
















Routes into Work for young people with Special Educational Need and Disability age 16 to 24

Route	Description	Is an EHC Plan needed?	What qualifications or experience do I need?	How long will it last?	Access to work funding?	Do I get paid?	Options when I finish?
Study Programme	Brings together help to get a job and live independently. Study programmes include qualifications, work experience and life skills		Depends on the course or qualification(s) you want to study	Depends on the course			Planned progression from study programme into employment or to traineeship, supported internship, or Apprenticeship
Supported Internship	A type of study programme focussed on getting a job. Young people do most of their learning at work, on the job, with help from a job coach		None	At least 6 months normally 9-12			Should move into employment after the placement either with placement employer or a plan progression from the course
Traineeship	For young people who want to work but who need extra help to become 'work ready' They offer training and work experience to provide skills and confidence to get a job or Apprenticeship		Below level 3 (in other words , below A level) and with limited experience of work	Between 6 weeks and 6 months			Planned progression from traineeship into employment or , supported internship of Apprenticeship
Apprenticeships	A job that includes training.		Some qualifications are needed to complete an apprenticeship this would be determined by the requirements of the work place	Between 1 and 5 years			Employment with placement employer

			Supported Apprenticeship has a lower level of qualification and extra funding for employer.				
Work Experience	A chance to find out about different types of jobs.		None	Between 1 week and 1 month			Your experience can help you in your future job applications.