

Engineering

With:

Sergeant Shevonne Bramley
Sergeant Amanda Edwards





WHAT WE DO

The Royal Air Force is engaged today in 15 missions, on 4 continents, in 22 countries.



RESPOND TO THREATS



PREVENT CONFLICT



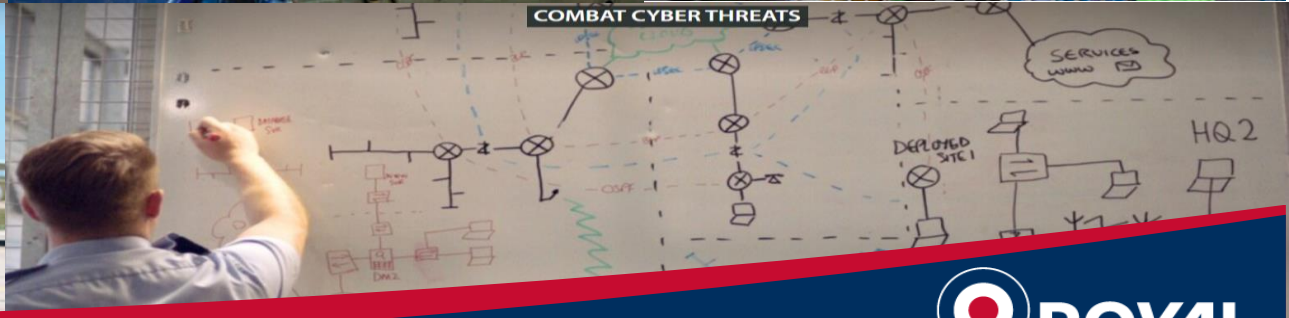
WATCH THE SKIES



DELIVER AID



WORK IN PARTNERSHIP



COMBAT CYBER THREATS

RAF CORE VALUES

respect for others,
self respect

moral courage, honesty,
responsibility, justice

physical courage, loyalty,
commitment, teamwork

personal excellence,
discipline, pride



RESPECT
INTEGRITY
SERVICE
EXCELLENCE

**YOUNG PEOPLE'S
PRECEPTIONS OF JOBS
AND CAREERS**

MOTIVATIONS FOR A CAREER

Thinking generally about your future career, which of the following factors are most and least important to you when considering to apply for a job, or not?



“Good pay, work–life balance, flexibility.”
Wales

“I hate to say it, but pay because you need something that’s going to be able to provide your lifestyle.”
England

“There are jobs out there, yes, but they can be hard to get.”
Wales

YOUNG PEOPLE'S WORRIES ABOUT JOBS

% of 18–25 year olds who say they agree or disagree...

Strongly agree 4 3 2 Strongly disagree Don't know

I worry about being trapped in a job that I don't like



I worry about finding a job that I find interesting



0% 20% 40% 60% 80% 100%

"I literally just know I want to work with people, because I thought I was going to go down the science route and then the thought of just being sat in a lab kills me. I'd hate it. I just know I want to be with people, but I don't know how yet." *England*

"If you go into a workplace and it's just got that miserable way about it, if you can tell the staff just don't enjoy it. [...] it just depends really where you want to work, and the luck you have in getting it." *Scotland*

WHAT PERSONAL QUALITIES ARE THE RAF LOOKING FOR?

- ⦿ Ability to work in a team
- ⦿ Good communication skills
- ⦿ Integrity and honesty
- ⦿ Fitness
- ⦿ Motivation
- ⦿ Smart appearance
- ⦿ Leadership
- ⦿ Self-confidence
- ⦿ Self-respect

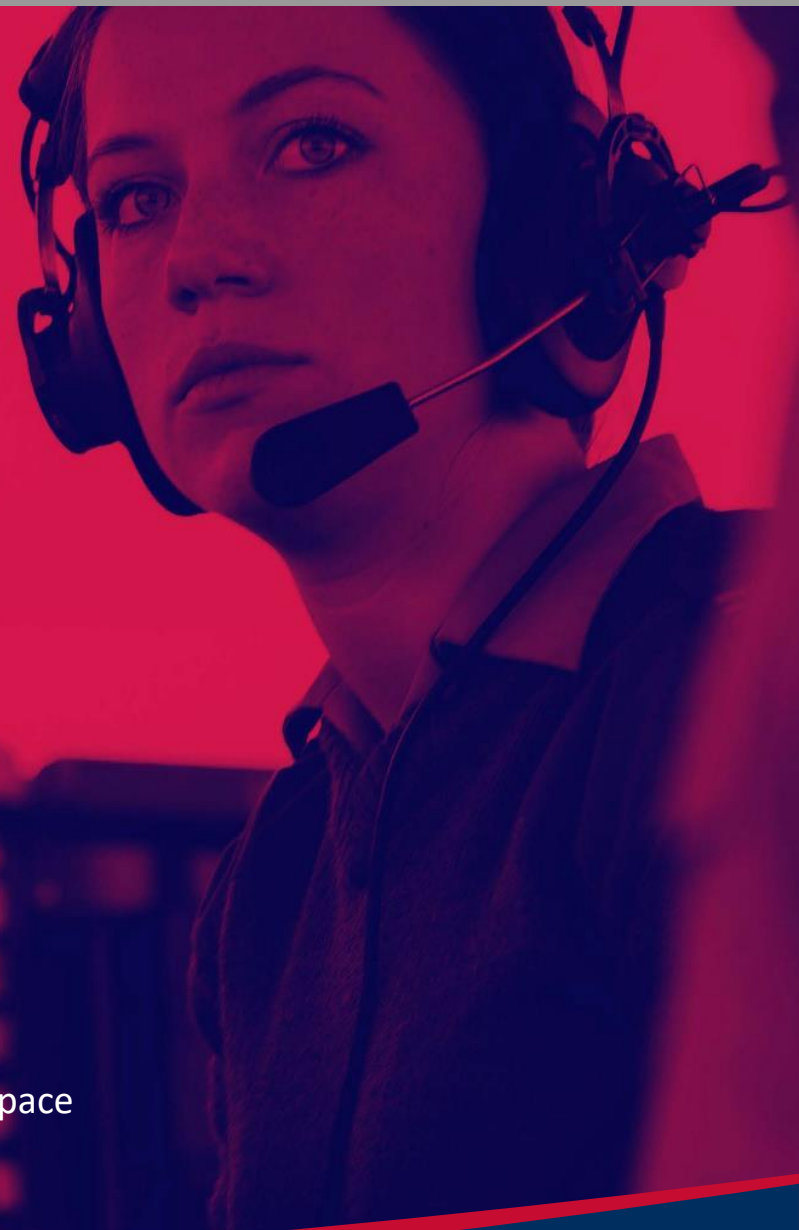


JOBS IN THE RAF

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GROUND TRADE ROLES IN THE RAF

- RAF Medic
- Aircraft Technician (Avionics)
- Aircraft Technician (Mechanics)
- Weapon Technician
- Cyberspace Communications Specialist
- Communication Infrastructure Technician
- Vehicle & Mechanical Equipment Tech
- Electrician
- General Technician Workshops
- Survival Equipment Specialist
- Photographer
- Intelligence Analyst
- Intelligence Analyst (Linguist)
- RAF Regiment Gunner
- RAF Police
- Firefighter
- Supply, Storage & Distribution Specialist
- Mover
- Driver
- Chef
- Air & Ground Steward
- Personnel (Support)
- Physical Training Instructor
- Musician
- Air & Space Operations Specialist (Flight Operations)
- Air & Space Operations Specialist (Aerospace Systems)



- Air Operations (Control) Officer
- Air Operations (Systems) Officer
- Pilot
- Remotely Piloted Aircraft Systems (RPAS) Pilot
- Weapon Systems Officer
- Medical Officer
- Medical Support Officer
- Medical Support Officer (Physiotherapist)
- Dental Officer
- Nursing Officer
- RAF Regiment Officer
- RAF Police Officer
- Logistics Officer
- Personnel Support Officer
- Personnel Training Officer
- Legal Officer
- Engineer Officer (Aerosystems)
- Engineer Officer (Communications & Electronics)
- Intelligence Officer

OFFICER ROLES IN THE RAF

SNCO ROLES IN THE RAF

- Air Operations (Control) Sergeant
- Weapon Systems Operator Sergeant
- Weapon Systems Operator (Linguist) Sergeant



APPRENTICES IN THE RAF



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PLUS BENEFITS
MINIMUM PAY BY THE
END OF YOUR FIRST YEAR

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COMPARED TO £8,112
FOR A CIVILIAN APPRENTICESHIP



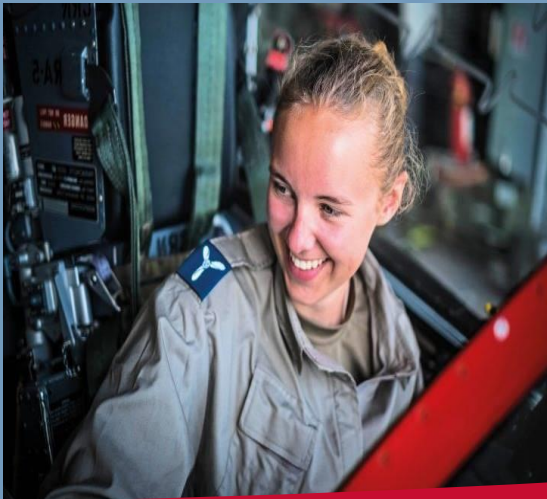
APPRENTICE ROLES

- ⦿ 23 apprenticeship roles
- ⦿ Professional qualification as part of a challenging and unique career
- ⦿ Recognised in the civilian world
- ⦿ Guaranteed job in your chosen field
- ⦿ Outstanding Ofsted Rating
- ⦿ Paid to learn
- ⦿ Transferable skills

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Engineering Roles:

Engineer Officer (Aerosystems)
Engineer Officer (Communications
Electronics)
Aircraft Technician (Avionics)
Aircraft Technician (Mechanical)
Cyberspace Communications Specialist
Communication Infrastructure
Technician
Electrician
General Technician Workshop
Survival Equipment Specialist
Vehicle & Mechanical Equipment
Technician
Weapon Technician
Photographer



Starting Salary: £15,985 - £27,200 (Airman/Officer)

Apprenticeships available for most Airmen roles.

Entry Criteria:

No Qualifications – Specialist Degree



Pride



Welfare & Family Support

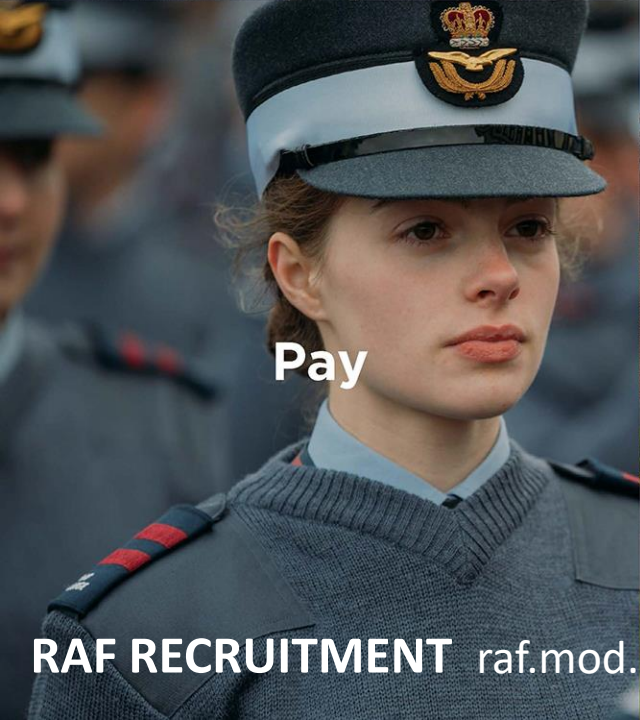


Skills, Training & Education



Sport & Fitness

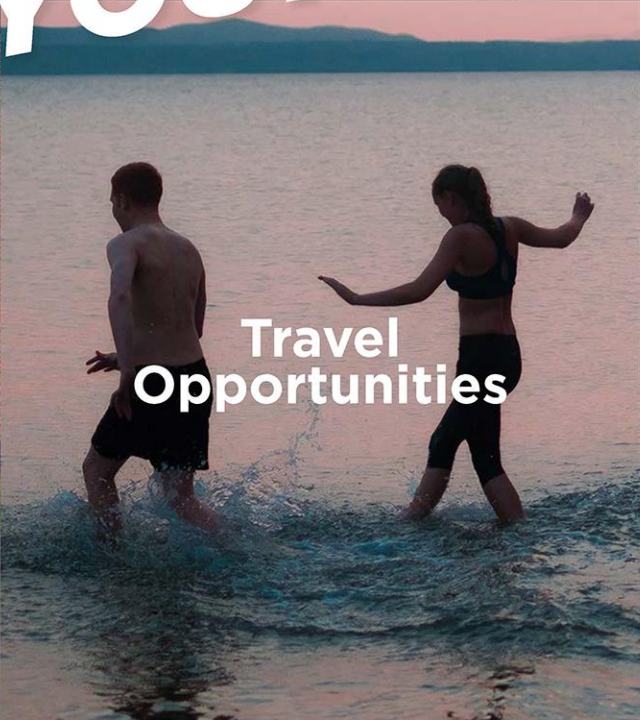
WHAT'S IN IT FOR YOU?



Pay



Living & Accommodation



Travel Opportunities



Adventure Training

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“ Join the Royal Air Force and you will get much more than just a job – you’ll have opportunities that no other employer can hope to match. ”

Engineering

With:

Sergeant Shevonne Bramley
Sergeant Amanda Edwards





Sergeant Amanda Edwards Engineer – Fast Jets

- Born in Salford to a non-military family I was raised in a diverse community but left school with no qualifications.
- Loves – Watching Salford Rugby Team
- Favourite Food – A chippy tea chips and gravy from a proper chippy
- **Sports** - Represented the RAF at volleyball/Boxing Fitness coach
- Qualified Psychotherapist and Hypnotherapist
- Proposed to my boyfriend last Feb – Leap year!
- Appeared on BBC Glastonbury 2020

- Now having served more than 25 years in the Royal Air Force I have trained as a fast jet aircraft engineer, studied for a Business Management Degree and work with veterans as a mental health first aid trainer and therapist.





Sergeant Mandy Edwards Engineer - Fast Jets

I PLEDGE

#CHOOSETOCHALLENGE

That I will make my voice heard and my presence known whenever I experience gender inequality. I will support and encourage all other women to make their voices heard and accept nothing but respect and acceptance of their faith, culture, opinions, and ambition. I will seek to rise above the challenges that lie ahead with grace, integrity, and faith that in doing so I will never stand alone. I make this pledge in the knowledge that 2021 will continue to test my mental resolve and as such I will ensure I do everything I can to protect my health and those of vulnerable women around me.



International
Women's Day



Sgt Shevonne Bramley

Engineering Technician Weapons

- *Joined RAF – 01 May 1990*
- *Family – Married Mother of 2 boys & one girl*
- *Favourite experience – Qualified Bomb Disposal Operator*
- *RAF Best part – Travel and the experiences it brings*
- *Knee-boarding in Cyprus*
- *Sailing in Scotland*
- *Dolphins in Oman*
- *Horse-riding in Italy*
- *Bobsleighbing in Norway & more*
- *Hobbies & Pastimes – trekking, theatre, running, hockey, travelling, spa treatments*
- *Superpower – Wedding Cake Baker*





Sergeant Shevonne Bramley
Engineering Technician Weapons

I PLEDGE

To help women and girls
achieve their ambitions
through Dedication,
Persistence and Self Belief.

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