Impact Report for 2023/24

Impact and activity statistics covering the Academic Year from September 2023 - July 2024

11,350

Students engaged in Tees Valley from 36 secondary schools across the Tees Valley region aged Year 7 to Year 11

50

Business members involved

from a range of sectors who co-designed and delivered our industry-led career programmes

56

Life-changing career programmes delivered, including career workshops, work experience placements and enrichment events

4.5/5

Average rating from student feedback based on feedback forms completed by students after all our career programmes

220

Hours of engagement with employers connecting students directly with people in various job roles for real-life career experiences

33,500+

Students supported since 2012

with life-changing industry-led work experience programmes and enrichment events

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"Pitching the business to the panel was my favourite part of the business workshop because I built my confidence to go on stage."

Jack, Y9 at Egglescliffe School

"I learned a lot today from our visitors. I really appreciate them taking the time to come in and speak to us."

Lucia, Y10 at Unity City Academy

"Providing opportunities like these Sector Weeks for students helps them see what is out there and wasn't around when I was in school."

Employee, AV Dawson

"The speakers and staff were very kind and helped us all build a better understanding of the world of engineering. This was an insight I doubt I could have gotten anywhere else."

Callum, Y10 at Unity City Academy

"I thought the placement was very insightful and helped me broaden my mind to new options within the industry that I didn't know existed."

Hannah, Y10 at Egglescliffe School

"Many of the students don't understand the number of local opportunities on their doorstep, so it's really important to show them what's going on in our businesses."

Employee, Better Brand Agency

"My experience with High Tide was an amazing opportunity to meet very influential people who have helped me to gain confidence and skills I will take with me for the rest of my life."

Chloe, Y9 at Reintegreat Academy

"My favourite part of this session was creating my own business idea in my group because I learnt how to actually get the ideas."

Ariana, Y9 at Egglescliffe School

"This has been so educational, not only for the students but also the teachers; I had no idea of what really went on down here."

Teacher, at Reintegreat School

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