

About this job

Job type:	Full-time - Permanent	Location:	Cambridge/Newcastle/Remote
Experience level:	Graduate, Junior	Industry:	Software, Education
Role:	Junior Test Analyst	Company size:	35 – 50 people
Salary:	Competitive, based on qualifications and experience	Company type:	Private

We use cloud-based technologies to deliver Web and Mobile solutions that support school-level education.

As a Junior Test Analyst, you will contribute to the complete software lifecycle, including:

- Designing, running, and maintaining test plans and test data based on requirements and workflows.
- Functional & Non-functional testing on enhancements and bug fixes.
- Executing regression testing against Service Release and Patch Release software.
- Log all bugs arising during testing and ensure these are forwarded to the appropriate Development team for resolution
- Review the requirement document and understand the scope of testing and provide inputs to Test lead for preparation of test plan based on realistic targets
- Using appropriate test tools to automate and to track progress in testing.
- Reviewing requirements and estimating user stories
- Serving as an advocate for software quality in both production and test development.
- Working in product and delivery Agile scrum teams.

Requirements

- An academic OR professional background within a technical or educational field
 - You have good GCSEs (or equiv.) in English and Maths
- You are a confident and concise communicator who isn't afraid to challenge a decision and express your professional opinions
- You have a desire to collaborate and innovate with our internal teams (both technical and non-technical) and with our schools
- You are hands on, passionate and creative. You get things done. You are a doer.
- You are computer literate and confident working with modern systems
- You are web literate familiar with modern web browsers and are aware of basic web technologies
- You are logical, thorough and detail orientated
- You are proficient at working with data
- You have good time management skills, can prioritise tasks, and work to deadlines
- You are a team player with a positive mindset

Pluses:

- You have worked in education and are familiar with school data, practices, and processes
- You have worked in a data analysis role or similar
- You have worked in a technical support role or similar
- You have a Degree in Computing, Maths, Science or Engineering
- You have achieved a certification in software testing
- You have a basic understanding of testing principles, practices, and processes
- You have some familiarity with test plans and test cases
- You are familiar with Software Development or Software Testing methodologies

Technologies:

We work primarily with C#, ASP.NET Core and Framework, HTML 5, CSS (Bootstrap), JavaScript and MS SQL. Our platform runs on Azure using technologies like MS SQL, Docker, Kubernetes, Redis, Mongo DB and Rabbit MQ.

We develop and test using the latest tools and are currently using Azure DevOps (Test Plans), Visual Studio and GIT.

About Hyperspheric

We want to be known for the difference we make in people's lives. For schools, we're pioneering a more efficient and holistic approach to gathering, summarising and sharing student information. For our staff: we help everyone achieve their potential as individuals and as team members.

Since work is a huge part of your life, we want it to be interesting (new technologies, subject matter, and challenges) and fun (company outings, team socials, hackathons, etc.). We keep up with the latest technologies, tools, and tricks of the trade – we're always refining our approach, and everyone has a seat at the table.

Benefits

- Competitive salary
- Flexible hours
- Transparent career development pathway
- Relaxed working environment
- Cycle-to-work scheme
- Continued Professional Development, including Pluralsight for testers
- Interest-free loans for public transport season tickets
- Free on-site parking in Cambridge
- Auto-enrolment pension scheme