

ESF Moving On Lancashire

SUPPORT FOR INDIVIDUALS WHO ARE NEET OR AT RISK OF BECOMING NEET

Moving On is being delivered by a consortium of colleges and other organisations in the Lancashire Local Enterprise Partnership (LEP) area.

The aim of the programme is to promote economic and social inclusion through the reduction of the number of young people classified as NEET (Not in Employment, Education or Training) or at risk of becoming NEET in the Lancashire LEP area. This will be by equipping them with personal, transferable and vocational skills, plus opportunities to grow confidence and resilience.

Moving On supports young people aged 15 to 18 years who are at risk of becoming NEET and those aged 16 to 18 years who are already NEET. Young people who have learning difficulties and/or disabilities (LLDD) and who have an Education, Health and Care (EHC) Plan can receive support up to the age of 24 if they fall into either the NEET or at risk group.

15-16 year olds at risk of becoming NEET

Provision is aimed at strengthening the transition into post-16 learning for young people who find this particularly difficult. The services provide tailored support for each young person, with intensive personal guidance and help to develop their understanding of the post 16 opportunities available to them. They are focussed on young people who are not accessing a full timetable and have a range of barriers to successful transition post-16.

16-18 year olds and 19-24 with LDD at risk of becoming NEET

Support is offered to those in full-time education e.g. on study programmes but who are at risk of becoming NEET and needing help to remain engaged and successfully complete their learning.

16-18 year olds and 19-24 with LDD who are NEET

The programme addresses participation, retention, achievement and the progression of young people who are facing disadvantage. It supports them to sustain engagement in learning particularly at key transition points and helps them to progress by providing individualised support packages, appropriate to the particular needs and ambitions of the individual.

Deliverables

The project started in April 2019 and will run until July 2021, however the last date for new starts is December 2020. This table overleaf provides an indication of the deliverables in our contract, these will be achieved through the provision of both regulated and non-regulated learning to participants.

Description	Volumes
ST01 Learner Assessment and Plan and Start on Programme	1154
PG01 Progression Paid Employment	115
PG03 Progression Education	392
PG04 Progression Apprenticeship	58
PG05 Progression Traineeship	58

Priority groups

In Lancashire we have been asked to focus support on young people who have one or more of the following barriers:

- Mental health issues
- Emotional and behavioural issues
- Other health issues
- Family issues
- Learning difficulties or disabilities
- Children in care or leaving care
- Young people in poverty
- Young offenders
- Drug and alcohol misuse

We have been asked to monitor delivery against the following performance indicators:

Participant group	%
Participants from ethnic minorities	10%
Participants with disabilities	10%
Participants without Basic Skills	18%
Participants living in a single adult household with dependent children	6%
Female Participants	46%

We have also been asked to give priority to young people resident or educated in the following areas:

- Blackburn with Darwen Unitary Authority Area: Shadsworth with Whitebirk, Wensley Fold and Sudell.
- Blackpool Unitary Authority Area: Talbot, Claremont and Bloomfield.
- Lancashire County Council:
 - Burnley - Bank Hall, Brunshaw, Daneshouse with Stoneyholme, Gawthorpe, Lanehead, Rosegrove with Lowerhouse and Trinity
 - Chorley - Chorley South-East and Chorley South-West
 - Hyndburn- Spring Hill, Central and Church
 - Lancaster – Harbour, Heysham North, Central and South, Poulton and Skerton
 - Pendle- Bradley, Southfield and Clover Hill
 - Preston – Brookfield, Deepdale, Fishwick, Ingol, Larches, Ribbleton, Riversway, St George's, St Matthew's and Town Centre
 - Rossendale – Greensclough, Hareholme and Irwell
 - South Ribble- Lowerhouse
 - West Lancashire – Moorside, Tanhouse and Skelmersdale South
 - Wyre – Pharos and Rossall