



**Dan Hart
Shoot-Edit/ Apprentice at the BBC**

Dan Hart, a former Dream Placement student, found his foot into the media industry after a week with the Whitehaven Harbour Commissioners in 2022. Currently working as a Videographer/Photographer at the BBC, Dan attributes much of his success to the exposure and skills gained from Dream Placement.

"I originally took part in 2022's Dream Placement, helping run a forum for the Whitehaven Harbour Commissioners where I got my first real taste of media experience running a small campaign trying to promote a public forum they were hosting the following week."

Since Dream Placement, Dan kindly volunteered as a speaker for the 2024 programme, sharing insights with students, and also filmed/photographed the 2024 Showcase Event.

"I was asked to return as a speaker for 2024's Dream placement where I gave a talk to the cohort about my journey and how they could best capitalise on the opportunity such as using LinkedIn."

Dan has also volunteered to film/photograph the 2024 Showcase Event.

"I shot and edited a montage, took some photos and interviewed a few of the guests. It has led to other schools and organisations reaching out to me so I could speak to young people about my journey post 6th Form and what advice I would offer to the next generation."

"Dream placement gave me the initial experience that led to me getting a job at the BBC, which I believe I would not have got without that experience to back up my passion for the media industry."

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