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Looking for advice & help on Employment?

Throughout our Region there are dedicated services available who can provide detailed information and advice on a range of issues including - Looking for a new Job, help with benefits while you are searching for a new post and support with training and funding to help you to get back into employment. Detailed below are a range of current support and advice providers who are waiting to hear from you so please get in touch and get help – the sooner that you contact the services listed, the sooner you can get the help that you need.

Department for Work and Pensions - Are you looking for a new job?

Find full or part-time jobs using the 'Find a job' service to search and apply for jobs. This service has replaced Universal Jobmatch. Click on the link below to search for a job.

https://www.gov.uk/find-a-job

Need help with Benefits while you search for work?

The Department of Work and Pensions administer a large number of Benefits which include all of the following:

- Universal Credit
- Tax Credits
- Job Seekers Allowance and Low Income Benefits
- Carers and Disability Benefits
- Child Benefits
- Benefits for Families
- Heating and Housing Benefits

Click on the link below to access their site which will give more information on all of the support which is currently available: <u>https://www.gov.uk/browse/benefits</u>

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Dumfries and Galloway Employability & Skills Team

Our Employability and Skills Team provide support for people who have certain barriers, making it difficult to gain employment or improve current employment circumstances.

You can contact us on 01387 260060 or email us at <u>dgemployability@dumgal.gov.uk</u> to find out if you are eligible for our support and even if we can't help we will put you in touch with someone who can.

Dumfries and Galloway Local Employability and Skills Partnership

The D&G Local Employability and Skills Partnership provides a point of contact for all – a place where jobseekers, employers, schools, training providers and all partners can all access information on the range of employability services available.

The partnership includes national and local, public, private and third sector skills, training and employment support providers working together to take a collaborative approach to supporting people's employment and skills development.

Their website provides a central point of contact for all – jobseekers, employers, schools, practitioners, and partners where everyone can access information on the range of employability services available.

For more information, visit their website

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