



# Get inspired!

Visit the region's  
biggest interactive  
careers event



## 2010

Wednesday 17 March

Thursday 18 March

9.30 am – 3 pm

Ricoh Arena, Coventry

Organised by

**prospects**

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**Are you..  
14 - 19?  
or a parent or carer?**

**Free entry and  
free parking**

**Find out more at  
[www.skillswestmidlands.co.uk](http://www.skillswestmidlands.co.uk)**



## FAQs

### Why visit Skills West Midlands

It's the biggest interactive careers and skills event for young people in the region. It's taking place at Ricoh Arena, Coventry on 17 and 18 March from 9.30 until 3pm.

### What can I do there?

You can get hands-on with your future, trying new skills from hairdressing to horseracing, painting to plumbing, climbing to cooking with over 50 exhibitors including Access to Music, Army, Arup, Careers at Sea, City College Birmingham, City College Coventry, Henley College Coventry, Royal Navy & Royal Marines, University of Southampton School of Health Sciences, Warwickshire College and loads more.

There will be interactive features, stunning stage performances, competitions and much more to help you choose the right career or training opportunity.

### What makes it different from other events?

You get to find out about careers, training, enterprise and skills by trying them out and talking to people. You can learn about courses from advertising to zoology, careers from accountant to youth worker, training from apprenticeships to volunteering.

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### Who else can attend?

Anyone aged 14-19 will find it helpful, but you can bring other friends and family along too.

### Tell me more...

Free to visit and you can find out more at [www.skillswestmidlands.co.uk](http://www.skillswestmidlands.co.uk).

#### Emily Giles, Kaplan

**"A great event for face to face contact with students. A fantastic opportunity to raise awareness of the vast options students have post school/college."**

#### Dominic Murray, Student

**"I enjoyed the Army climbing wall and the event was very, very good and extremely informative."**

#### Denise Powell, Handsworth Grange Community Sports College

**"We were very impressed with the event. My sixth form students picked up an awful lot of useful information and the event really helped to clarify for many students what they want to do and has given them contacts to get in touch with."**