



Real Gap Experience

www.realgap.co.uk

Paid and voluntary.

Conservation, teaching .

Snowskool

www.snowskool.co.uk

Ski and snowboard instructor courses

Volunteer Vacations

www.volunteervacations.co.uk

Sports and teaching in Africa and India

Year in Industry

www.yini.org.uk

Paid employment in the UK in engineering, IT, business, finance, logistics

Other resources:

www.mindthegapyear.com — deals with insurance and safety issues.

www.yearoutgroup.org and www.gapyear.com

These are umbrella organisations with lots of information on planning your gap year.

Books are available in the Careers Dept and on loan from the library such as 'Your Gap Year' by Susan Griffith.



▶ Planning Your Gap Year

There are many organisations that provide gap year projects, lasting from a number of months to just a few weeks.

Projects include conservation work, teaching, sports coaching, law, journalism, medical and care work, community and building projects.

This is a list of just some of the organisations.

Gap placement providers

Africa & Asia Venture

www.aventure.co.uk

Gap and 'mini ventures' in Asia, South America and Africa

BUNAC

www.bunac.org

Work, teach or volunteer abroad

CESA—Languages Abroad

www.cesalanguages.com

Language-based summer schools, gap courses and work experience.

Changing Worlds

www.changingworlds.co.uk

Medical, sports, journalism, teaching, skiing, conservation, law placements—voluntary and paid.

Frontier

www.frontier.ac.uk

Conservation, teaching, medical

Gap Sports

www.sportingopportunities.com

Sports coaching placements

Greenforce

www.greenforce.org

Conservation-related projects eg marine, animal rehab, pandas, Amazon.

Lattitude

www.lattitude.org.uk

Community work, teaching, medical, environment, outdoor instruction

The Leap

www.theleap.co.uk

Gap and summer conservation and community projects

Madventurer

www.madventurer.com

Construction, teaching, orphanage, sports, languages

Oyster Worldwide

www.oysterworldwide.com

Voluntary and paid positions, conservation, teaching, sports, medical

Peak Leaders

www.peakleaders.com

Ski, snowboard, mountain bike and surfing

Projects Abroad

www.projects-abroad.co.uk

Gap and summer placements. Teaching, care, medical, sport, law, journalism

Project Trust

www.projecttrust.org.uk

Journalism, care, teaching

Quest Overseas

www.questoverseas.com

Placements in South America and Africa

