

SEND Enterprise Programme Invitation



“Our programme is changing lives, lifting aspirations and inspiring our workforce.”



Our goal is simple: ***‘To employ or place as many Special Needs (SEND) young people as possible into employment or supported internships’.***

Come to one of our two events to find out more

All interested employers, partners or future partners are encouraged to attend one of our ‘partner events’ at **G Live**, London Road, Guildford, Surrey, GU1 2AA on **7th December 2015 and 12th January 2016, 14.30-16.30.**

To confirm your place, please email: eva.webb@surreycc.gov.uk

Our SEND Enterprise Programme:

Surrey County Council wishes to support as many young people as possible into employment. We believe that every young person with SEND should be supported to achieve positive outcomes as part of their preparation for adulthood. We want to dramatically increase employment opportunities for young people with SEND, aged 16-24, and are seeking organisations and employers to help us achieve this goal.

We have created a programme and £50,000 fund to support our goal

This programme is designed to support our current and future partners/employers to develop opportunities or enterprises that provide employment or ‘Supported Internships’ for young people with Special Educational Needs or Disabilities (SEND).

EMPLOYERS

Supporting local employers to find a place for young people with special needs within their business.

Developing and securing paid employment opportunities tailored to your business need.

Creating 12 month supported internship opportunities for young people within existing businesses locally.

PARTNERS

Supporting partners to offer ‘supported internships’ within their organisation/business.

Working with our partners and suppliers to offer Special Needs young people employment or supported internships.

GRANTS

To develop new enterprise opportunities to support special needs young people into work or supported internships.

A grants programme to enable local stakeholders, businesses and partners to create enterprises to employ young people.

Access to SCC consultancy, guidance and assets to support the development of employment or supported internships for young people with Special Needs.

CSR

Supporting businesses in Surrey develop CSR sponsored placements for young people with Special Needs

Business take their CSR very seriously. Creating placements or employment opportunities for young people with Special Needs is one way of delivering an effective CSR package.

CSR budgets can be used to support young people through creating posts or internships.