T Level stall in a corridor or area with high footfall and encourage students to ask questions about T Levels.

## Placement promo

Promote the range of industry placements available and the valuable experience they offer students.

## T Level competition

Run a competition, e.g. designing a poster or social media post advertising T Levels or a T Level game competition. See page 6 for information about the T Level games.

## T Level event

Host an event – this could be an Open Day, breakfast or other celebratory event. Inviting local media, MPs and employers to attend can be a great way to create a buzz.

## Staff showcase

Showcase your T Level teachers, employers or the T Level subjects you offer. This could be in an assembly, using posters, or even creating a short film with interviews.



*Students at Sandwell Colleges celebrating T Levels Week 2025*

# RESOURCES

We have plotted some resources into categories for when you are planning your week, but they are flexible of course - there is no reason you can't send the animated film home to parents and carers, for example. Whatever you're able to do, we've got resources to help you.

## INTRODUCING T LEVELS TO A GROUP



T Levels Assembly slide deck (with script)



T Levels animated explainer film  
(also included in the assembly slide deck but can be used on its own)

## INDEPENDENT ACTIVITIES



Guess the T Level subject (Wordwall)  
Watch the images appear and work out which T Level subject they are.



T Level wordsearch (Wordwall)



T Level true/false (Wordwall)

In this game, T Level facts fly by at speed! Choose 'true' or 'false' to win points!

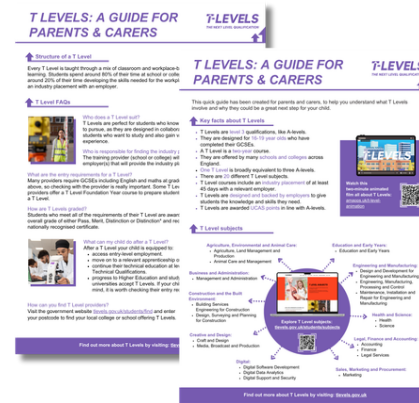


T Level Quiz

Take this short T Levels quiz to challenge yourself and see just how much you know about T Levels!

T Level online games and quizzes

## SEND HOME



T Levels: a guide for parents and carers



See page 9 on how to source T Level ambassadors who could speak after delivering the assembly / you have delivered the assembly to help with PAL compliance.

# DISPLAYS

Displays are a great way to raise awareness of T Levels. They could be used in corridors, classrooms, common rooms or staff rooms. Display screen versions are available in both MP4 and PowerPoint format.



## Did you know? posters and display screens

These 'Did you know?' posters share inspiring facts about T Levels, ready to be used around your school, college or any other setting to help inspire your students and colleagues with interesting and surprising T Level facts.

[amapps.uk/t-level-did-you-know-posters](https://amapps.uk/t-level-did-you-know-posters)



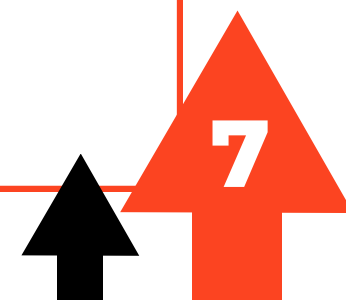
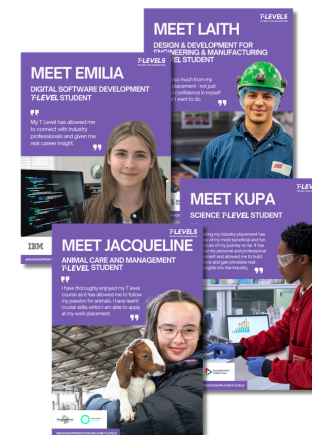
[amapps.uk/t-level-did-you-know-display](https://amapps.uk/t-level-did-you-know-display)



## T Level Subject Poster bundle

These posters shine a spotlight on some of the T Level subjects to consider, from health and digital to engineering and beyond. The collection will continue to grow, with new subject posters coming soon.

[amapps.uk/t-level-subject-posters](https://amapps.uk/t-level-subject-posters)



# EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

There will be events happening in the weeks leading up to T Level Week and throughout the week itself. They are free of charge to attend and cover a variety of topics.

## IN-PERSON AND ONLINE EVENTS

There are online and in-person events you could participate in, or share with students and parents/carers. Find out what national and local employers, schools, colleges and careers organisations are doing by looking at their websites and social media.



## YOUR EVENTS AND ACTIVITIES

If you are running any events or activities that external students and parents or carers could attend, such as a T Level fair, publicise it widely. Contact your Careers Hub to see if they could notify other schools, and don't forget to share it online.

## SHARE YOUR SUCCESS

Share how your events and activities went by creating a case study for Amazing Apprenticeships' Officially Amazing platform.

[amazingapprenticeships.com/share-your-best-practice](https://amazingapprenticeships.com/share-your-best-practice)



# SOURCING SPEAKERS

Hearing from current and former T Level students, and T Level industry placement employers is a brilliant way to engage potential T Level students. Here are some ideas for sourcing inspirational speakers.

## YOUR NETWORKS

- Contact former T Level students if your setting delivers T Levels and invite them to come back to share their story.
- Reach out to your school or college Enterprise Adviser, who may offer T Level industry placements or could signpost you to other local employers who do.
- Reach out to your staff, governor and parent/carer community and ask if they offer T Level industry placements or know any current or former students.
- Ask your current year 12 and 13 students if they have any friends who are T Level students.
- Post your request in local online groups such as Facebook and LinkedIn to see if there are any T Level industry placement employers in the area who would be willing to join you.
- Share on your social media that you are looking for speakers.
- Contact local schools or colleges who offer T Levels and ask if they have any students who might like to speak.
- Contact your local Careers Hub.

## T LEVEL AMBASSADOR NETWORK

T Level Ambassadors use their influence and personal experience to inspire employers and young people to explore the opportunities offered by T Levels and technical education. You can contact them to request an ambassador to visit your school or college, but make sure you get in touch well in advance of when you need them.

There is a regional structure to the network, with three divisions:

### North

(North East, North West, Yorkshire & The Humber)

### Midlands

(East Midlands, West Midlands, East of England)

### South

(South West, South East, Greater London)



Request support from the network by emailing:  
[hello@tlevelambassadors.co.uk](mailto:hello@tlevelambassadors.co.uk)

# PREPARING SPEAKERS

Once you've sourced your speaker(s), preparing them and the students, and building a relationship with them is really important for success on the day and future opportunities.

## PREPARING YOUR SPEAKERS

Once you have secured a speaker, make sure in advance of the session that you have communicated all of the required information about the event and how it will run, including the following:

- ☐ The date, time, duration and location of the session, and if they should arrive early to set up before the students join the session.
- ☐ How many students they will be presenting to, and any additional needs of the group that may need to be considered.
- ☐ Where they can park, if you have reserved parking for them and where they should report to e.g. reception.
- ☐ The name and telephone number of the contact person on the day.
- ☐ To send in advance any slides they want to use and to let you know if they will need sound or internet access for their presentation.
- ☐ Reassure them there will be staff on hand supervising the students and to support with any IT requirements.

## PREPARING YOUR STUDENTS

A simple way to get students ready for a T Level speaker is to give them just enough context to get them interested. Tell them who's coming in, what their T Level or sector is and why it's important they hear from them. Encourage students to think of one question they'd genuinely like answered, link the session to what they're studying now and remind them that speakers value real engagement.

## BUILDING A RELATIONSHIP

If you'd like your speaker to come in again, make sure you ask them if you can keep in touch about future events, then contact them on an appropriately regular basis to thank them again, and keep them updated on future events.

You could also ask them to:

- Attend careers fairs.
- Offer work experience.
- Attend parent/carer career events.
- Feature in careers newsletters.
- Sponsor an event, a student award or experience.
- Put you in touch with other employers.



# SOCIAL MEDIA

There are great organisations you can follow for inspiration, and tag when you share your T Levels Week!

## WHO TO FOLLOW AND TAG



Gov.uk T Levels



Gov.uk DfE



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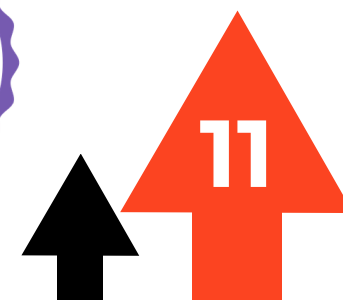
For the week everyone is encouraged to use **#TLevelsWeek**. The Department for Education will be sharing a range of celebratory content on its channels using this hashtag, as will other providers and employers across the country. Please use this hashtag on all social media content you share to help drive interest in T Levels. It is also really helpful if you tag the DfE and also Amazing Apprenticeships, so we can see all the brilliant things you are doing.

## SHARING AND RESHARING

- Do you have a social media manager? If you do, liaise with them on what to share during the week.
- Do you have your own Careers social media accounts? If you do, ask whoever manages your school/college social media to share your posts. If you don't, consider starting one if possible.
- Ask for space in your school / college newsletter to share your events, activities and success!

## WHAT TO SHARE

- Share photos and videos of all your activities during the week.
- Share posts from employers like T Level case studies and information.
- Share the T Level and Amazing Apprenticeships' social media posts.



# SUGGESTED CONTENT

The following suggested template copy is for you to adapt and use in your newsletter, blog or on your website so you can share the successes and progress of your T Level students. Please share this via your channels during T Levels Week.

## NEWSLETTER

Celebrating T Levels students this October!

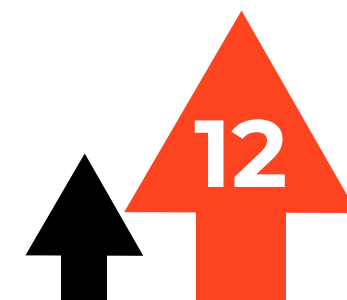
19 – 23 October is T Levels Week, and we're so proud to be marking this moment and celebrating the success of our students. We started offering T Levels in [X insert qualification names X] in [insert year]. We have now expanded our T Level offer to include [insert additional courses available from September 2026 if applicable].

T Levels are two-year courses that young people can take following GCSEs. Broadly equivalent in size to 3 A-levels and accruing UCAS points, T Levels are developed in collaboration with employers to ensure that students will be equipped with the skills they need. They offer a mixture of classroom learning and 'on the job' experience with at least 45 days spent on an industry placement with an employer. With a T Level, students can progress straight on to skilled work, higher study or apprenticeships.

Our T Level students have achieved amazing results. They are moving on to such a wide range of next steps, with some going straight into the workplace and others starting a higher-level apprenticeship or going to university [add examples where possible].

We're looking forward to seeing how they succeed in the future. Join us on social media as we celebrate our students this October, we will be sharing content with the hashtag #TLevelsWeek

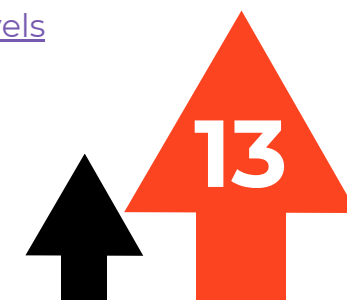
For more information on T Levels [and the T Level Foundation Year], and for advice on applying visit [enter Provider Name relevant URL].



# WHAT TO DO NOW

Here are some things you could do now to get ready for T Levels Week.

- ☐ Book T Levels Week into your school calendar and add in assembly slots during the week, a staff briefing ahead of the week, time with curriculum teams to plan subject-linked activities, and time with form tutors to prep them for any form time activities.
- ☐ Speak to whoever handles social media and comms and ask for their help during the week to share what you're doing.
- ☐ Start to think about what your priority is for the week, e.g. raising awareness of T Levels, engaging employers, celebrating your students.
- ☐ Check out the resources available (see pages 8-9).
- ☐ Start to think about sourcing speakers (see pages 10-11).
- ☐ Catch up on the T Levels Week webinar if you didn't join live. Visit [amazingapprenticeships.com/t-levels](https://amazingapprenticeships.com/t-levels)



# USEFUL LINKS



[tlevels.gov.uk](https://tlevels.gov.uk)

The main T Levels website



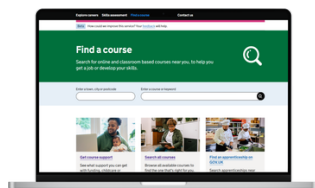
[support.tlevels.gov.uk/hc/en-gb](https://support.tlevels.gov.uk/hc/en-gb)

T Level support for schools and colleges



[amazingapprenticeships.com/t-levels](https://amazingapprenticeships.com/t-levels)

Amazing Apprenticeships' T Level page



[nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/find-a-course](https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/find-a-course)

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