

WORKING TOGETHER

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MARGATE LIKES MONDAYS

Andrew was referred to attend the Pathways course by RBLI Margate. After help with job searching, he was offered an interview with Consort Frozen Foods in Ashford on only his second week. The interview went well and the next day he had a trial shift.

Andrew was offered the job almost immediately and started the following Monday!



B&M IN CHATHAM

Curtis came to Go Train in Chatham to improve his confidence. Curtis spent three weeks with us and completed Independent Living, Character Education and Progression. Curtis

went on to gain a traineeship at the retail store B&M!



NAVIGATING THE AMAZON FROM BASILDON

Luke, James and Samuel were referred to Go Train from Basildon JCP for the Amazon Pre-Employment Training (PET) programme. All three completed their courses with us and we helped them with the Amazon online registration form and job application. They were all successful at interview and have been offered work and are awaiting a start date. James said, "I am really happy. I had my CV updated and feel I was given

the confidence to pass the interview thanks to my course."

amazon



YES TO 'YES' IN GRAVESEND

Caroline first came to us in April after being referred for the 'Yes' course, which she successfully completed, gaining her qualification and certificate. Caroline then asked to return to Go Train to take another course in Independent Living for three weeks. She was apprehensive at first because she hadn't been in a learning environment since school. After induction, Caroline was eager to learn and take on a new challenge. She participated in class activities and discussions. She was always on time and completed all her work to a high standard. Caroline is now feeling really positive. She has applied for many jobs and has had a lot of interest in her

as a candidate. She has also started volunteering to raise her profile.



BROMLEY ARE GO!

Go Train Bromley delivered from an outreach location in Croydon and worked with Argos to help secure interviews for learners in Argos Croydon. After completing a week's training our candidates were interviewed by Argos and five of these were offered employment - an excellent result. More interviews are already lined up, with nine candidates ready to share in the success.

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HIGHER EDUCATION ROUTE IN SITTINGBOURNE

Sean was referred to Sittingbourne Go Train for a one week Employability course by Job Centre Plus. When he started his course, he was unsure where his future was heading because he was waiting for his A level results. His dream was to go to university and become a psychologist but to do this he would need to work part-time around his course. Sean created his first CV and covering letter and started to apply for work immediately. While with us, he learned that he had achieved his grades! "I didn't know what to expect when I came to Go Train but I can't thank them enough for helping me create a CV which has led me to secure employment to work around my university studies."



"JESS THE JOB" IN CHATHAM

When Jessica came to Go Train she was anxious and feeling overwhelmed. She felt her barriers to employment were childcare and low self-confidence. Within just a week Jess had gained enough confidence to apply for different roles and, with the help of our CV workshop, she had updated her CV. She now has a job with The Entertainer. Jess told us: "The tutors were lovely and supportive. It's changed my life and my kids will be much better off – thank you."

HUNGRY FOR WORK IN HERNE BAY

James completed various courses with Go Train in 2017 and successfully found employment that year. However, his job came to an end unfortunately, so he decided to come back to Go Train to further his skills and prepare himself for a new career. James completed and gained qualifications in Maths, English, Character Education and more. So successful was he in his job search that James was getting two to three phone calls a day offering him job interviews. He is now

happily employed at The Wheatsheaf Hungry Horse in Swalecliffe. James summed up why he finds his time at Go Train so productive, "Whenever I do a course at Go Train I always get interviews and a job!"



TEACHING ADVICE IN GRAVESEND

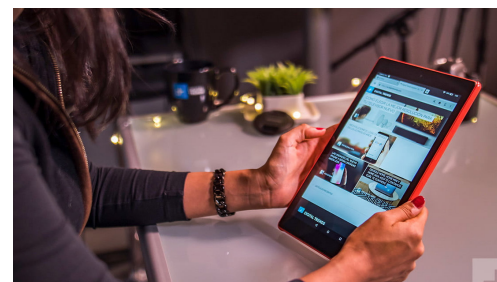
Yasmin was referred to Go Train by Alex from JCP Gravesend and completed several courses with us. She worked hard to improve her skills in many areas in preparation for gaining employment within Education. Yasmin recently achieved the BCS ECDL Level Two and is now

proficient in Microsoft Word, Excel and PowerPoint. Yasmin applied for a teaching assistant's position and we have recently had the privilege of completing a reference for her at the request of the school. Well done!

WORK FIT IN SITTINGBOURNE

Kelsey came to Go Train from Job Centre Plus with very low self-confidence. Kelsey was referred for the 6 week Work Fit + Kit and has shown herself to be a hard-working, polite and dedicated individual. With the support of the tutors in Sittingbourne and her National Careers Advisor, Kelsey has been able to present work to her group which she is really proud to do. She is always willing to try and always gives her best effort during her class.

Within the first two weeks of starting her course, she got to the interview stage of a very promising job - for the very first time!



HOME ON THE RANGE IN GRAYS

Steven was referred for Workwise by Grays JCP and took Basic IT, Customer Service, Employability and Character Education. While doing this, Steven saw an advert for positions in The Range on the job board and secured one of the roles.

"I would like to thank everyone in the Centre. I appreciated all the help I was given. If it wasn't for your assistance and also the fact that you update the job boards regularly, I wouldn't have had the opportunity to apply for the job."