



Improving Training and Related Services for Employers

Enquiry to Audit

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- West Cheshire College New Build



Handbridge Campus

Ellesmere Port Campus



The Employer Journey



Times of change

- New Build – Ellesmere Port and Chester.
- Structure.
- Funding.

New Build

- “State of the Art” facilities.
- Enhanced delivery methods – new technology.
- New ways of working.
- Staff culture change.

New structure

- To increase range of Apprenticeship framework offer and provision.
- Apprenticeship Coordinator role split between different areas within the College.
- New roles established – including Partnership Advisor.
- Training and up-skilling of staff identified.
- Increased awareness, accountability and ownership required by curriculum areas.

Funding

- Adult single budget.
- Government priority: Focus on Apprenticeships.
- Business solutions that meet employer needs with eligibility for funding more restricted.

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Summary of achievements

- Understanding of funding methodology with emphasis on Apprenticeship provision.
- Increased awareness of Apprenticeship frameworks and Apprenticeship provision.
- Delivering cost effective programme using new technology methods.
- Maintaining/improving learner and employer service.
- Meeting audit requirements.
- Changes in employer journey – delivery accountability for Apprenticeship provision.
- Up-skilling of staff to facilitate all the changes with regard to roles and responsibility.
- Joined up working.

Any questions?