

If you are aged 16-24 and not in education, employment or training – here are useful and fully interactive co to get you the support you need.

> Don't know where to start? Click to <u>e-mail</u> or click here to ask for support: youngpersonsguarantee.scot/



Opportunities finder:

opportunities.youngpersonsguarantee.scot/search/customise

The National Young Person's Guarantee website is a national resource for young people, employers and partners. There is a young person's hub that connects you to your local area, as well as an opportunities finder that has a searchable D&G focused database. You can find out what jobs, apprenticeships, courses and volunteering opportunities are available in your area.

Young Person's Free Bus Travel Scheme

5-21 year olds living in Scotland can apply to access free bus travel from 31 January 2022. The Transport Scotland website provides all the information you need to apply. transport.gov.scot/







This site is for individuals of all ages, parents, carers, key workers and support agencies like Skills Development Scotland (SDS) to find local training courses and support services, allowing you to make a referral or application directly through our site

What does employability support mean?

Programmes or Services that will give you a routine, help you build your confidence, and support you to find work.

Skills Development Scotland

Skills Development Scotland (SDS)

If you're not sure what you want to do next, our qualified Careers Advisers are available in all schools and our Dumfries and Stranraer Centres. They can help you explore your options using career information, advice, and guidance. We can also provide practical assistance and advice on the routes into your preferred career including jobs, apprenticeships, training, and learning.



Employability and Skills Service (ESS)

Dedicated key worker support and funding to access training and qualifications if you need additional help to get into work or plan

your next steps... T: 01387 260060



Developing the Young Work force (DMW)

Keep up to date with information about local opportunities to help you make informed and ambitious choices about your next steps.



Housing Options

Need help or advice around your Housing Options? Visit our Enhanced Housing Options Portal via the following link: dandghousingoptions.org.uk/

Threatened with homelessness or currently homeless? We can help and advise - Telephone 030 33 33 3000 or contact us via email: contact@dumgal.gov.uk

If you find yourself homeless outside office hours or at the weekend, please contact our Emergency Out of Hours Service for advice and assistance on 01387 273660



Lifelong Learning

Had a difficult time in formal education? Feel that you have failed because you have left school with no qualifications? You can learn after you leave school - we deliver accredited and non-accredited core life skills in literacy, numeracy, digital, communication, confidence.



Dumfries and Galloway College

Get advice on full-time and part-time courses, Foundation Apprenticeships, Modern Apprenticeships and Prince's Trust at Dumfries and Galloway College. We have campuses in Dumfries and Stranraer.



Please click here www.dumgal.ac.uk or contact The Admissions Team for further details: admissionemail@dumgal.ac.uk





DÉG CAS Employment Rights & Advice Service

Do you have any employment questions?

Employees, workers and small business employers, we're here to help you uphold your Employment Rights at work with advice and practical support.

Championing better working lives across the region. Tel: 0300 303 4321 or email: info@dagcas.org







Better Lives Partnership

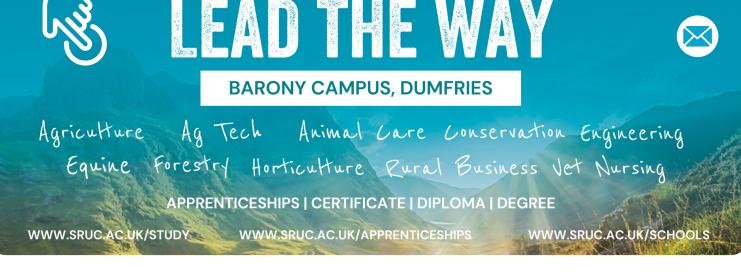
Autistic and need support? Better Lives Partnership, Bridge to Employment Project offers a structured programme of training in your area of interest and expertise with work-related skills to prepare you for employment, further f education or self-employment.





SCOTLAND'S RURAL COLLEGE





Let's Get Employed

For mentoring, training, living advice, support for driving and moving on, get involved in our Let's Get Employed programmes. T: 07838 909524

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The Usual Place

Do you have additional support needs? Work in a friendly supportive team in a real workplace in Dumfries, building confidence and offering training opportunities in the hospitality sector. Drop in and talk about the opportunities.



Project Scotland (Volunteering Matters)

Need support? We offer support tailored to the individual including action planning, goal setting, barrier removal, vocational activity \succ and employability support.



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Loreburn Housing

Live in DG8 and DG9 postcode areas? We offer 1-2-1 or group sessions to develop your skills and qualifications to enter work or education and towards the career you aspire to. T: 01776 233101

Growing Rural Talent

Interested in a career in the land based sector? Various funded programmes exist to help you into this sector including pre apprenticeships, employability programmes and apprenticeships. Request support as part of the Young Person's Guarantee.

THIRD SECTOR

Third Sector DG

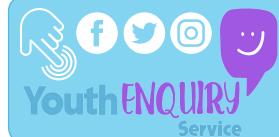
Volunteering could lead to gaining experience and skills which will help you when applying for work or to add to further education applications. We can help you find suitable volunteering opportunities and provide information on Saltire awards.

Youth Work Dumfries & Galloway \mathbf{R} \circ)



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Youth groups for young people aged 12-25 to develop your confidence and skills for life. Groups and projects in the community, in school and online based on your interests and skills.



Youth Enguiry Service (MES)

Part of the wider Youth Work Service in D&G for group work and 1-2-1 support for young people aged 12-25. A 7 day per week blether chat online with useful information.

Department for Work and Pensions (DWP)

Help to understand benefits you are entitled to and what is available to fit your circumstances or those within your household. T: 0800 328 5644

Mental health

Department

for Work &

Pensions

Are you struggling?

Contact: NHS's Child and Adolescent Mental Health Services (CAMHS) for young people and parents.



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Region wide support - Young Persons' Guarantee

Not in education, training or employment? This is a funded programme of learning and activities personal to you, helping develop skills you need to access further training, education or employment opportunities. It qualifies you for ongoing Education Maintenance Allowance (EMA) if eligible and you continue to meet the terms of your agreement.

Employer Recruitment Incentive (ERI)

No work experience? Are you struggling to get a work placement or get started with work? A D&G training allowance may be available to you to encourage an employer to help you gain confidence, skills and knowledge while in a paid position within a local business.



Young **Dumfries** & Galloway Person's Together is Better Guarantee

Supports all 16-24 year olds to find an opportunity such as a job, apprenticeship, further or higher education, training programme or volunteering. You can also search for opportunities and find details of wider support at youngpersonsguarantee.scot.