

Welcome to the Spring 2018 edition of the Careers Network Newsletter for North East Lincolnshire. We've got lots of information about the Careers and Enterprise Company, Youth Action, Curriculum for Life, careers information and resources plus news and events.

Careers strategy: making the most of everyone's skills and talents

In December 2017 the Government released the long-awaited Careers Strategy, setting out what careers Information, advice and guidance will look like in the future.

All secondary and further education providers will require a careers lead who will be supported by the Careers and Enterprise Company to strive to achieve the 8 Gatsby Benchmarks, as one of the first changes.



Schools and colleges will also be required to make their careers

provision more transparent to young people and parents.

Over the coming months more information will be released as to how this will look and feel, and the Department for Education will embed the new framework by 2020, with The Careers and Enterprise Company operating as the backbone organisation coordinating efforts across these benchmarks.

There is a crucial role for employers, including self-employed entrepreneurs, building on the Industrial Strategy released at the end of November.

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Skills Fair 2018

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Thursday 12th July
Grimsby Auditorium, Cromwell Road



This year will see the return of the annual Skills Fair - the popular careers and skills exhibition for Year 10 students, held at Grimsby Auditorium.

The Skills Fair will be held on Thursday 12 July 2018.

Careers Network Resources



Following the success of the 1st Careers Network meeting for North East Lincs Careers Co-ordinators at CATCH in October, a Careers Network resource section has been created within the Curriculum for Life area on the Lincs2 website, where you can find resources from the meetings, newsletters and other careers related information - **check it out now.**

THE CAREERS & ENTERPRISE COMPANY

UPDATE

A range of businesses are now working in partnership with providers of secondary education and colleges across North East Lincolnshire as Enterprise Advisers.

The Enterprise Advisers from our local businesses are supporting schools and colleges to build careers plans, whilst informing students about their own sectors to ensure local young people have an understanding of the local labour market opportunities, and acquire more employability skills.

The businesses involved locally include:

- Eon
- MHI Vestas
- Orsted
- Siemens
- Forrester Boyd
- Synthomer
- Duke of Edinburgh
- Engie
- Santander
- Paradigm Shift Management

Other businesses are in the pipeline and waiting to be matched to schools.

The Careers and Enterprise Company has been working as part of North East Lincolnshire Council's Skills team, supported by the Humber Local Enterprise Partnership since January 2017, and will continue to build on the successes already gained in partnering schools with businesses, and 'joining the dots' between support partners, employers and education.

There is some really exciting work being done, and I would welcome you contacting me to see how you can 'Make a Difference'.

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North East Lincolnshire jobs and careers maps

Following the success of the large scale map of career opportunities in North East Lincolnshire, the first sector specific map is now being developed for the Health and Care sector, available in January.



YOUTH ACTION Update



The **Youth Parliament** representatives for our area have been working hard to find out what young people in North East Lincolnshire think is most important through the Make Your Mark consultation.

The top issues were:

- Transport
- Mental health
- Work experience

We will be working on improving these issues locally over the coming year.

Nationally the top 5 issues were debated by members of Youth Parliament in the House of Commons and the national campaigns that were selected for the coming year are:

- Votes for 16 and 17 year olds
- A curriculum to prepare young people for life (check out the Lincs2 Curriculum for Life section)

The **Youth Action** group and Young Reporters have already been working on the Mental Health topic. Recently a series of **5 short films** have been released which were developed involving young people in all aspects from planning to acting and filming.

They have already received positive feedback and are to be used in **B_EAT** eating disorder awareness training and Mental Health First Aid training locally. Rotherham is showing them as part of a conference tackling body image in the new year and we are going to be sending them to some of the national charities who are campaigning on the same topics.

The films aim to:

- Raise awareness
- Challenge stigma
- Promote young people's understanding of what help and support is there for them to access



Young Reporters have been writing columns published in the Grimsby

Telegraph on the subject and one of our young people has engaged his school in a pilot of training young people as mental health first aiders. We aim to share this idea and learning from it to encourage other schools and colleges to take a similar approach to supporting their students mental health. It has been very successful so far with over 60 students applying for 14 places. Training has taken place and the school are just putting the process in place for students to access support from their peers. This work was a finalist in a national awards ceremony recently for innovation; although it didn't get the top spot it has raised the profile nationally already.

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Quality in Careers Standard

The Humber Local Enterprise Partnership (LEP) is the first Local Enterprise Partnership in the country to become a Licensed Awarding Body for the Quality in Careers Standard.

One of only twelve national holders, the Humber LEP is the only Local Enterprise Partnership out of 38 to have been awarded this status, after submitting an extremely strong application to the Quality and Careers Standard Consortium.

As a result of this licensing award, the 21 schools, colleges and training organisations that have met the LEP's Gold Standard have also received praise and are validated at national level.

This puts the Humber region in a position of real advantage, as the LEP and its partners look to address the skills issues in our area. Stephen Savage, Chair of the Humber LEP Employment and Skills Board said:

"This licence is credit to the work that we have achieved thus far, working with our partners and the education providers in the Humber region.

"Those providers who have achieved our Humber Gold Standard should be very proud of all their hard work.

"We are pleased that our submission to the Quality and Careers Standard Consortium was well received and we realise that this licence gives the Humber LEP and the region another strong asset to showcase."



Careers Network Meeting

DIARY DATE
28
FEBRUARY

The next Careers Networking Meeting is to be held at Centre 4 on Wootton Road, Grimsby on Wednesday 28 February 2018 from 10.00am.

The meeting will incorporate the i-care careers event with speakers from a range of Health and Social Care employers including the NHS and Navigo.

There will be time following the meeting to visit the marketplace event, with 36 stands from a range of Health and Social Care employers including a dementia area, sensory bus, ambulance, and lots of information to take back with you.

National Careers Week 2018

DIARY DATE
5-9
MARCH

This year's National Careers Week will be held on Monday 5 to Friday 9 March 2018.

More information can be found at <http://nationalcareersweek.com/>.

Check out the website for lots of free resources or contact National Careers Week Ambassador Jenny Vincent.

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Future of Food Careers Event

DIARY DATE
22
FEBRUARY

The Future of Food Careers event is to be held from 10am to 4pm on Thursday 22 February 2018 at the Grimsby Institute, Nuns Corner, Grimsby.

Varied exhibitor stands showcase the food industry and the wide range of career opportunities including demonstrations and talks.

Tickets can be booked via **Eventbrite**.

50 minute LMI lesson plans

Careers Yorkshire and Humber have developed a series of lesson plans providing sector specific LMI information for use in the classroom. To check out the resources, see careersyandh.co.uk.

Curriculum for Life

Check out the Curriculum for Life section within the lincs2 portal www.lincs2.co.uk for teaching resources across all age groups for:

- Mental Health
- Healthy lifestyles
- Financial planning
- Political awareness
- Relationships



The 'Featured Resource' changes regularly and is currently www.kooth.com the local free, safe and anonymous online counselling site for young people.

New resources: Act for Youth Counter terrorism classroom resources

Counter Terrorism Policing (CTP) have collaborated with specialists to take terrorism safety advice into the UK's classrooms and youth organisations.

Security experts from CTP have created an animated core film designed to teach young people how to react if caught up in a gun or knife terror attack. The film aimed at 11 to 16 year olds also shows them what to do if they see suspicious behaviour or come across a suspicious item.

Once young people understand the RUN, HIDE, TELL advice they can progress to TREAT, which has been

created in conjunction with St. John's Ambulance. This age-appropriate First Aid guidance has been specifically designed to allow a teacher or youth leader to show young people how to deliver trauma first aid to an injured person or themselves whilst HIDING and waiting to be rescued by the police.

This Act for Youth resource can be found in the Curriculum for Life Equality section in KS3/KS4.

Year 10/11 Open Events this term

13 January 2018	Riseholme College Open Event	10.00am - 1.00pm
13 January 2018	Bishop Burton College Open Event	10.00am - 1.00pm
18 January 2018	HETA Engineering Open Event at CATCH	5.00pm and 6.00pm
3 February 2018	Bishop Burton College Open Event	10.00am - 1.00pm
6 February 2018	Grimsby Institute & Career6 Open Event	5.30pm - 7.30pm
8 February 2018	Tollbar Academy Sixth Form Open Evening	6.30pm - 8.30pm
24 February 2018	Franklin College Open Morning	9.30am - 12.00pm
25 April 2018	Grimsby Institute & Career6 Open Event	5.30pm - 7.30pm
28 April 2018	Franklin College Open Morning	9.30am - 12.00pm

Check out www.lincs2.co.uk under 19 for the latest events and news items

i-care Careers Event for the Health and Care sector

The i-care Careers event will be held on Wednesday 28 February 2018 at Centre4, Wootton Road, in Grimsby.

The event will offer people a chance to meet and network with local health and care providers in North East Lincolnshire.

Times are below:

- 9.00am to 12.00pm for jobseekers and higher education students
- 1.00pm to 3.00pm for academies/schools

Stop Press... Stop Press

○ Careers in the Food Industry Video

New video produced by the Greater Lincolnshire LEP

○ Women into Manufacturing and Engineering Careers Fair

9th and 10th March 2018, Guildhall Hull

Employability what

A young person's guide to employability skills and standing out from the crowd

- Teamwork
- Self-management
- Business and customer awareness
- Application of IT
- Application of numeracy
- Communication and literacy
- Problem solving

For more information email ann.newlove@paradigmshiftmanagement.co.uk

Employability What?

A young person's guide to employability skills and standing out from the crowd

Special Offer
FREE DELIVERY on
bulk orders placed in
the Humber during
December 2017 and
January 2018



Young people ARE employable. The problem is that they often simply don't realise it.

Aimed at students ready to head out into work experience or the world of employment, 'Employability What?' will guide a young person through the seven key employability skills as identified by the CBI, why they are important in employment and how to develop them.

'Employability What?' allows users to be made throughout and also looks at tools to help young people get into the roles they want including advice on writing CVs and interview tips to help them feel prepared.

Cover price: £5.99
Bulk price*: £3.39

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