

# KICKSTART YOUR FUTURE 2022-2023

Your guide to the courses and  
support available at

## Stockport Training Centre

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The  
Growth  
Company

**If you are aged 16 - 18 we understand taking the first steps after school can be challenging. That's why we have unique programmes and support teams in our centres based in local communities, near to where you live.**

Our tailored programmes are delivered across eight centres in Greater Manchester and St Helens. They are designed around your needs and when you join us, your programme will likely include:

- A nationally recognised qualification
- English and Maths skills and qualifications
- Work experience
- Employability skills
- Enrichment activities
- Tailored individual learning plans to suit your needs

### **Guidance and support available to you**

- Smaller class sizes
- One-to-one support from a designated key worker
- Additional learning support
- Bursary of up to £50 per week (subject to certain eligibility criteria)
- Breakfast club for all learners
- Free hot drinks and kitchen facilities for use throughout the day
- Experienced staff who understand and can support additional learning needs
- Our students can talk to us at any time about whatever might be troubling them

We're here to give you the best experience we can, supporting both your education and any areas of personal development you might need.





**POSITIVE  
PROGRESSION  
OPPORTUNITIES**

**BREAKFAST  
CLUB AVAILABLE  
TO ALL STUDENTS**

**FRIENDLY AND  
SUPPORTIVE STAFF**

# STOCKPORT

## Training Centre

“I have gained a lot from this programme, I’ve learnt all about retail, which will help me progress in the future. The staff are very helpful and kind. I feel comfortable in the centre because everyone’s nice to talk to, all the learners are kind and I’ve learnt a lot.”

**Chardonnay**

## OUR OFFER

PROGRAMME	WHAT'S INVOLVED?
<b>Preparing to Work in Schools - Level 1</b>	This qualification will prepare you for further learning and training whilst developing an understanding of the teaching and learning environment in a school setting. It covers areas such as how to support the well-being of a child or young person and child and young person development.
<b>Working in the Health, Adult and Child Care Sector - Level 1</b>	This qualification will support you on your first experience of working within the health, adult care and childcare sectors.
<b>Customer Service - Level 2</b>	If you are great with people, then customer service could be the career pathway for you. Customer service positions are available in a wide range of sectors.
<b>Employability Skills - Entry 3 to Level 2</b>	This course is aimed at anyone who wants to progress in education or employment. It covers a range of skills including personal finance, effective communication and applying for a job.

Your Study Programme will be tailored to meet your needs and will include one of the above vocational qualifications plus a combination of qualifications which can include **Essential Digital Skills**, **Employability Skills**, **Health and Safety** and **Maths and English** (if needed). You will also be given the opportunity to complete a work placement/work experience whilst studying with us.

# This is Your Future!

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