

Parental Employability Support

What is the Parental Employability Support Project?

The Parental Employability Support Project is a consortium of partners throughout Dundee who will work together to support Parents who are in employment achieve additional qualifications to support them to pick up additional hours or responsibility at work. (this could involve, a better paid job, more hours or a promotion)

I would love to gain qualifications, am I eligible?

In order to be eligible for support you must be in employment, a Dundee resident AND

- A Lone parent
- A Family with a disabled parent or child
- A Family with 3 or more children
- A Minority Ethnic Family
- A Family where the youngest child is below 1 year old
- A Family where parents are under 25

I am an employer; how will this project support me?

For employer's you employee will be supported by a Key Worker. The Key Worker will undertake a needs assessment and develop a training plan for your employee. The Key Worker will also support your employee to look at various training options that will benefit your organisation.

Eligible employees will also be able to access a training fund of up to £900 that may be able to cover the cost of training. Any training that is an additionality and not mandatory will be considered.

I fit the eligibility criteria, how do I sign up?

If you are interested, chat to your employer to ascertain if they would support your application. The support via the Key Worker can fit round your current work requirements. The Keyworker will meet you initially to undertake paperwork then at least on a monthly basis throughout the duration of the project. This is a unique programme and the training will be built around what you and your employer feel would be beneficial to you in your workplace.

Regards

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