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DG Employability Skills Framework

Research with local employers, training providers and young people suggested the top employability skills important to employers. These findings, reflected in the top 10 employability skills developed by STEMNET and the CBI endorsed Employability Framework form our DG Employability Framework.



Our customised DG Employability award provides an SQA qualification which accredits these skills. The importance of work experience is reflected in assessment criteria designed by employers. Key skills must be demonstrated in the workplace to achieve the award.

SQA Units

Before work placement:	In the workplace:
Preparing for Employment (First Steps)	Work Placement
Building own Employability Skills	Communication
Responsibilities of Employment	Numeracy
Principles of Money	Information and Communication Technology

Contact us if:

- you are an employer who would like to support the award
- you would like to sign up for the award.



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