

Futures Advice, Skills and Employment

Inspire-Local-Transform-Together

We are a leading not for profit provider of jobs and skills advice, training and apprenticeships. We can support your students with their preparation for the world of work by inspiring them to think creatively about their career aspirations.

What we offer

We provide a range of services:

- Careers advice and guidance to young people.
- The National Careers Service Inspiration programme.
- An employment brokerage service and apprenticeships.
- Outcome tracking for customers within our sector.
- Careers programmes through our quality award.
- A team of specialists who provide up to date information about the jobs market.
- Work experience and employability skills training for young people.
- Accredited qualifications, CPD courses and bespoke training.

www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/schoolsportal

“ Thank you for coming into school to talk to us about the Employability provision we offer our students. Our discussions were thought provoking and inspiring and I now have a clear idea of what we need to put in place. Thank you for providing me with some fresh ideas and I will be working on finalising our strategy with clear outcomes in the next few weeks. ”

Fiona Farmer, Career Manager
Toot Hill School

Our pledge

We inspire people of all ages to achieve their potential and, in so doing, help reduce unemployment and support economic growth.

Benefits to your school

Our focus is on providing high quality services that make a difference to people's lives. We will help you to support your students to make the right choices about their future. To find out more visit

www.futuresadvice.co.uk/schools-and-colleges

“ I just wanted to say how useful our first meeting was that an external organisation could see how well we were supporting students with CEIAG and provided us with useful information about various resources and contacts relating to employability. Employer engagement and LMI is an area we would like to improve on and the listed suggestions are particular useful and we will aim to try and implement these in our careers curriculum. ”

Tim Taylor, Aspirations, Careers & Employability Coordinator
Murray Park School



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The National Careers Service, Careers Inspiration

Across Nottinghamshire, the National Careers service delivers a free independent and impartial service called Careers Inspiration. The purpose of Careers Inspiration is to provide information and guidance to schools to make them aware of the range of services that are available to them to inspire young people in making career decisions and preparing them for the world of work.

Modern careers guidance is now as much about inspiration and aspiration as it is about advice. Sustained and varied contacts with employer networks, FE colleges, higher education institutions, mentors, coaches and alumni can motivate pupils to think beyond their immediate experiences and



encourage them to consider a broader and more ambitious range of future education and career options.

We are keen to work with your school to complement activities you currently offer to help your students by brokering relationships with and between schools, colleges, local communities and employers to help young people benefit from first-hand experience of work and the opportunities available in the local labour market. We can provide access to a range of services including:

- **Labour market information including news on events and local opportunities**
We have a series of publications and services aimed at schools with a focus on future demand for jobs and skills
- **Help to access careers service providers**
We can offer you independent and impartial help with setting up alumni, accessing careers advice, inspirational websites and work-based skills support.

“ Sincere thanks for the feedback and action planning framework. Thank you so much for your focus and hard work on our school and for the electronic copy of the materials which we will be working on to integrate into our new tutorial activities programme from September. ”

Mike Kurylec, Assistant Headteacher
Col. Frank Seely School

“ Tremendous - thanks for your input on the day and your follow up - we are very excited about the potential developments in school and value your contributions. This will now be worked on in school - no doubt we will be in touch! ”

Martyn Cooper, Headteacher
Belper School

- **Links with employers**
We can support you to access local employers who are committed to engaging with schools and young people to help prepare them for the world of work.
- **Newsletters**
Receive our newsletter for current national and regional information on what is happening within the Careers Inspiration agenda and to share best practice.
- **Resources and lesson plans**
A variety of high quality lesson plans to support your careers and employability delivery within school including those that cover labour market information, CV writing and evaluation.



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