

# Stockton Riverside College

- One to one support with bespoke advice and guidance. including financial assistance
- Access to a full portfolio of provision across Stockton Riverside College, Bede College and NETA sites including CSCS, construction, welding, catering, care and much more
- Flexible course start dates throughout the year

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# Youth Direction (ages 16 - 19)

- A dedicated support worker who will provide targeted one to one support including advice and guidance to support people towards work, training and education
- Developing interview skills, CV's, support in applying for traineeships and apprenticeships, work and education courses.
- Support towards making a benefits claim and housing applications
- Support to pay for training, interview clothes, travel, childcare and equipment

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This leaflet provides information on YEI providers within Stockton-on-Tees. Other YEI providers are available across the Tees Valley.

For more information about the best pathway and routeway for your client you can access a free, online tool at [www.stockton.gov.uk/yei](http://www.stockton.gov.uk/yei)



# Youth Employment Initiative (YEI)



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Big plans, bright future

The Tees Valley Pathways and Routeways programmes form part of the Youth Employment Initiative (YEI) and aims to support young people across the Tees Valley aged 15-29 who are unemployed and/or not in education, employment or training until the end of July 2018. There are a number YEI providers within Stockton-on Tees and this guide is here to help you navigate the best option for your client.

## Centrepont

- We can provide a personalised programme to help people to find the right job
- Help by developing skills and confidence, making links with companies who are looking for new recruits to join their teams
- An exciting programme of activities including visits to local employers and enterprise challenges
- Access to online careers support and other resources to help clients prepare for the world of work

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## Community Campus '87

- Construction related training and work experience
- Voluntary sector support work related training and work experience
- Apprenticeship opportunities
- One to one support with job searches, universal job match and applications; and weekly jobs lunch club

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## Five Lamps

- An experienced mentor will work closely with clients to move them into employment, self employment and identify training courses
- Provide essential tools and equipment to prepare clients for self employment
- Provide financial assistance with employment related costs such as interview clothes

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## Groundwork North East

- Our Youth Team work across Tees Valley and provide support to progress people into employment, education and training
- One to one support and an exciting set of activities which will provide new skills and valuable experience
- A Pathway Programme provides the opportunity to gain a qualification while receiving practical experience within sectors such as Horticulture, Youth Work, Marketing, Manufacturing and Business Admin
- Enterprise Camp Programme which provides the opportunity to explore and expand entrepreneurial skills by participating in our exciting outward bound residential
- Groundwork North East has a number of Apprenticeship opportunities available across the Tees Valley

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## Learning and Skills (ages 20 - 29)

- A dedicated support worker who will provide targeted one to one support
- Sector and industry specific training leading to apprenticeships and work
- Developing interview skills, completing applications, support with benefits and housing
- Support to pay for training, interview clothes, travel, childcare and equipment

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## Safe in Tees Valley

- A number of specialised programmes to improve skills and routes into employment and education
- The development of digital skills and social media skills including web design
- A sports leadership programme with additional opportunities in volunteering and work experience
- Inspirational activities and qualifications with employment and enterprise opportunities for young women

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