

THE SUPPORTED INTERNSHIP JOURNEY

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Working in partnership:



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Enrolment

Congratulations! You've been accepted on to the Portsmouth Supported Internship Programme.

Responsibilities

Students prepare to combine classroom studies with real world work experience.

Changes

This programme is the last step on the Education pathway and will end with the ceasing of an EHCP.

Matching

Finding a placement that harnesses an individuals skills and interests.

Internal

Placements that are hosted within Portsmouth City Council.

External

Placements hosted by Portsmouth City Council's business partners.

Classroom Sessions

High Quality Teaching, delivered by City of Portsmouth College, in the Base Room of Portsmouth City Council.

Functional Skills

A focused session, looking at improving Maths and English Functional Skills.

Employability

A bespoke learning qualification, focusing on employability skills for the workplace.

Placements

Long term work trials, with the aim of developing the individual into a potential employee.

Structured

Learners attend placements 3 days a week, for 30 weeks.

Supported

Learners are supported in the placement by Professional Job Coaches provided by Minstead Trust.

Employment

At the end of the placements, Job Coaches work with the learners and the employers to create paid roles for interns.

Employment

For the majority of learners, they move into paid employment with their host employer.

Next Steps

For those seeking a different challenge, their job coaches work with them to secure paid employment elsewhere.