



Work and Study Training Programme

*Flexible work experience
Tailored 1-2-1 mentoring*

PACE Works is part of a leading social enterprise and an innovator in individual attitude development, community projects and social action, the New Meaning Foundation. We offer everyone who trains with us the opportunity to achieve their potential through our charitable aims and values.

We are committed to achieving improved outcomes with young people aged 16 – 19, or up-to 24 years if you have an EHCP and the Work & Study Programme approach gives us this opportunity to enable individuals to achieve meaningful outcomes in their lives and their communities.

This innovative programme allows learners to build their readiness for employment through flexible choice of local work placements, 1-2-1 weekly coaching, and the freedom to work towards English, Maths and ICT qualifications.

For many young people a school or college-based learning environment is not their first choice or a preferred option. We offer an alternative bespoke and flexible tutorial approach in the workplace, or locally. You can design a combination of supported workplace-based training, patient coaching and one-to-one mentoring to help you progress at your own pace and to develop the work skills to gain employment and positive personal outcomes.

Each young person will be interviewed prior to starting to ensure we help them design the right programme of study for them. For example: full time or part time, depending on their circumstances and abilities.

Successful candidates will have an induction to the programme, to include an initial assessment for their Functional Skills (Maths and English).

If you wish to refer a student to the programme or if you would like to know more please contact:

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Helping you confidently earn your own living

**SUPPORT
FINDING LOCAL
WORK
PLACEMENTS &
WITH ENGLISH,
MATHS & ICT**

1:1 support
with your
studies at
your work
placement



PACE Mentors help you to reach your goals

**We offer training,
coaching &
mentoring to help
you progress**

**We offer you an interview to make
sure our course will benefit you.**

Is this right for you?

HERE IS WHAT SOME OF OUR PAST STUDENTS HAVE SAID AT ONE OF OUR TRAINING CENTRES ...

I left school with no qualification and the Work and Study programme helped me get the maths and English I needed to get onto a College course.

I was NEET and not sure what to do next – the ToolShed Work and Study programme really helped me improve my qualifications and I am in full-time work

I was a school refuser because of my anxiety – the ToolShed Work and Study programme help me to strengthen my confidence to leave the house and get my English and maths qualifications



This is a Free Course for 16 to 19 year olds

Come and meet us to see if it is right for you!

We are a social enterprise charity that specialises in helping young people who struggled in a secondary school setting to strengthen their personal confidence and motivation to earn their own living - discovering the personal employment pathway that can enable them to do so.



Work and Study

Work Placements you want
Employability Skills
Functional Skills

One-to-one mentor support
Work experience you choose

The **Work and Study** programme has been available in Buckinghamshire and Hertfordshire for the last two years and we have so far supported more than 100 young people (15 to 19) through:

- Work placements - up to 3 days per week
- Employment qualifications (including British Values)
- Functional Skills qualifications (English, Maths and ICT)
- Pro-Active Life Skills (Attitude) personal development

We are now taking referrals for our first programme in your area; which will start early September 2020. Please contact us to discuss referring any young people you think might benefit from a flexible and personal centered approach or how the programme works.

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