

TRAILBLAZER APPRENTICESHIPS

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TRAILBLAZER APPRENTICESHIPS AN OVERVIEW FOR EMPLOYERS



*Make your business soar
with Trailblazer Apprenticeships*



Whether you're looking to recruit new talent or upskill your team, Trailblazer apprenticeships are an excellent choice to introduce or enhance training and professional development within your business.

We offer a Level 4 Accounting Technician Apprenticeship which includes the ICAEW Certificate in Finance, Accounting and Business (ICAEW CFAB) qualification, and a Level 7 Accountancy Professional Apprenticeship, which sets students well on their way to chartered accountant status. These are available to all employers, whether you're paying the apprenticeship government levy or not.

WHY OFFER AN ICAEW TRAILBLAZER APPRENTICESHIP?

- A great opportunity for you to attract and invest in talent - and make the most of your levy funding
- Graduates, non-graduates and existing employees are eligible
- Free recruitment support - get access to our network of schools, colleges and universities
- High-quality training and industry-leading pass rates
- Enables your staff to gain a professional qualification and work towards chartered accountancy status

WHAT DO ICAEW TRAILBLAZER APPRENTICESHIPS LOOK LIKE?

Level 4 - Accounting Technician Apprenticeship

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Level 7 - Accountancy Professional Apprenticeship

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How the funding works

The funding cap for Level 4 is £9,000 and for Level 7 it is £21,000. This is the amount that is available to you to spend on the training and assessment of your apprenticeship programme.

If you're not paying the levy, the government will fund 90% of each apprenticeship you offer. For Level 4 that would be £8,100, while for Level 7 it would be £18,900.

The funding available to you will cover the costs for the end-point assessment, the training and the learning materials. For the training, you can choose which training provider you want to deliver your apprenticeship and come to an agreement with them as to how much you will spend on a tuition bundle.

The registration and annual fee, along with the on-programme exams or re-sits are not eligible for funding.

You will find a detailed overview of funding and fees on our website.

Our Business Development team are on hand to help you decide what your options are and how you can set up an apprenticeship with us. Here's how it works:

- 1) Assess your business needs.
- 2) Contact our Business Development team (details below).
- 3) Become an Authorised Training Employer.
- 4) Select a Tuition Provider.
- 5) Recruit an apprentice OR transfer existing employees onto an apprenticeship.

Our team will help you every step of the way and demonstrate how to make the most of the funding available to you.

To find out more or to recruit an apprentice, contact us or visit our website.

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Next steps