

Young Person's Guarantee – Edinburgh

Delivered through the new Joined Up for YP Strategy

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The Young Person's Guarantee

- The YPG is a Scottish Government initiative to improve opportunities for 16- to 24-year-olds in the wake of the economic impact of the COVID-19 pandemic.
- Overall goal is to ensure that every young person has access to an apprenticeship, fair employment, formal volunteering, training, or higher/further education.
- Delivery is conducted independently by each local authority. In Edinburgh, the YPG is delivered across existing and newly commissioned provisions (creation of Joined Up for Young People strategy)
- Coordinated by a dedicated team at Capital City Partnership, in partnership with wider CEC team.

Edinburgh Young Person's Guarantee Team at CCP

Who we are:

- A team of YPG Officers and YPG Manager.

What we do:

Deliver YPG locally through creation of Joined Up for Young People Strategy:

- Monitor and coordinate activity across the Youth Employability Partnership, Joined Up for Young People Network, and Young Persons' Panel.
- Commission new services to enhance current JUfYP offer.
- Work with partner organisations (via new JUfYP Network) to develop, support, and co-ordinate opportunities (employment, volunteering, training, and higher/further education) for young people across Edinburgh.
- Work directly with young people, supporting them to access the JUFYP Network and Labour Market opportunities if no other support available.

Roles of YPG Officers

YPG team work with key groups and organisations involved in employability-related provision across the city:



Education Officer works with higher/further education and services supporting school leavers – widening participation.



Inclusion Officer supports delivery of more inclusive programmes for young people from protected groups.



Training Officer works with training providers and sector based academies – ensuring alignment to Labour Market need.



Employment & Volunteering Officer coordinates meaningful and sustainable work opportunities.



Strategic
leadership/commissioning
of new services

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Stakeholder partnerships
through JUFYP network

Young person referral
service

Joined Up for Young People (JUfYP) Network Purpose

- To create a strong partnership approach to delivery the YPG in Edinburgh.
- Creation of network for and by providers.
- Quarterly forum meetings that bring together JUfYP Network.
- JUfYP Network to build on partnership between forums. Utilising live resources - noticeboard and directory.



JUfJ/YP Directory

Filter

Search word or phrase

Get my location

Find by area served

- North east
- North west
- South east
- South west
- All Edinburgh

Find by primary client

- Care experienced

Find by service type

- Employability
- Health / Mental Health
- Housing
- Education and training
- Money / Benefits
- Volunteering
- Domestic Abuse
- Addictions

Find by age group

- 16-19
- 20-24
- 25-29

Directory



- Provider managed directory – please keep up to date!



Noticeboard

Latest network news, courses and training, conferences and job vacancies.

- Share updates, vacancies, courses, anything useful to the network!
- From here JUfYP can share on Twitter and include in Newsletter

19th July 2021



Opportunity for young people to join Youth Climate Co-Design Group

Posted by: Nicola Smith
Category: Network news

15th July 2021



All in Edinburgh Online Workshops

Posted by: Paige Evans
Category: Training

15th July 2021




Employability workshop


Posted by: Afaf Azzahari
Category: Training

Young Person Referral Service

- AA/SDS is first point of support for all school leavers.
- Young people aged 16-24 (or up to 26 for care-experienced young people) can self-refer into the YPG offer or be referred by other organisations across the city. YPG team act as a gateway to opportunities available throughout our networks and supports with onward progressions.
- While focus is on signposting and assessment of existing opportunities, YPG team will also be commissioning new provision where appropriate to address gaps in existing provision.
- Our goal is to ensure that young people are supported in a consistent and connected way at each stage of their journey across the JUfYP network.



Young Person
(SDS/AA - school leavers. Then self-referred or referred by provider.)

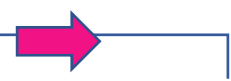
YPG Team
Conduct YP goals/aspirations assessment. Link to provisions, offer ongoing support at milestones - sustainment and 'no wrong door' approach.



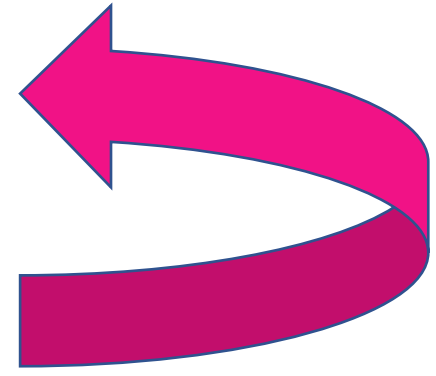
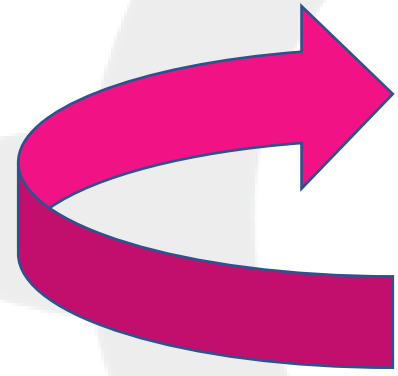

JUFYP Network Provider
(Offer specialist employability, volunteering and training support.)




Employment/Training Opportunity
(Open labour market, FUSE, JUFB – including Kickstart, EERI, additional incentive wrap around.)




Signposting to additional support to remove/manage barriers (e.g. mental health support)



Stage 1: referral, engagement and assessment
Outreach, supporting people into regular activity and positive routines

Stage 2 – needs assessment and barrier removal
Assessment of clients needs, addressing barriers to employment/training

Stage 3 – vocational activity
Delivering accredited training, employability training and job search advice

Stage 4 – employer engagement and job matching
Arranging work or volunteer placements, matching job-ready clients to jobs

Stage 5 – in-work support and aftercare
Supporting individuals to maintain and progress within the workplace

JUfJ Customer Charter (previously JUfI Charter)

- JUfJ Customer Charter replaces the previous Integration Charter – no need to reapply
- Encourages sharing best practice and working together
- Six principles: Accessibility; Customer Focused; Maintaining Partnerships; Employer Engagement; Privacy; Fair Work
- Apply via JUfJ website and download application form
- Contact joinedupforjobs@capitalcitypartnership.org for more details.

Young Person's Guarantee Grants

Application deadline: Noon, 24th August 2021

*Inspire **disengaged young people** by creating **new & innovative engagement programmes** that support them to progress into the **Joined Up for Young People Network** at completion.*

- **£10,000** total fund
- **£500-£1500** available per application
- Maximum **2** applications per organisation
- For projects delivered in **City of Edinburgh**
- Grant must be spent within **6 weeks**

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Follow Up

- Keep an eye out for updates on the JUfJ/JUfYP noticeboard.
- Post regularly on JUfJ/JUfYP Noticeboard.
- Keep Directory up to date.
- Please continue to sign up for JUfYP forum and newsletter by emailing ypg@capitalcitypartnership.org to be added to mailing list
- Follow us on twitter @Joinedupforyp
- Sign up for the JUfJ Charter
- Contact us for support and information about the JUfYP Network

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