

# Wadebridge School Former Students



**Sam McCune**  
**Class of 2010**  
**I.T. Engineer**

**Further Education** Wadebridge 6th Form - ICT, Photography & Business Studies

Higher Apprenticeship with ICT Southwest

**Sam says...**

*I planned to go to University after 6th form but when the tuition fees rose I changed my mind and went into an Apprenticeship instead. It was the best decision I made with regard to my career! I applied to multiple companies across Cornwall and after a few weeks got offered a place at ICT Southwest in Penryn. It has been fantastic getting paid while getting industry experience and I highly recommend it!*

**...if you want something**

*The skills I gained at 6th form in ICT were really useful in getting my Apprenticeship place. I am now qualified but am still studying, at present to become a Microsoft Certified Server Administrator & Certified Solutions Associate. When I qualify I will then be promoted to Manager of ICT Southwest's support team, responsible for the team who ensure the quality of support to the business clients.*

*Once I decided I wanted an Apprenticeship I searched for ICT companies in Cornwall on the Internet and wrote to just about every I.T. company in Cornwall! I sent a letter and my C.V. and after a few weeks I had loads of responses. ICT Southwest offered me an interview and that's where I ended up. If you want something enough you have to go after it!*