

ARE YOU

COLLEGE READY?

What is Aviation?

Within the Aviation Industry it's not just about being a pilot, there are a wide range of jobs you can do within the industry, whether it be a dispatcher, air traffic controller or airfield operations personnel to name a few.



Research to help you with your course



Watch **Heathrow: Britain's Busiest Airport Series 5 Episode 1** on either ITV Hub or YouTube and answer the following questions. This programme will give you an insight of working at an airport.



HEATHROW: BRITAIN'S BUSIEST AIRPORT

1. How many passengers do Heathrow deal with in a year?
2. What do Passenger Experience Managers do?
3. What is the biggest passenger plane?
4. Where do aircraft park?
5. What does the Senior Airfield Officer do?
6. Why do Heathrow catalogue any wildlife around the airfield?
7. How much coverage of the airport do armed police cover when they are on patrol?
8. What does RVP mean?
9. What is the role of the police in an emergency situation?
10. What does departure mean?
11. What is the compensation a passenger would receive for being "bumped off" an overbooked flight?

College Ready Tasks



TASK 1

Research a range of jobs roles within Aviation, such as Air Traffic Controller, Dispatch, Airfield Operations and Ramp agent.



TASK 2

Create a marketing poster providing information on 2 job roles that could be used on an airport website. Think about entry qualifications, what hours you would work and what skills you would need.



TASK 3

Use the following websites - Heathrow's busiest airport there are lots of episodes you could watch for information.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=0sHKwMsEqNI&t=498s>
<https://www.londoncityairport.com/corporate/careers>
<https://www.liverpoolairport.com/careers/follow-your-path>
<https://careers.ba.com>
<https://www.nats.aero/careers/trainee-air-traffic-controllers/>

Good luck with your tasks, enjoy your Summer and I look forward to welcoming you to Trafford College in September. If you have any questions please contact me on lisa.cartwright@tcf.ac.uk.

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