WHAT HAVE SOME OF OUR YOUNG PEOPLE SAID:

'I FELT UNDERSTOOD AND SUPPORTED BY ALL THE STAFF.'

'I FEEL I WAS SUPPORTED WELL, THE STAFF WERE FRIENDLY, EMPATHETIC, WHEN THEY SPEAK, THEY DON'T SOUND CONDESCENDING, THEY ACTUALLY TRY TO UNDERSTAND, GENUINELY SHOWED AN INTEREST IN HELPING ME.'

'THEY ALWAYS CHECKED IN ON ME AND WERE INQUISITIVE, THEY GENUINELY CARED.'

'I HAVE BEEN TREATED LIKE AN ADULT, AND THE STAFF HAVE BEEN NORMAL PEOPLE AND HAD A LAUGH WITH ME WHICH I HAVE LIKED. '

REFERRAL PROCESS

PLEASE CONTACT JESS BRUSBY FOR THE REFERRAL FORM OR GET YOUR YOUNG PERSON TO SCAN THIS QR CODE AND THEY CAN SELF-REFER.

CONTACT DETAILS

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THE FAMILY ENTERPRISE

OPEN THE DOOR TO NEW BEGINNINGS



ARE YOU A PROFESSIONAL AND OR FOSTER CARER SUPPORTING A CARE EXPERIENCED YOUNG PERSON?

**NEW SKILLS,
NEW EXPERIENCES,
NEW PEOPLE,
NEW OPPORTUNITIES.**

THE FAMILY ENTERPRISE

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ABOUT THE PROGRAMME

IT IS A BESPOKE LEARNING PROGRAMME THAT YOUR YOUNG PERSON CAN START AND COMPLETE AT ANY POINT, THREE DAYS A WEEK DESIGNED FOR CARE-EXPERIENCED YOUNG PEOPLE AGED 16-25 WHO ARE NOT CURRENTLY IN EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT OR TRAINING (NEET). WE TAILOR THE PROGRAMME TO EACH YOUNG PERSON'S INDIVIDUAL NEEDS.

THE FAMILY ENTERPRISE PROGRAMME IS DELIVERED BY CREATING POSITIVE OPPORTUNITIES, BASED AT CENTRE4, BY A DEDICATED TEAM OF STAFF.

AIMS OF THE PROGRAMME

OUR AMBITION IS THAT EACH YOUNG PERSON WILL MOVE INTO EITHER EMPLOYMENT, TRAINING, WORK EXPERIENCE OR VOLUNTARY OPPORTUNITIES WITHIN THEIR AREA OF INTEREST.

PRE-PROGRAMME

WE HOST OPEN EVENTS AT CPO FOR YOUNG PEOPLE INTERESTED IN JOINING, INCLUDING PERSONALISED ONE-TO-ONE TOURS.

ONCE YOUR YOUNG PERSON HAS AGREED TO SIGN UP, THEY WILL RECEIVE THEIR WELCOME PACK VIA EMAIL WHICH DETAILS ALL THE INFORMATION ABOUT THE PROGRAMME AND THE FIRST DAY.

THEY WILL ALSO RECEIVE PRE-PROGRAMME CHECK INS WITH THE CO-ORDINATOR TO EASE ANY WORRIES OR CONCERNS.

THEY WILL ALSO BE SENT 'SAFEGUARDING, YOU INFORMATION AND YOU' DOCUMENT WHICH EXPLAINS HOW WE KEEP THEM SAFE AND STORE THEIR INFORMATION.

POST-PROGRAMME

ONCE YOUR YOUNG PERSON HAS COMPLETED THE FULL PROGRAMME, THE FAMILY ENTERPRISE COORDINATOR JESS BRUSBY WILL PROVIDE 9 MONTHS' WORTH OF MENTORING SUPPORT SPECIFICALLY FOR EDUCATION, EMPLOYMENT AND/OR TRAINING TO HELP YOUR YOUNG PERSON MAINTAIN/ACHIEVE THEIR GOALS.

PROGRAMME CONTENT

THE PROGRAMME OFFERS A RANGE OF OPPORTUNITIES AND SUPPORT, INCLUDING;

- FINANCIAL LITERACY SESSIONS
- DIGITAL ADMINISTRATION AND BUSINESS TRAINING
- DEVELOPMENT OF SOFT EMPLOYABILITY SKILLS
- CV WRITING SUPPORT
- ACCESS TO WORK EXPERIENCE PLACEMENTS
- VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITIES
- LIFE SKILLS
- COOKING
- PHYSICAL ACTIVITY
- TEAM-BUILDING ACTIVITIES
- TRIPS AND ENRICHMENT ACTIVITIES
- A RESIDENTIAL WEEKEND EXPERIENCE (OPTIONAL)
- ONGOING MENTORING SUPPORT







INCENTIVES



LUNCH IS PROVIDED

ACCESS TO CENTRE4'S COMMUNITY SHOP

TRANSPORT COSTS ARE COVERED (BUS TICKETS)

ACCESS TO CENTRE4'S GYM

IF ATTENDANCE IS 95% OR ABOVE £100 WILL BE PAID IN COMPLETION OF THE PROGRAMME

ACCESS TO IN-HOUSE COUNSELLOR/PSYCHOTHERAPIST

1-1 MENTOR WHILST ON PROGRAMME

9 MONTHS POST-PROGRAMME SUPPORT