

Where are they now?

Focus on: Eve Wilcox

Eve Wilcox, one of our students who left The Warwick School a couple of years ago to study at Reigate College has now just started a **DEGREE APPRENTICESHIP** in **Business and Management** with the **BBC!**

Eve tells us why she chose to apply to this Degree Apprenticeship...

Why a degree apprenticeship with the BBC?

I was drawn to apprenticeships as I felt ready for the work place and the traditional university route wasn't appealing to me as I feel as if on the job work experience holds more value. This has giving me the opportunity to gain amazing work experience alongside studying for a degree- the best of both worlds. I get to earn an income and my degree is fully paid! Why specifically the BBC, it is an iconic institution and I was instantly drawn in when I saw the apprenticeship advertised.

What does the apprenticeship involve?

My apprenticeship involves 4 days within the workplace. My current placement is within daytime TV. These are 6 months work placements within different departments and this enables me to experience different functions of the BBC. Whilst it is also enough time to fully integrate within the role. I have one day a week dedicated to study. My degree is with the university of Roehampton, however is currently online due to the pandemic.

Where do you want this apprenticeship to lead?

I hope this apprenticeship will lead to a career within the BBC where I can put the skills and knowledge I've learnt to good use.

Where do you see yourself in 5 years time?

My degree apprenticeship is for 3 years. I hope following this I will continue my employment and pursue my career goals in business management. Although it is too early to say in what area yet, I hope to discover what my interests are as my placements progress.

We are very proud of Eve getting onto this amazing apprenticeship scheme! We are looking forward to hearing where it might take her in the future.



