

WANT TO GROW YOUR COMPANY WHILE  
SUPPORTING LOCAL PEOPLE INTO WORK?

THOUGHT OF RECRUITING AN APPRENTICE BUT NOT  
SURE HOW YOU WOULD FUND ONE?

## WIGAN COUNCIL APPRENTICESHIPS FOR YOUNG PEOPLE FUNDING

Wigan Council is offering grants of up to £5,000 through their 'Apprenticeships for Young People' programme, which is earmarked for Wigan Borough businesses in the engineering, manufacturing, digital and construction industries.

**#SEEDIFFERENT**

## SEE DIFFERENT FUNDING

Or, for small-to-medium businesses operating in other fields in the borough, there are grants of up to £3,000 available through the Greater Manchester scheme, **#SEEDIFFERENT** SME Apprenticeship Support.

Find out more information on either funding pot and fill in an expression of interest form by visiting [www.wiganworks.com](http://www.wiganworks.com) and clicking the 'Recruitment and education' tab.

Turn overleaf and see which fund your business is eligible for!

## IS YOUR BUSINESS BASED IN WIGAN BOROUGH?

YES

NO

Is your business based in Greater Manchester?

YES

NO

Contact your local council

Do you intend to recruit a Wigan resident and pay the apprentice National Minimum Wage?

NO

YES

Is the apprenticeship a new post/vacancy?

NO

YES

Do you intend to recruit a young person aged 16-24?

NO

YES

Is the apprenticeship in manufacturing, engineering, digital or construction?

NO

YES

You have met the criteria to apply for Apprenticeships for Young People funding. Complete the expression of interest form.

Stimulating Employer Demand for Apprenticeships (SEDA) project can provide the latest information around apprenticeship training and upskilling, and funding available. For more information visit: [www.businessgrowthhub.com/apprenticeship-growth-service](http://www.businessgrowthhub.com/apprenticeship-growth-service)

Have you employed an apprenticeship within the last two years?

YES

NO

Do you have an annual pay bill of less than £3m?

NO

YES

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