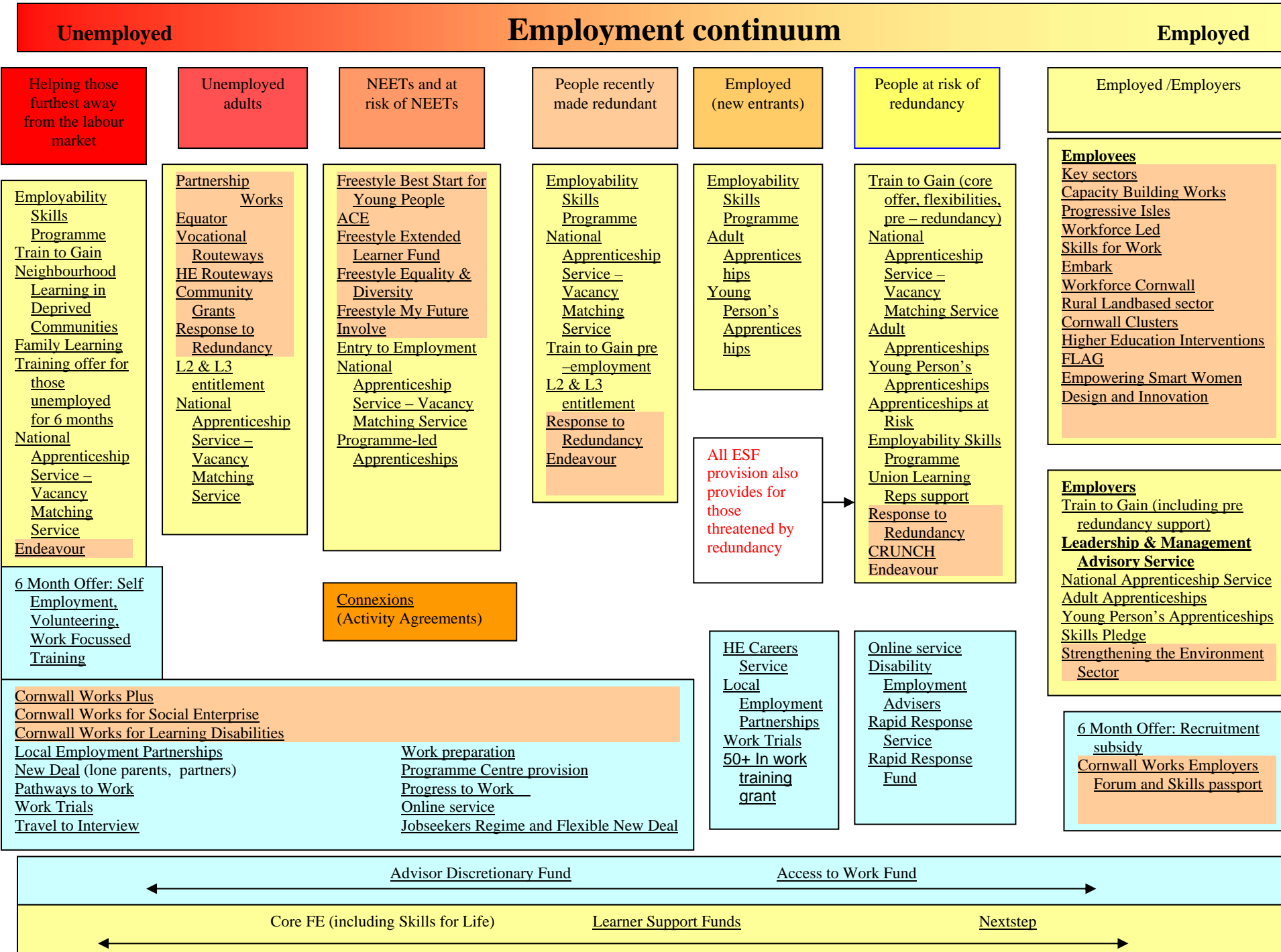


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Links to other programmes and organisations supporting employment and skills provision
 Cornwall Local Area Agreement
 Common Assessment Framework
 Area Wide prospectus
 Business Link core service
 Rural Development Programme for England
 Convergence European Regional Development Fund
 Convergence Higher Education European Social Fund projects
 Connexions
 Innovation and Transnational Projects

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Key

Learning and Skills Council provision

Department for Work and Pensions/Jobcentre Plus provision

European Social Fund funded provision

Learning and Skills Council Learner Support Funds

Link to detailed information about each support fund: [LSC Learner Support Fund quick reference guides](#)

Support fund	Details
Adult Learning Grant	ALG provides financial help with the costs of learning to low skilled, low income adults who are studying full time for their first full Level 2 or first full Level 3 qualification. The grant pays adults (aged 19 plus) up to £30 per week, during term time. It is paid on an income assessed basis, using the learner's (and that of their partner if applicable) income. No account is taken of household income.
Education Maintenance Allowance	Education Maintenance Allowance (EMA) is designed to encourage more young people from low income backgrounds to participate in post-compulsory learning.
Care to Learn?	The aim of Care to Learn is to give financial support to teenage parents (including dads) who want to continue their education or training and need help with the cost of their childcare.
Dance and Drama Awards	Dance and Drama Awards are scholarships funded by the LSC. They offer greatly reduced tuition fees and income assessed support with living and learning costs at some of the leading independent Dance and Drama schools in England.
Transport Partnerships	Transport Partnerships are established to encourage a collaborative approach to local transport solutions. Partnership funding and guidance is provided by the LSC.
Discretionary Support Funds	Discretionary Support Funds may be available to learners who are facing financial hardship to enable them to participate, or remain, in Education. DSFs are managed by Further Education Institutions.
Residential Support Scheme	Funding may be available to assist learners who wish to study a course which is not available locally
Free childcare for training and learning at work	Childcare for Parents in Training is a new scheme that will support adults (aged 20 years and over) in the target group by paying for childcare and travel costs while they are undertaking learning/training leading to work
Professional and Career Development Loan	Professional and Career Development Loans are commercial bank loans to help pay for learning. The LSC supports learners by paying the interest on their loan while they are in training, with the learner starting to repay their loan one month after their training ends.

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Nextstep	Careers South West 0845 850 5070 www.nextstepsouthwest.org.uk	Aged 20 or over Aged 18 or 19, and referred to nextstep by Jobcentre Plus Universal: available to any adult Universal plus Nextstep service: support for adults (18 and over) with qualifications at Level 3 or above. Differential and Personalised Nextstep service: support for adults at Level 2 or below,	Information, advice and guidance on learning and work. Online and face to face support with: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Personalised information and advice on careers, jobs and skills, ▪ Skills Assessment ▪ Action planning ▪ Skills health check ▪ Supported use of web services / tools ▪ Referral to specialist services
National Careers Advice Service (formerly Learn Direct)	0800 100 900 www.careersadvice.direct.gov.uk	Available to all	Call the Careers Advice Service free on 0800 100 900 to talk in confidence to one of our friendly, trained advisers, about jobs and careers or visit our website
Employability Skills Programme	Link into Learning 01872 240 986 www.lil.ac.uk	Jobcentre Plus personal advisers can refer customers aged 18 or more and in receipt of benefit to an ESP provider for an initial assessment of their basic skills need at any time in a claim period	Designed for JCP customers who will find gaining work difficult due to their low skills. Full time training, up to 15 weeks plus training allowance. ESP offers participants: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Personalised literacy/ language and numeracy programmes embedded within the delivery of the employability curriculum; ▪ Job search support; ▪ Opportunities to take part in work trials/ work experience for up to 3 weeks; ▪ Nationally approved basic skills qualifications from Entry Level 1 to Level 2, and employability qualifications at Entry Levels 2 and 3 and Level 1; ▪ Progress reviews every 3 weeks.

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Entry to Employment (E2E)	Cornwall Council Ellen Dolan 01872 324140 www.cornwall.gov.uk	Post 16 educational provision (16-18 year olds). Participants should notionally be work ready / ready for Level 2 learning after 20 weeks on programme	Pre-employment provision comprised of individually designed programmes to meet the needs of learners before they begin employment or an apprenticeship. The programmes incorporate key elements including functional skills, vocational skills, personal and social development.
Skills for Life (Including Literacy, numeracy, ESOL) –LSC mainstream funded	Link into Learning (Cornwall Adult Education Service) Cornwall College Truro and Penwith College	Demonstrate need through assessment	This is free provision and will develop literacy and numeracy skills up to national test Level 2 which will give the learner a current qualification describing their literacy and numeracy ability. Many of the ESF projects also support Skills for Life learning Usually on drop in basis. Some classes at published times Can search for nearest to postal address through www.direct.gov.uk 'find a course'
Train to Gain Business Link Skills Service	Business Link Skills Service: Contact BL Gateway: 0845 600 9966 or Email skills@blpeninsula.co.uk www.traintogain.gov.uk	Employers of all sizes and sectors. BL Skills Service (Train to Gain) works with employers to help improve profitability and competitiveness of your business to further the skills of your people, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ contracted employees (full and part-time) ▪ self-employed people ▪ volunteers ▪ employment agency workers 	Skills diagnostic service includes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Sourcing of appropriate training solutions and access to funding through Train to Gain for NVQ Level 2 & 3, Skills for Life, Apprenticeships ▪ Free skills review to highlight skills gaps within your organisation ▪ Flexibilities – extra support for SMEs with funding for “credits” of learning in business critical areas ▪ Referrals to Partners and Sector Skills Councils for specialist support Jobcentre Plus – working in partnership to support redundant individuals close to the labour market entitled to support funded through Train to Gain – job focused training for sustainable employment. Working with partners to support individuals at risk of redundancy

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Leadership & Management Advisory Service (LMAS) (Funded by the LSC)	Business Link Skills Service Contact BL Gateway: 0845 600 9966 or Email skills@blpeninsula.co.uk	Support for Leaders of organisations with between 5 and 249 employees (including volunteers) Complete a Personal Development Plan and Application Form with a Specialist Adviser. Subject to eligibility	This service provides in-depth advice and diagnostic in order to provide you with an innovative and challenging personal development plan Access of a grant up to £1,000 Funding is used to benefit the Business Owner / Manager or Managers with a strategic role in the business, developing key entrepreneurial leadership and management skills Provides the opportunity to access a broader range of skills
Train to Gain (core, flexibilities, pre redundancy, pre employment, vocational training),	SW Skills Brokerage, Business Link Skills brokers: Clare Harris/Diana Lobb 0845 600 9006 www.traintogain.gov.uk	Employers of all sizes and sectors. Train to Gain works to further the skills of all kinds of people, including: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ contracted employees (full and part-time) ▪ self-employed people ▪ volunteers ▪ employment agency workers 	Skills diagnostic service and includes: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ core offer Level 2 and 3, & skills for life and continuity ▪ flexibilities “credits” of learning in business critical areas, no limits on L2 and L3 qualifications for SMEs ▪ pre-redundancy 2-8 week support package aimed at job focused training/skills for progression into sustainable employment ▪ pre-employment training: redundant individuals close to the labour market entitled to a package of 2-8 weeks funded through Train to Gain. Up till recently this has only been available to LEP clients.
Neighbourhood Learning in Deprived Communities	Rural Cornwall & Isles of Scilly Partnership 01209 611110 www.ruralcornwall.co.uk	Learners aged 19+ (those aged 18 years and under can be included when participating in a family learning type project with those aged 19+)	To support local VCS organisations in developing capacity to deliver learning opportunities for residents of disadvantaged neighbourhoods. The training and education delivered will have a particular focus on workless people, offering pre employment support, First Steps learning and training of people for roles in community leadership.

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Family Learning	Morwenna Vernon Cornwall Adult Education Service 01726 891993 Cornwall Council: Adult Education	Parent, carer or grandparent and the child/children	Family Literacy Language and Numeracy: aim to encourage family members to learn together at all key stages, to improve skills for life. Wider Family Learning: to encourage families to learn together and help parents be more active in supporting children's' learning.
Skills Pledge	Train to Gain Skills Brokerage 0845 600 9006 www.traintogain.gov.uk	Employers of all sizes and sectors.	The Skills Pledge is a public commitment; to drive business forward by training employees, supported with impartial advice from the Government's Train to Gain service. Train to Gain skills brokers, colleges or training providers put together an action plan that's tailored to the organisation and employees. From basic skills to high-level specialist training, they find the right courses from the right colleges and training providers. The skills broker, college or training provider assesses eligibility for funding, perhaps to cover training costs or contribute towards the wages of employees who are away on courses, if the employer has less than 50 employees.
Training offer for those unemployed for 6 months	Truro and Penwith College Alison Attfield 01872 261151 www.trurocollege.ac.uk Cornwall College Sally Foard 01726 226626 www.cornwallcollege.ac.uk	Aged 18+ in Devon and Cornwall 3 referral sources: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ JCP advisor direct to local FE College, or via nextstep ▪ nextstep ▪ FE Colleges direct 	Access to £1500 of Train to Gain funding Work Focused Training <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ effective 6th April 2009 through to July 2010 ▪ provides skills support (re-skilling or up-skilling) leading to a qualification (skills for life, L2, L3) that directly helps the individual to get a sustainable job and longer term career progression. ▪ provision through FE Colleges. To comply with JSA regulations. ▪ average funding value £1.1k. dependent upon guided learning hours and outcome <p>Employers who take advantage of the recruitment subsidy will be signposted to the Train to Gain telephone helpline or 0800 015 5545 or the website at www.traintogain.gov.uk</p>

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National Apprenticeship Service Vacancy Matching Service	<p>All LSC funded Apprenticeships learning providers/Colleges can advertise vacancies on behalf of employers.</p> <p>National Apprenticeship Service <i>Employers contact:</i> <i>Cathie Helgesen</i> <i>Learners contact:</i> <i>Susan Care</i> <i>01752 754170</i></p> <p>www.apprenticeships.org.uk</p>	All employers with employed apprenticeship vacancies.	Web-based National Apprenticeship Service system accessible to employers wishing to advertise employed apprenticeship vacancies and to individuals (including adults) searching for apprenticeship vacancies. Available at www.apprenticeships.org.uk . Employers use Service to search for learning providers/Colleges who deliver Apprenticeship training in their geographic area. Once employer has selected their chosen provider, the provider advertises the vacancy.
Apprenticeships at Risk	<p>National Apprenticeship Service <i>Employers contact:</i> <i>Cathie Helgesen</i> <i>Learners contact:</i> <i>Susan Care</i> <i>01752 754170</i></p> <p>www.apprenticeships.org.uk</p>	To July 09	Funding, £1k bursary, to employer to support Apprentices to continue in learning and complete framework. Applies to hospitality, tourism & retail sectors. Access through Construction Skills and Tourism and Skills Forum SW. (Construction fully taken up).

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Adult Apprenticeships	National Apprenticeship Service <i>Employers contact: Cathie Helgesen</i> <i>Learners contact: Susan Care</i> 01752 754170 www.apprenticeships.org.uk	Aged 19+ without degree level education <i>(LSC Providers will determine eligibility of each individual)</i>	Apprentices (employed from day one) work alongside experienced staff to gain job-specific skills. Off-the-job, usually on a day release basis, apprentices receive training with a local training provider such as a college. There are over 180 different Apprenticeships frameworks on offer in 80 different industry sectors. Each Apprenticeship framework is made up of a collection of qualifications. Apprenticeships are available at Level 2 (equivalent to 5 GCSEs at grade A-C) and Level 3 (equivalent to 2 A Levels). For more information visit www.apprenticeships.org.uk Employers may be expected to make a contribution towards the cost of training a 19+ year old.
Young Person's Apprenticeships	National Apprenticeship Service <i>Employers contact: Cathie Helgesen</i> <i>Learners contact: Susan Care</i> 01752 754170 www.apprenticeships.org.uk	Aged 16-18 years old <i>(LSC Providers will determine eligibility of each individual)</i>	See Adult Apprenticeships above. Training for 16-18 year old apprentices is usually fully funded.

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Programme-led Apprenticeships	National Apprenticeship Service <i>Employers contact: Cathie Helgesen</i> <i>Learners contact: Susan Care</i> 01752 754170 www.apprenticeships.org.uk	All ages but priority given to 16-18 year olds. <i>(LSC Providers will determine eligibility of each individual)</i>	Non-employed programme-led route which provides qualifications and work experience for young people, preparing them for employed apprenticeship opportunities.
Level 2/Level 3 entitlement	Any organisation providing Adult Learner Responsive provision e.g. Cornwall College, Cornwall Adult Education Service, Truro and Penwith College	For first Level 2 qualifications and Level 3 for those aged 19-25	Learners without a Level 2 or Level 3 qualification will be entitled to study free of charge to achieve one of these qualifications.
Union Learning Reps	Unionlearn Cornwall Learning Centre in St Austell 01726 626860 www.unionlearn.org.uk	Union members	In-work support and referral. Workplace information, advice and guidance offered to employed union members to promote training in yarn workplace, particularly Train to Gain.

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Equator	Paul Keech Cornwall Council 01872 326451 www.cornwall.gov.uk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 19+ • Unemployed or Economically Inactive • Resident in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 	<p>Three flexible funds aimed at providing assistance/ training to those within the target groups enabling barriers to learning to be removed, and also raising awareness of equality and diversity issues. Access to education and employment opportunities will therefore be increased leading outcomes including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ progression into job search activity or further learning ▪ progression into employment or voluntary work
Vocational Routeways	James Browning Cornwall Neighbourhoods for Change 01209 721500 www.cn4c.org.uk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 19+ • Unemployed or economically inactive • Resident in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 	<p>Vocational training and support enabling the participants to enter sustainable employment; linking with local employers to address their needs. Positive outcomes will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ learning and achievement at Level 1 ▪ learning and achievement at Level 2 ▪ progression into employment or further learning ▪ job search activity ▪ participation in non-accredited learning
HE Routeways	John Biddick Cornwall College 01209 617511 www.cornwall.ac.uk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 19+ • Unemployed or economically inactive • Resident in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 	<p>Support for unemployed individuals to participate in HE courses with a view to further progression into training or employment. Outcomes include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Level 4 achievements ▪ Progression into further learning ▪ Progression into employment
Community Grants	Catherine Roberts Cornwall Enterprise Company 01209 611106 www.cornwallenterprise.co.uk	Small or local third sector organisations	Grants available up to £12,000 per annum for small third sector organisations to help support disadvantaged individuals within their communities. A wide variety of activity can be supported, for example confidence building, basic skills, taster work experience, mentoring or support.

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Freestyle Best Start for Young People	Ben Beckwith Cornwall Council 01872 326476 www.cornwall.gov.uk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 14-19 • NEET or at risk of NEET • Resident in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 	Personal and social development programme designed to meet the needs of the individual learner or groups of learners. This could include motivational activities, volunteering, vocational training, and outdoor activities, leading to accreditation and progression into a positive destination.
ACE	Livy Toms The Learning Partnership for Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 07772 696804 www.cornwall-learning-partnership.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 14 - 18 • NEET or at Risk of becoming NEET • Resident in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 	Personalised programmes of vocational education Accessible to those in the NEET group across Cornwall and IOS. Adding value to mainstream activity and encouraging progression leading to outcomes in the following areas: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Apprenticeships, ▪ Curriculum Developments, ▪ Enterprise/ Entrepreneurial Culture ▪ further learning or job search
Freestyle – Extended Learner Fund (ELF)	Ben Beckwith Cornwall Council 01872 326476 www.cornwall.gov.uk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 14-19 • NEET or at risk of NEET • Resident in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 	Providing a specialist financial support fund enabling young people to engage and remain in learning. The fund is flexible to ensure that a variety of barriers can be removed.
Freestyle Equality and Diversity (E&D)	Paul Keech Cornwall Council 01872 326451 www.cornwall.gov.uk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 14-19 • NEET or at risk of NEET • Resident in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 	Increasing learning participation of disadvantaged and hard to reach young people and groups and raising awareness of equality and diversity issues Personal and social development programme designed to meet the needs of the individual learner or groups of learners. This could include motivational activities, volunteering, vocational training, and outdoor activities, leading to accreditation and progression into a positive destination.

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Freestyle My Future	Ellen Dolan Cornwall Council 01872 323953 www.cornwall.gov.uk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 14-16 • NEET or at risk of becoming NEET • Resident in Cornwall and Isles of Scilly 	This project will provide young people aged 14-16 who are at risk of NEET with flexible learning opportunities, in a variety of settings. The project aims to <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - motivate this group of young people to participate in education and training via personalisation of programme and multi-agency support and - facilitate progression of learners into further learning or employment with training.
Involve	Louisa Jenkins The Learning Partnership for Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 07737 848574 www.cornwall-learning-partnership.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 14+ • Unemployed or economically inactive Adults • NEET or at risk of NEET Resident in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly	Individually tailored programmes for NEET young people and workless adults aimed at enabling them to progress into suitable activities. Delivery of accredited and non-accredited qualifications, Basic Skills, L1 and 2 qualifications. Outcomes include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Achievement of qualifications • Progression into employment • Progression into Job Search/Further learning
Partnership Works	Louisa Jenkins The Learning Partnership for Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 07737 848574 www.cornwall-learning-partnership.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 19-65 • Unemployed or Economically Inactive • Resident in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 	Delivery of accredited and non-accredited qualifications including Skills for Life, Basic Skills and ESOL (Entry Level 1 to Level 2) and family learning and pre-employment training leading to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • participation in structured volunteering • progression into employment or further learning • progression into job search activity • achievement of accredited qualifications
Capacity Building Works	Jasmina Goodair The Learning Partnership for Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 07772696618 www.cornwall-learning-partnership.org	Participants aged 16 + <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Employed or Self Employed Resident or working in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly	Support targeted at Third Sector organisations to develop the workforce including increasing the number of employees with Skills for Life qualifications, along with supporting employers with volunteering programmes in order to recruit 250+ volunteers into the sector. Outcomes include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic Skills qualifications • Level 2/3 qualifications • Skills for Life (Literacy and Numeracy) • increased number of volunteers in the Third Sector

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Key sectors	Jane Cowans The Learning Partnership for Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 07772 937385 www.cornwall-learning-partnership.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 16+ • Resident or working in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly • Employed or Self Employed in the following sectors: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> -Food and Drink -Retail -Hospitality and Tourism -Construction -Environmental/ Sustainable Energy -ICT -Creative -Marine -Care -Health and Biotechnology -Engineering and manufacturing -Transport 	<p>Working with sector organisations, providers and the Brokerage Service to engage businesses in workforce development activity, promoting career options to school students, creating new sector organisations and revising local skills plans. Outcomes will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Skills for Life/Basic Skills achievements • non-accredited learning achievements • Level 2, Level 3 and Level 4 achievements • progression into Higher Education <p>The project will also develop new qualifications relevant to the 12 sectors.</p> <p>Links with ERDF funded projects to support High growth High Value businesses with innovative training</p>
Progressive Isles	Jo Evans Council of the Isles of Scilly 01720 424304 www.scilly.gov.uk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 16+ • Employed or Self Employed (Including those threatened by redundancy) Resident on the Isles of Scilly 	<p>A programme of qualifications aimed at enabling individuals, businesses and organisations to fulfil their ambition and potential. Outcomes will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic Skills • Level 2 qualifications • Level 3 qualifications
Workforce Led	Anna Allen-Foord Cornwall College 01209 617511 www.cornwall.ac.uk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants Aged 16+ • Employed or Self Employed (Including those threatened by redundancy) • Resident or working in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 	<p>Employer and employee development, widening access to learning provision and assisting with wage support. Outcomes will include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Level 2 achievements • Level 3 achievements • Level 4 achievements
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Skills for Work	<p>Louisa Jenkins The Learning Partnership for Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 07737 848574 www.cornwall-learning-partnership.org</p>	<p>Participants aged 16+</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Employed or Self Employed (Including those threatened by redundancy) • Resident or working in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 	<p>Increasing participation in Skills for Life learning programmes. Outcomes will be achievements of Basic Skills qualifications including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Skills for Life • ESOL (Entry 1 to Level 2) • Key Skills in Communication and Application of Number
Embark	<p>Louise Williams Cornwall Council 07528 983246 www.cornwall.gov.uk</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 16+ • Employed or Self Employed (Including those threatened by redundancy) • Resident or working in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 	<p>Three flexible funds aimed at increasing the participation of minority groups in education and employment and raising awareness of the needs of the target groups. Outcomes include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic Skills achievements • Level 2 achievements • Level 3 achievements
Workforce Cornwall	<p>Louise Williams Cornwall Council 07528 983246 www.cornwall.gov.uk</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 16+ • Employed or Self Employed (Including those threatened by redundancy) • Resident or working in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 	<p>To improve the skills and knowledge of those working with children, young people and families in Cornwall by delivering:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic Skills • Level 2 and Level 4 qualifications In addition, the project will: • Develop and implement Common Core Training Requirements and Induction Standards • Support the development of a foster care apprenticeship programme • Support implementation of the Joint Investment Framework (JIF)
Rural Landbased sector	<p>John Biddick Cornwall College 01209 617511 www.cornwall.ac.uk</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 16+ • Employed or Self Employed (Including those threatened by redundancy) • Resident or working in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 	<p>Widening participation in vocational and leadership and management qualifications in the Rural Land-Based sector and increasing the uptake of Train to Gain. Outcomes include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Level 2 achievements • Level 3 achievements

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Higher Education Interventions	John Biddick Cornwall College 01209 617511 www.cornwall.ac.uk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 16+ • Employed or Self Employed (Including those threatened by redundancy) • Resident or working in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 	Higher level skills opportunities for the workforce through making HE more accessible and providing progression pathways. Outcomes include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Level 3 progression activity achieved • Level 4 modules/ full qualifications achieved
Cornwall Clusters	Priscilla Samuels The Learning Partnership for Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 07792 065321 www.cornwall-learning-partnership.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 16+ • Employed or Self Employed (Including those threatened by redundancy) • Resident or working in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 	Developing Cluster groups who will work in partnership to support the learning and skills needs of their local geographic areas. Outcomes include: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Basic Skills achievements • Level 2 achievements • Level 3 achievements • Support development of Newquay Airport • Capacity building activity linked to regeneration of key towns, MCTI and ERDF investment
FLAG	Morwenna Vernon Cornwall Adult Education Service 01726 891993 www.cornwall-learning-partnership.org	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 16+ • Employed or Self Employed parents (Including those threatened by redundancy) • Resident or working within Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 	A menu of Family Learning opportunities, including parenting, to deliver basic skills outcomes which will include outcomes from participation in Family Learning, Family Literacy and Numeracy and Level 1 qualifications.
CRUNCH	Geoff Hale Unionlearn Cornwall Learning Centre in St Austell 01726 626860 www.unionlearn.org.uk	Participants aged 16+ in secure employment, self employed or at risk of redundancy/recently made redundant	CRUNCH will work with key partners to improve the skills and knowledge of union reps, learning reps and members so that they can better support the needs of fellow workers affected by the risk of redundancy. Activities will build on the good practice developed in other redundancy work through the SW TUC's Learning Works for All Fund and the activities will be co-ordinated from the newly created Trade Union Learning Centre in St Austell.

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Response To Redundancy	<p>Paula Mayes Truro and Penwith College 07976 598374,paulamayes@truro-penwith.ac.uk 01872 245621 www.trurocollege.ac.uk/beatredundancy</p> <p>Sue McDonald Cornwall College Energy Services Ltd (Core, Professional and Digital Inclusion) 01209 617511 www.cornwall.ac.uk</p> <p>Ed Atter Working Links (Core) 01752 672007 www.workinglinks.co.uk</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 18+ • Individuals who are under notice of redundancy • Individuals who are newly redundant • Unemployed Individuals who would be ready for employment after receiving this package of support • Resident or working in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 	<p>To ensure participants, who with high quality education and training support, would be ready to continue in, enter or re-enter sustainable employment and contribute positively to the local labour market.</p> <p>Training to be provided between a mix of</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Between 9 and 14 guided learning hours • 15 to 44 guided learning hours • 45 to 74 guided learning hours • 75 guided learning hours or more <p>All of the above include the production of an Individual Learning Plan.</p> <p>Expected outputs are for a successful job start outcome <u>and</u> progression into further work place training delivered through either Train to Gain or an apprenticeship.</p>

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Strengthening the Environment Sector	Cornwall College 01209 617511 www.cornwall.ac.uk	16+ -Employed or Self Employed (except where involved with a Local Employment Partnership or Sectoral Routeway) Living or working in Cornwall and Isles of Scilly	The activities of the project will strengthen the environment sector by identifying and acknowledging the higher level skills gaps and upskilling the workforce through access to higher level skills provision; seminars and conferences; and bespoke training provision. The project will also support businesses that are diversifying into the sector and acknowledge that this requires a different set of skills which will be addressed. This project will provide opportunities to strengthen the newly formed Environmental Skills Network and to develop further the Environmental Skills Development Plan which was created through the Objective One Workforce Development Project
Empowering Smart Women	Truro and Penwith College Frances Bond 01872 261151 www.trurocollege.ac.uk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Participants aged 16+ • Female • Employed or Self Employed those at risk of redundancy and those recently redundant) • Living or working in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly 	Empowering Smart Women offers a unique opportunity for women to enhance their management careers and entrepreneurial skills. The project will lead the way for women in Cornwall, offering a tailor-made programme of high level qualifications, personal skills development, essential peer networking and inspiring professional mentoring programme. The project will empower motivated women to reach their potential.
Endeavour	Truro and Penwith College Frances Bond 01872 261151 www.trurocollege.ac.uk	<p>Participants</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aged 16+ • At risk of redundancy/recently redundant/those furthest from the labour market • Resident in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly • Ageing population • Those rurally isolated • Those with disabilities • or mental health issues • Lone parents 	An exciting new project offering unemployed individuals the chance to take part in community based opportunities to improve their ICT skills. It will support skills development through innovative, community based taster sessions enabling people to use technology to engage more fully in their communities and to support entry into volunteering or paid work.
Design and Innovation	Claire Hurley Cornwall Council 01872 326467 www.cornwall.gov.uk	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aged 16+ • Employed or self employed • Resident or working in the Isles of Scilly 	The project will work with employees to build the capacity of individuals and their communities to engage in issues of importance to them, while developing soft skills and progression routes onto further learning.

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Department for Work and Pensions/Jobcentre Plus Provision

Programme	Main Provider	Participant eligibility criteria	Provision
Cornwall Works for Social Enterprise	Cornwall Council 01209 611101 www.cornwallworks.org.uk/se	Target group – jobless people living in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly	<p>The project aims to engage, inspire and up skill jobless individuals to gain progress towards employment through Cornwall’s Social Enterprise and or intermediate labour market programmes.</p> <p>The project also offers a flexible “enabling fund” to overcome specific barriers to participants entering employment. This could include the need for work clothes and equipment, help with transport costs, childcare, transitional allowances to cover any gap between benefits and the first wage, and to buy in one-off provision that cannot be sourced from elsewhere.</p>
Cornwall Works Plus	Working Links 01752 672007 www.workinglinks.co.uk	Target group – jobless people living in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly	<p>The project aims to motivate and inspire individuals and bring them into the labour market through sustainable job opportunities with ongoing training and development.</p> <p>The project also offers a flexible “enabling fund” to overcome specific barriers to participants entering employment.</p>
Cornwall Works for Learning Disabilities	Cornwall People First 01736 334857 www.cornwallworks.org.uk/ld	Target group is jobless people living in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly who have a learning disability that presents them with barriers to getting and keeping a job. People with autism and aspergers are included	<p>The project aims to provide a pathway to sustainable employment for people with learning disabilities.</p> <p>This includes giving information, advice, guidance and assessment for people with learning disabilities to identify and agree a pathway to employment based on the skills, talents and aspirations of each participant; continuous support, assessment and mentoring and provision of activity to enhance skills and employability where this is not available or appropriate from mainstream provision, including for example – motivation and confidence building, relevant vocational training, business start-up support and job search skills and activity.</p>

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<p>New Deal for Lone Parents</p>	<p>Local Jobcentre Plus Office</p> <p>Visit this website to search for local office contact</p>	<p>Lone Parent</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ aged 16 or over ▪ with a dependant child under 16 ▪ not working ▪ working less than 16 hours a week 	<p>A range of help and support to lone parents to increase their job readiness and employment opportunities. A specialist advisor supports with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ finding childcare that is good quality, flexible and affordable benefits, tax credits and earnings, ▪ training for a job <p>looking for work –help with CVs and arranging job interviews with employers –help and advice to get over the big changes of starting a job</p>
<p>New Deal for Partners</p>	<p>Local Jobcentre Plus Office</p> <p>Visit this website to search for local office contact</p>	<p>Partners (those married to, living with or being supported by someone) who is claiming:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Jobseekers Allowance - Income Support - Incapacity Benefit - Employment & Support Allowance (ESA) - Carer's Allowance or Severe Disablement Allowance - Working Tax Credits - Pension Credits 	<p>A personal adviser will:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Help look for work ▪ help find the right training relevant to the skills employers are looking for ▪ Carry out an In Work Benefit Calculation to see how much financially better off you would be in work ▪ Identify registered childcare ▪ Provide continued support

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<p>50+ In work training grant</p>	<p>Local Jobcentre</p> <p>Visit this website to search for local office contact</p>	<p>The qualifying benefits for receipt of an in-work training grant are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Jobseeker's Allowance; • Incapacity Benefit; • Employment and Support Allowance; • Income Support; • Severe Disablement Allowance; • Pension Credit; • Bereavement Allowance; • Carer's Allowance; • Jobcentre Plus Allowance Payments; • Allowance Payments in Scotland and Wales; • Auto Credits; • National Insurance Credits 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ This initiative provides funding to help older workers (those aged 50 and over) meet the cost of training that will help them retain, or progress within employment, or self-employment.
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Local Employment Partnerships	Local Jobcentre Visit this website to search for local office contact		Partnership between Jobcentre plus and Local Employers to support customers disadvantaged in the labour market, tailored to individual employers needs.
Work Trials	Local Jobcentre Visit this website to search for local office contact		Work trial is a trial in an actual job vacancy with an employer. It is entirely voluntary. You will carry on getting your benefits while you're on the trial, so it's a risk-free way of finding out if a position is right for you. If your employer offers you a job at the end of your Work Trial period and you accept it, this does not mean that all financial help will end - you may be eligible for some in-work benefits and tax credits .
Programme Centre	Local Jobcentre Plus Visit this website to search for local office contact	To be eligible you should usually be aged 25 years or over and be in receipt of a qualifying benefit. Qualifying benefits are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Jobseekers Allowance including those signing for credits only. ▪ Employment & Support Allowance ▪ Incapacity Benefit ▪ Severe Disablement Allowance ▪ Income Support ▪ Maternity Benefit ▪ Invalid Care Allowance ▪ Automatic Credits ▪ Widows/Bereavement Benefit ▪ Pensions Credit 	All Programme Centres offer a range of modules giving help and advice on jobsearch techniques, jobs and training, motivation and confidence in returning to work.
Additional Support 6 month offer; Recruitment Subsidy	Local Jobcentre Visit this website to search for local office contact	All customers unemployed and claiming Jobseekers Allowance for six months are eligible for this subsidy - (early eligibility may apply.)	The customer will market themselves to employers as being eligible for a £1000 two staged recruitment subsidy (£500 when they start and £500 at 26 weeks).

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Additional Support 6 month offer: Self Employment;	Local Jobcentre Plus Office Visit this website to search for local office contact	All customers unemployed and claiming Jobseekers Allowance for six months are eligible – (early eligibility may apply.)	Self-employment- advice & support provided by Business Link for those who are considering starting their own business Self –employment credit £50 per week for up to 16 weeks subject to eligibility criteria being met. JSA claim must have ended.
Additional Support 6 month offer: Volunteering	Local Jobcentre Plus Office Visit this website to search for local office contact	All customers unemployed and claiming Jobseekers Allowance for six months are eligible – (early eligibility may apply.)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Advice on and access to voluntary work through a JCP contracted Provider
Additional Support 6 month offer: Work Focused Training	Local Jobcentre Plus Office Visit this website to search for local office contact	All customers unemployed and claiming Jobseekers Allowance for six months are eligible – (early eligibility may apply.) Age 19+.	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Work Focused Training (LSC) - Will provide training that will either upskill or reskill jobseekers. Full time (up to 8 weeks) and part time (less than 16 hours a week). - Provider – designated Local Colleges.
Additional Support- newly unemployed: 1 day Jobsearch Seminar	Local Jobcentre Plus Office Visit this website to search for local office contact	From day one for newly unemployed customers – claiming Jobseekers Allowance	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Aimed at newly unemployed job ready JSA customers from non-professional occupational backgrounds who lack the up to date jobsearch skills required to enable them to conduct effective jobsearch. Delivered through a contracted provider

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Progress to Work	Gwellheans 01209 211825 www.gwellheans.co.uk	Clients with a history of drug misuse who are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ aged 18-59 ▪ willing to continue with positive change ▪ drug free or still undergoing treatment ▪ wanting to get back to work 	An assessment based on the history of drug misuse and job goals followed by recommendations about the type of provision or training to consider taking up. Specialist advice, guidance and support, to explore options and preparation for the appropriate route to employment. Individually tailored action plans, ongoing support and help in finding and securing employment, and for a subsequent period to maximise sustained employment.
Find Your Way Back to Work	Find Your Way Back to Work website		Campaign to help the newly unemployed (press ads., customer leaflet and a new re-vamped job kit)
Online service	www.jobcentreplus.gov.uk		The very latest job vacancies Tips on preparations for getting back to work.
Disability Employment Advisers	Local jobcentre Visit this website to search for local office contact		Disabled jobseekers concerned about losing their job because of their disability can access job retention support from Disability Employment Advisers.
Advisor Discretionary Fund	Individual Jobcentre Plus advisors	At the Jobcentre Plus Advisors discretion	When no other funding is available for a specific barrier to employment this fund may be able to support the cost of removing that barrier.

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<p>Pathways to Work</p>	<p>local Jobcentre Plus</p> <p>Visit this website to search for local office contact</p>	<p>To qualify for support through Pathways to Work you should be in receipt of a qualifying benefit:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Employment & Support Allowance ▪ Incapacity benefit ▪ Income Support on the grounds of incapacity ▪ Severe Disablement Allowance (entitlement is to IB credits only) ▪ National Insurance Credits (only on grounds of incapacity) ▪ Disability Living Allowance ▪ Housing or Council Tax Benefit with a disability premium ▪ War Pension (where this includes an Unemployability Supplement) ▪ Industrial Injuries Disablement Benefit (where this includes an unemployability Supplement) ▪ Pension Credit (with a Disability Premium or Doctor's statement) ▪ A benefit equivalent to Incapacity Benefit that has been imported into Great Britain under the European Community Regulations 	<p>Greater support to help people claiming incapacity benefit move closer to or back into the labour market</p> <p>This includes a package of support tailored to meet people's needs and abilities. The package can include help with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Better understanding and managing a health condition or disability ▪ Confidence building ▪ Skills training ▪ Job search or setting up in self-employment ▪ In-work support, including financial support through the Return to Work Credit ▪ Support from highly skilled Personal Advisers ▪ Help to develop a personalised work action plan ▪ Tailored work focused support ▪ Support on the Condition Management Programme, a programme delivered by health professionals aiming to address less serious health conditions and focusing on understanding and managing a condition, with a view to helping them return to work ▪ A Return to Work Credit of £40 payable for 52 weeks if you have been claiming an incapacity benefit, start full time work and earn £15,000 or less pa ▪ In-Work Support (in the form of coaching and mentoring), available to everyone who needs it when first returning to work to help sustain employment

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<p>Travel to Interview</p>	<p>Local Jobcentre</p> <p>Visit this website to search for local office contact</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • You must be out of work and on benefit • You must have been invited to go to an interview for an exact job • You must have been living in your area for at least 4 weeks • The interview must be in the UK • The interview must be outside your local area (check with us if you are not sure) <p>The interview must be for a job that will be for 16 hours or more a week and will last for more than 3 months</p>	<p>Offers financial help for travel costs for interviews beyond daily travelling</p>
<p>Rapid Response Service</p>	<p>Via dedicated Jobcentre Plus District team</p> <p>Contact Alan Pearce 01872 355067</p>	<p>Job losses of 20 or more, although assistance will be offered where ever possible to smaller losses</p>	<p>JCP District Managers have discretion to provide RRS support to employers who are making fewer than 20 redundancies.</p> <p>Support on offer through RRS includes :</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Liaison with employer over potential losses - Information sessions about benefits and tax credits - Helping enhance job search skills - Putting together a CV - Information on alternative jobs within labour market - Job search support - Signposting to local recruitment agencies and other experts - Organising advice & guidance seminars

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Rapid Response Fund	<p>Via dedicated Jobcentre Plus District team</p> <p>Contact Alan Pearce 01872 355067</p>	<p>Large individual job loss situations or where a group of losses combine to have a major effect on a sector or geographic area.</p> <p>Assistance available is not dependant on individuals claiming Job Seekers Allowance and can also include self employed</p>	<p>To fill key gaps in the support offer and funding to help overcome barriers to work</p> <p>RRF only applies once all other provision/support (DWP/JCP/LSC funded) has been considered.</p> <p>RRF includes access to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - "Skills Transfer Analysis Action Plan" which informs training that may be available to the individual. CV s and Programme centre help - Job focused training and job match. - Action Fund which can be used for a variety of purposes to assist individuals to move back in to employment -Access to online service. <p>-Signposting to debt advice & support services</p>
Access to work	<p>Disability Employment Advisor at your local Jobcentre</p> <p>Visit this website to search for local office contact</p> <p>Or</p> <p>Access to Work Operational Support Unit 02920 423291</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 16 + with a disability that affects you in the work place ▪ either have a job; have a job to start or an interview for a job. 	<p>Providing practical support to overcome work related obstacles from disability.</p>

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Work Preparation:	local Jobcentre Plus Visit this website to search for local office contact	Support for customers with disabilities	Personal Development Module: The Personal Development Module is an individually tailored programme to equip participants with improved personal skills and behaviour appropriate to the work place and delivered in a safe and confidential manner Work Placement Module; The Work Placement Module is an individually tailored work-focused programme, enabling disabled people to address barriers associated with their disability and prepare to access a labour market with the confidence necessary to achieve and sustain their job goal.
Higher Education Careers Service	Visit this website to search for local office contact		Supports the regional IAG offer to graduates who have been made redundant.
Jobseekers Regime and Flexible New Deal (JRFND)	local Jobcentre Plus Visit this website to search for local office contact	For newly unemployed customers claiming Jobseekers Allowance from 6.4.09, (stock customers will undergo migration)	The revised regime offers more support to customers the longer they are on Jobseekers Allowance, in return for which customers are expected to increase their efforts they make to obtain sustained employment.

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Cornwall Works Employers Forum and Skills passport/Passport to Work	info@cornwallworks.org.uk 07772 565655 www.cornwallworks.org.uk www.cornwallworks.org.uk		<p>The Cornwall Works Employers Forum works to</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - overcome barriers in recruitment processes and working practices especially for Cornwall Works target groups such as lone parents, offenders, people with disabilities and health problems - increase an understanding of diversity - ensure employers have the relevant support they request <p>Opportunities are created in several ways depending on the resources and commitment of the employer which can range from work placements to involvement in Routeway events giving interviews and feedback to our clients.</p> <p>Employers are encouraged to sign up to being a good practice employer who welcomes Cornwall Works clients.</p> <p>Cornwall Works has also developed a “Skills Passport” based on what employers identify as valuable in their recruitment process. The Passport to Work is benefiting people who have been unemployed for some time and have no recent work history. People on work placements can record progress and changes in attitude and show positive steps taken towards work.</p>

Other programmes and organisations supporting employment and skills provision

Programme	Main Contact	Participant eligibility criteria	Provision
Activity Agreements	Careers South West Ltd (Connexions) 01566 777672 www.careerssw.org	16 and 17 yr old young people not in education, employment or training	The Activity Agreement Pilot provides the means to re-engage 16 and 17yr olds by recognising and encouraging action that equips them to engage, stay engaged and progress in appropriate learning and work. Personal Advisors provide mentoring and tailored packages of support and provision to some of the most vulnerable and hard to engage NEET young people to move them into education, training or employment.

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Programme	Main Contact	Participant eligibility criteria	Provision
Business Link Core Service	Business link website 0845 600 9966		A range of services to help businesses start up, grow and deal with the recession. Support includes Information Diagnostic Brokerage.
14-19 Cornwall Collegiate Area-wide Prospectus	www.cornwall.futures4me.co.uk		Website listing courses and information on apprenticeships for 14-19 year olds and adults at schools, colleges and private providers. Searches can be carried out by area (e.g. Cornwall and Isles of Scilly), subjects, providers or keywords.
Common Assessment Framework	Dept for Children, Families and Schools website		The Common Assessment Framework (CAF) is a key part of delivering frontline services that are integrated and focused around the needs of children and young people. The CAF is a standardised approach to conducting an assessment of a child's additional needs and deciding how those needs should be met. It can be used by practitioners across children's services in England.
Convergence European Regional Development Fund	Convergence Partnership Office for Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly www.convergencecornwall.com 0800 028 0120		<p>The ERDF Convergence Programme for Cornwall and The Isles of Scilly is worth around €610 million made up of 75% ERDF with the balance coming from UK match funding</p> <p>The programme has 4 priorities:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Priority 1 - Innovation, research and development Priority 2 - Enterprise and investment Priority 3 - Transformational infrastructure Priority 4 – Unlocking the economic potential of place

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Rural development Programme for England	www.sw-ruralgateway.info		<p>The Rural Development Programme for England (RDPE) is a seven year programme (2007-2013), which is worth £3.9 billion over all. It aims to support and promote sustainable farming, forestry and food sectors, and also bring wider benefits for the rural economy, the environment and communities. The RDPE has four priority-axes for rural development. Three axes focus the delivery of the Programme:</p> <p>Axis 1 - Improving competitiveness of the agricultural and forestry sectors Axis 2 - Improving the environment and the countryside Axis 3 - Improving the quality of life in rural areas and encouraging diversification of economic activity</p> <p>In addition, 5% of the EU funding in the Programme budget will be delivered through the 'Leader approach' (Axis 4), which is a community based delivery mechanism.</p>
Cornwall Local Area Agreement	www.cornwallstrategicpartnership.gov.uk		<p>Cornwall's Local Area Agreement focuses on key strategic priorities, drawn from Cornwall's 20 year vision document, the Sustainable Community Strategy. The Local Area Agreement sets out measurable achievements in the form of an action plan for the 3 year period between April 2008 and March 2011. The Agreement has the backing of all major public sector organisations in Cornwall, together with key agencies from the voluntary and business sectors.</p> <p>The Cornwall LAA includes priorities covering worklessness and workforce development.</p>

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Convergence Higher Education European Social Fund projects

ESF HE Project	Main Contact	Participant eligibility criteria	Provision
Graduate Placement Programme – Unlocking Cornish Potential	Allyson Glover Cornwall College 01209 617 664	Graduates and post graduates living in Cornwall	<p>The graduate placement scheme will offer packages including financial support, expert mentoring and business skills training - with a leadership and management qualification. It will also include a graduate recruitment portal aiming to advertise all graduate level jobs in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly.</p> <p>The project aims to place 450 graduates and 314 post graduates with businesses in Cornwall and the Isles of Scilly. It also aims to support 25 graduates starting their own businesses in Cornwall.</p>
Developing Entrepreneurship and Enterprise	Cornwall College Lisa Pill lisa.pill@cornwall.ac.uk		<p>There are 5 main aims of this project. 1 - To work closely with employers to ensure that E&E programmes meet existing and emergent industry requirements. 2 - To develop the enterprise knowledge and skills of new teachers and the serving teaching workforce. 3 - To develop new E&E activities suitable for HE students/programmes of study. 4 - Develop and embed sustainable partnership working. 5 - provide other activities e.g. foundation degrees. Activity will be delivered through all members of the CUC partnership.</p> <p>Programme targets = 258 without Level 4; 66 gaining Level 4.</p>
Widening Participation in Higher Education	Cornwall College Lisa Pill lisa.pill@cornwall.ac.uk		<p>This project has 4 main aims. 1 - To motivate individuals to participate in higher level skills. 2 - Raise awareness of the benefits of HE amongst employers and the workforce. 3 - Increase access to HE for all. 4 - Increase progression opportunities for individuals to access HE through partnership working. All the CUC partners will contribute to the delivery and outcomes of this project.</p> <p>Outcomes/Results 486 = participants without a relevant Level or 4 qualification. 97 = participants engaged on higher level skill activity.</p> <p>.</p>

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CUC Research Programme	University of Exeter Alison Broglino 01326 371875		There are two main aims of this project. 1 - To support the expansion of opportunities for individuals to access and undertake Level 5 training and research in Cornwall, linked to the Cornish economy. 2 - To maximise the benefit of the research programme to the Cornish economy by developing a research programme that supports the development of a knowledge economy and facilitates the transfer of knowledge, skills and expertise between the CUC and businesses. All the CUC partners will contribute towards these objectives and delivery through their distinct approach to learners and proactive steps that ensure the business community benefits. Total starts = 531; 284 "completers".
Higher Education for Business	Truro and Penwith College Frances Bond 01872 245621		This project aims to build on a previous project successfully run through Objective 1. It aims to develop employer demand-led provision that meets key skill sector needs at Level 4 and above by liaising with employers and identifying demand through dedicated business facing teams. Build close links with HERA, Train to Gain and business sectors e.g. marine, tourism etc. It also aims to raise the level of technical skills for those in employment to meet sector skills shortages. they will tailor HE courses to the knowledge economy and provide support for learners wishing to study HE modules, sharing best practice with other universities. Total starts = 525; Level 4 achieved = 150.

Innovation and Transnational Projects

IT Project	Main Contact	Participant eligibility criteria	Provision
Skills for Climate Change	Cornwall Council Lindsay Knuckey lindsay.knuckey@cornwalldevelopmentcompany.co.uk		Details to be confirmed. Please see GOSW website here for information
Cornwall Works 50+	Cornwall Council Andrea Gilbert		Details to be confirmed. Please see GOSW website here for information

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Cornwall Works 50+ Cares	Cornwall Council Andrea Gilbert agilbert@cornwall.gov.uk		Details to be confirmed. Please see GOSW website here for information