

During the school closure, your child could complete a series of engaging activities on our careers platform designed to inspire and inform them about their future.

In addition to their academic studies, it's so important that students are continually encouraged to think about what career opportunities are out there, how to get there and what they'll need to prepare themselves for the journey.

These activities will help. They include videos, quizzes and reflective learning on:

- Selling yourself - the importance of a personal brand
- Learning from the jobs people in their family have done
- Understanding the importance of technology and how it's changing the workplace

New activities will keep being added, so please encourage your child to work through the tasks and check back on the site regularly.

### Home Learning Activities

This is a series of activities to help you to continue your career learning at home. They'll help you to focus on what's important when thinking about your future and include online and offline activities covering topics such as:

- Selling yourself - the importance of a personal brand
- Learning from the jobs people in your family have done
- Understanding the importance of technology and how it's changing the workplace

Create yourself a plan to work through all of the activities. New activities will keep being added, so check back on the site regularly.

You'll need to login with your **Start** account to do the activities.

**Let's Get Started!**

**Step 1:** Go to [www.startprofile.com/homelearning](http://www.startprofile.com/homelearning)

Click the link above and you'll be taken to the Home Learning Activities landing page.

**Step 2:** Choose an Activity

We suggest working through the activities in order. When you're ready, simply click '**Start Activity**'. You'll need to login or register. If you don't complete the activity there and then, that's fine. Just come back later and click '**Resume Activity**'.

**Step 3:** Complete an Activity

When you complete an activity, you have two options. Either follow the on-screen instructions to go and explore other areas of Start, or begin the next activity.

**And finally**, you can always find your next activity in the 'My Activities' box at the top of your Profile page.

**Some other useful sites for great activities:**

<https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/careers>

**Good luck!**