



# Key To My Employment



## Care Leaver Opportunity Guide 2019

Doncaster Offer to Care Leavers and Children in Care



**This document's purpose is to give a brief outline of the provision available to young people in the Doncaster area in respect of education, employment and training. NB Post 16 usually relates to 16-19 years old unless otherwise stated.**



Unit 1 and 2 Trafford Court, Trafford Way, Doncaster DN1 1PM  
01302 813388  
**Contact:** Michelle Smith

**Pre 16 schools programme.**

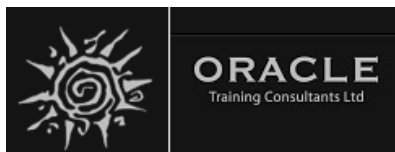
**Post 16 Study Programme, Traineeship and Apprenticeship programmes.**

*Currently have funding up to age of 19. They will put on a programme namely Traineeship, to offer Employability Skills, Interview Preparation, Functional Skills (Maths and English) and work placement.*

**Work areas:**

Child Care  
Health and Social Care  
Functional Skills

Warehousing  
Business Administration  
Employability



Silver Street, Doncaster DN1 1JL  
01302 813900  
**Contact:** Vicky Snowden or Sally Marsh

**Pre 16 Programme from Year 10**

**Post 16 Programme up to 19**

**Work areas:**

Health and Beauty

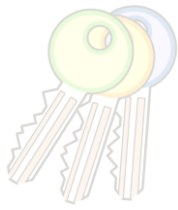
Hairdressing



2 Duke Street, Doncaster DN1 3EA  
01302 341313  
**Contact:** Chris Crawley, Gill Burgess

**Pre-16 schools programme.**

**Post 16 Study Programme, Traineeship and Apprenticeship programmes.**



*CLA offer to young people 19+ they are willing to support any young person who is wishing to access training, with a view to progressing in to paid work or apprenticeship.*

**Work areas:**

Business Administration  
Customer Service  
Employability

Life skills  
Hospitality and Catering  
Functional Skills



1st and 2nd Floor, Enterprise House, Bridge Street,  
Rotherham, S60 1QJ

01709 828586

**Contact:** Sarah South, Katie

**Post 16 Study Programme, Traineeship and Apprenticeship**

**Work areas Study Programme:**

Business Enterprise  
Child Care  
Customer Service  
Construction  
Motor Vehicle  
Music Practitioner  
Nail and Beauty Sports

**Work Areas Traineeship and Apprenticeship:**

Business and Administration  
Customer Service  
Retail Skills  
Sales and Telesales  
Team Leading  
Management  
Stores and Warehousing  
Hospitality



Rotherham and Doncaster Motor Trades GTA Limited, Rands  
Lane Industrial Estate, Armthorpe, Doncaster, DN3 3DY

01302 832831

**Contact:** Steve Butler

**Work areas Apprenticeship 16+**

Motor Vehicle Repair  
Business Administration

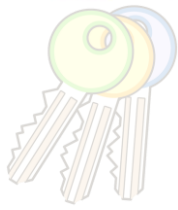
Customer Service  
Motor Cycle Repair

Parts and Warehouse  
Motor Vehicle Body Repair

65-67 Silver Street, Doncaster DN1 1JL (Inside Oracle)

01709 372900

**Contact:** - Simon Hill



### Post 16 only

Study Programme and Traineeship Programmes

#### Work areas

Business Admin  
Customer Service

Retail  
ICT



Unit One, First Floor, Portland Place, Doncaster DN1 3DF

01302 344294

**Contact:** Keeley Carleton

### Post 16 only

Foundation (Study Programme) Traineeships and Apprenticeships

#### Work areas

Business  
Retail  
ECDL  
Hospitality  
Sales

Military skills and uniformed services  
Accounting  
Employability skills  
Management  
Warehousing

Customer Service  
IT ESOL  
Healthcare  
Manufacturing



### Pre-16 and Post 16

Keepmoat Stadium, Stadium Way, Doncaster DN4 5JW

01302 762560

**Contact:** Aidi Turnpenny

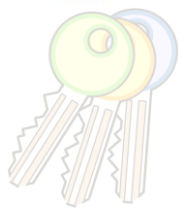
Schools Programme and Traineeship, Active IQ Level 2 in Active Leisure, Active IQ Level 2 Diploma in Health and Fitness, Level 3 BTEC Extended Diploma in Sport.

#### Work areas for Traineeship

Coaching team

Retail

Catering



Media and Marketing  
Club Shop

Soccer Centre  
Ground staff

Ticket Office



2A-B Kings Mews, East Laith Gate, Doncaster DN1 1JD

01302 378887

**Contact:** Hannah Rogers, Mick Farrar

**Post 16 only**

Study Programme, Traineeships, Apprenticeships

**Work areas**

Employability Skills  
Customer Service

Health and Social Care  
Business and Administration    Hospitality



Floor 2 Civic Building, Waterdale, Doncaster DN1 3BU

01302 736644

**Contact:** Gemma Civiitillo or apply through website

**Post 16 only**

**Work areas for apprenticeships**

Business Administration  
Customer Service  
Health and Social Care  
Child Care

Craft Apprenticeship which includes: Bricklayers, Electricians, Gas fitters, Joiners, Motor mechanics, Plasterers, Plumbers, Painters and Decorators, Highways Workers, Horticulturists and Heating and Ventilation



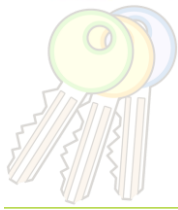
Doncaster Communications College, Ledger Way,  
Doncaster

01482 225655

**Contact:** Lee Smith

**Post 16 only**

Army, Navy, RAF preparation course designed for those who want to pursue a career in the forces.



The Stables, Rossington Hall, Great North Road,  
Doncaster DN11 0HN

01302 861000

Contact: Sarah Beattie

**Pre 16** - Work experience programme

**Post 16** – Foundation Apprenticeship and Advanced Apprenticeship

Stable staff courses, Jockey Courses, Training, Supervisory and Business Admin.



53-57 Netherhall Road, Doncaster DN1 2PG

01302 327769

Contact:

**Post 16 only**

**Courses for 16 -18 year olds** – BTEC Level 1, 2 and 3 Diploma in Music Technology, NCFE Level 1 in Music and Media.

**Courses for 19 +** - Music Technology and radio taster courses/workshops, NCFE Level 1 Music Technology, NCFE Level 2 Music Technology.



7 Thorne Road, Doncaster DN1 2HJ

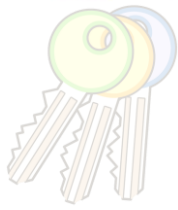
01114 2750201

Contact: Caron Machin

**Post 16 only**

Available to 16-18 year olds - Beauty Therapy, Make-up Artistry, Nail Technology, Massage Therapies, Sports Massage, Aromatherapy and reflexology.

Also offer adult courses and some funding may be available.



07436797318 or 01142 094140

Contact: Ashley Rook

### Post 16 only

Team Programme and Get Into series which has previously included Hospitality, Engineering, Horse Care, Enterprise, Product Design, Customer Service.



1 Silver House, Silver Street, Doncaster DN1 1HL

01302 230 762

Contact: Jenna Carr

### Post 16 only

Study programme

Traineeships

19+ funded provision and employability courses most are work area focussed

Enrolment every Monday morning.



## **Doncaster College**

All applications, from Children in Care and Care Leavers, for courses at Doncaster College, will be considered. An offer of a course, will be made to each individual young person who is in Care or has left care. This particularly relates to Year 11 young people in order to ensure they have a place in education at the start of Year 12.

The College have a designated member of staff who offers support to LAC/CIC and care leavers.

Bursary is available and students will be supported to apply for this.

Additional support can be put in place should the learner need this in order to maintain their place at college and complete their course.

## **NHS**

Doncaster and Bassetlaw Hospital offer work experience and volunteering opportunities. They have an apprenticeship scheme which they would like to offer posts in a variety of areas to young people who have or are in Care.

They cover a variety of work areas from Business Admin to Ground Works, offering work experience for under 19 year olds and for 19+ they have the volunteering programme.

They offer in house training as well as NVQ qualifications.

## **Keepmoat Stadium**

Volunteering experience available variety of different occupations/work areas.

## **DMBC**

Doncaster Council has an apprenticeship scheme in various administration, construction crafts, health and social care, child care and customer service. All Care Leavers and CIC/LAC applying for an apprenticeship will be offered an interview.

The Council offers insight days in to what is like to work for the Council as well as offering a range of information advice and guidance to support Staff to achieve. They offer in house training as well as NVQ Qualifications.

Doncaster Council also offers work experience and volunteering opportunities.

## **St Ledger Homes**

St Ledger Homes offer work experience and qualifications to tenants through their Tennant Training Programme and their World of Work Academy. Information about these are on their website along with the application procedure. <https://www.stledgerhomes.co.uk/worldofwork/>

They advertise vacancies for employment and apprenticeships through the DMBC job site as well as their website.





## **Sheffield Hallam University and University of Sheffield**

**Pre 16** – Summer Camps available in June to give an insight in to University life. There are regular campus tours and also drop in sessions through-out the year.

**Post 16** – Support for Care Leavers, CIC or LAC and estranged young people. Members of staff available to support young people go to SHU University and Sheffield University to provide support, information, advice and guidance.

## **POA (Prison Officers Association)**

### **Courses Available**

- Functional Skills English and Math's
- ICT – European driving license and beginners
- Time for Me
- Food Hygiene
- Free internet / job searches
- Parenting
- Infant Massage
- First Aid

### **Opening Times**

Monday 09.00 – 15.00

Tuesday Closed

Wednesday 09.00 – 19.30

Thursday 09.00 – 17.00

Friday 09.00 – 12.00

### **Contact Details**

For more information about our services or how to enroll on a course, please contact us:

Intake and Belle Vue Children's Centre

Ardeen Road

Doncaster

DN2 5EU

P: 01302 761755

E: doncasterclc@poalearning.org.uk

paul.cliffe@poalearning.org.uk



## Doncaster Children's Services Trust

**Apprenticeships for Care Leavers** – DCST has 4 positions for care leavers

**Mentoring Service** - Our Trusted Mentor team is on a mission to recruit 100 volunteers who will help inspire children and young people aged 9 to 18 to achieve their career aspirations.

### Who can be a Trusted Mentor?

We are looking for people who are:

- Aged 18 or above
- Can support a young person for up to 2 years, meeting them for at least 2 hours a month.
- All mentors will need to have a DBS check

### Become a mentor today!

If you feel that you can encourage potential and inspire change, contact Cheryl Blackett on 01302 735721

And if you think you know of someone outside of the Trust who will make an excellent Trusted Mentor share the following link with them [www.trustmentor.co.uk](http://www.trustmentor.co.uk)

**Volunteering Scheme** - Independent visitors are volunteers who befriend and visit children and young people in care who have little or no contact with their parents. Being an Independent Visitor can be both challenging and rewarding and is very much valued by children and young people. The importance of the role of the independent visitors and guidelines on their appointment is covered by Children Act 1989. For further information contact the Participation, Advocacy and Independent Visitors Service.

**Becci's Bursary** - is a fund that helps care leavers who require a little extra support which is outside of DCSTs Financial Offer. For further information contact the Participation, Advocacy and Independent Visitors Service.