

# Youth Employment Initiative (YEI)



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.



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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 who will closely with you to move you towards gaining either training, employment or self-employment
- Providing you with essential tools and equipment to prepare you for self-employment
- Placing you on training courses and workshops
- Providing financial assistance to pay for items such as interview clothes

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## Learning and Skills

- 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

Learning and Skills

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## Youth Direction

- 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

Youth Direction

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## Stockton Riverside College

- Employability/CSCS/Construction/Joinery/ Electrical/Painting & Decorating/Motor Vehicle
- Health & Social Care/Childcare
- Hair/Barbering/Beauty/Aviation/Travel & Tourism
- Catering & Hospitality

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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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**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)**



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