

# THIS IS OPPORTUNITY



**George and Rajpreet both joined our Business Intelligence Team in Autumn 2022. They both have different roles; George is a data analyst and Rajpreet is a Data Technician.**

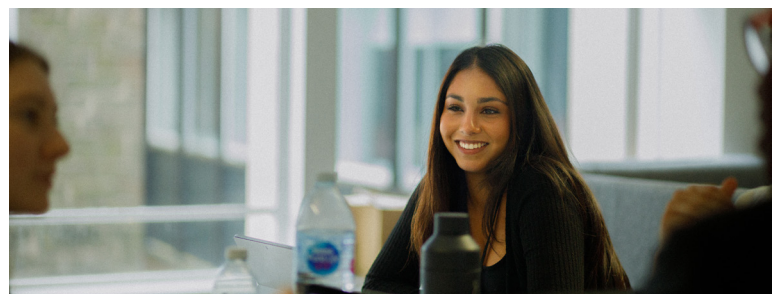
“Being an apprentice data analyst has taught me a lot of specialised skills that I wouldn’t have come across by following a standard educational path. For example, I have used programming languages to build my own automation tools for the wider team’s reports and had an in-depth introduction to a lot of different data visualisation tools so that I can present and analyse my own datasets.” **George**



“The best part of this apprenticeship has been the fact that I am trusted with meaningful projects that genuinely benefit the council, instead of just training work or working on mock datasets. I also enjoy the freedom I am given to do the work, as it gives me the opportunity to learn how to do tasks intuitively, rather than following strict instructions.” **George**

“I felt that an apprenticeship really was the best choice for me, as it allowed me to learn a new career and develop new skills and earn while I did it. I began my apprenticeship journey straight after finishing my A-levels, so the working environment was new to me, but since then I have learnt how to adapt and participate in the workplace. I’ve improved my communication skills by working with customers and others in my team, which has helped with my critical thinking and problem-solving skills.” **Rajpreet**

“Warwickshire County Council has a fantastic community for their apprentices, and they offer support and guidance at every step of the way, often providing new learning opportunities. I wouldn’t hesitate to recommend an apprenticeship with WCC to anyone considering their next steps on leaving school or college.” **Rajpreet**



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