

About our services for employers

Introduction

We provide information, advice, guidance and support services across Portsmouth to 13,000 young people between the ages of 13 to 19. We also work with young people with learning difficulties and disabilities up to the age of 25. Connexions services are delivered by Portsmouth City Council's Integrated Youth Support Service.

Our Youth Advisers provide support with choices in education, training and employment, as well as health, relationships, money and housing. Youth Advisers are based in schools, colleges and Connexions Centres.

How we can help you?

We support employers and training organisations to recruit staff, trainees and students. We are ideally placed to link young people in Portsmouth looking for employment to employers, locally, regionally and nationally.

All our services to employers are free of charge.

We offer:

- knowledge of the local area;
- appreciation of the needs of local employers and employer organisations;
- awareness of the needs of young people;
- an opportunity to discuss your company's requirements and agree vacancy details;
- a fast and efficient service for recruiting young employees;
- facilities to hold interviews;
- a database to match suitable applicants to your vacancies;
- advertising for your vacancies in local Connexions and Youth Centres;
- regular contact with you until the recruitment process is finalised;
- information on changes in education and training, including new qualifications; and
- advice on employment, legislation, labour-market trends and funded training for young people.

If you would like further information on our employer services, please contact your local centre and speak to a member of the team or email connexions@portsmouthcc.gov.uk

