

Learning for and in Work Challenge Group

Supporting Bristol citizens into work and encouraging employers to create sustainable learning organisations

Areas of challenge

- Ensuring sustainable funding for the Engagement Hub (EH) and Passport for Employability in Bristol (PEBL).
- Engaging businesses and young people appropriately in the development phase of both initiatives.
- Ensuring alignment in the development of the EH and PEBL.

What does success look like?

- Model for EH created and activities commenced with involvement from young people and employers.
- PEBL in place and piloted in one geographical area.

Areas of progress to date

- EH funding in Mayor's budget agreed and plans for implementation ongoing.
- Partnership Employment and Skills Strategy (Ways2Work) draft considered at March meeting.
- PEBL proposal and business case ready for Partnership Board consideration.

Communication actions

- Range of strategies to ensure key stakeholders are kept informed and engaged.

Next steps

- Begin implementation of PEBL plan when approved.
- Support the implementation of the Employment and Skills Strategy in collaboration with the Learning for Everyone Challenge Group.
- Implement EH action plan.

Recommendations for the Partnership Board

- Note information above and provide ongoing support for the EH and PEBL initiatives.
- Promote the EH and PEBL with key networks.
- Raise awareness of the importance of the city of the Partnership's Employment and Skills Strategy.

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Learning Action for 2016

To work with employers and wider partners to develop the Temple Quarter Enterprise Zone (TQEZ), EH and PEBL

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