

# Career Ready

Encouraging young  
people to Think Logistics  
Volunteers & Employers



preparing young  
people for the  
world of work

# Volunteer with us

Career Ready offers a tailored programme of volunteering and employer engagement for the logistics industry.

## Mentoring



Mentor a young person in secondary or further education as they develop their Skills for Career Success. A one-year programme of mentoring starting in October or January.

## Masterclasses



Deliver a Masterclass either at a school/college or hosted at your workplace. Our one-hour sessions, often delivered in pairs, cover career skills, the logistics industry and routes into the sector.

## Work experience



Offer an internship. Developing skills first hand in the world of work is a truly transformational experience and it's a great way for your organisation to develop a diverse talent pipeline too.

## Workplace visits



Host a workplace visit for students from a local Career Ready school/college. Our Masterclasses and logistics workshops provide structure and content for volunteers to deliver.

## Think Logistics workshops



Deliver an interactive workshop at a school/college to raise awareness of the logistics industry and excite young people about the careers it can offer. Can be delivered by a team of staff.



**A Capital Experience** - host a workplace visit at our annual programme launch in London this December.



“ Our experience of working with young people through Think Logistics has been really positive. It's incredible how a small bit of support and guidance can make such a massive difference.

Tim Slater, CEO, DHL Supply Chain



One-to-one meetings



One hour per month



Yr. 10 starts Oct  
Yr. 12 starts Jan



DBS clearance required



Class groups (20-30)



1-2 hours per session



During term time only



Individuals (16-18 year olds)



Typically 4-6 weeks



July/August



Class groups (20-30)



Half day



During term time only



Class groups (20-30)



2 hour workshops



During term time only



“ The real essence of Think Logistics – we bring the industry together, forming local and national partnerships with education, and challenge the stereotypes many young people might have about a career in logistics.

Steve Granite, CEO, Abbey Logistics Group



# Why work with us?

Volunteering or partnering with Career Ready gives you the chance to help students grow in confidence and gain essential skills for work, but much more.

## Join our network



Grow your network by joining ours. 4,000+ volunteers from local and national employers across the UK

## Develop your skills



Volunteers regularly report personal and professional development gained through working with us

## Invest in the future



Build a diverse talent pipeline by engaging with the young people on our programme



**80%** of our interns said that, following their placement, they would consider a career with their employer.



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The best part of my internship was being in a busy working environment and seeing all of the work each team does on a daily basis.

Emily Clark

Degree Apprentice, PD Ports  
(former PD Ports intern, 2017)

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