



EMPLOYERS – Did you know?

Recruitment Grant	£4,000	If an employer recruits someone who has been out of work for 6 months (or longer), the employer may be eligible for a recruitment grant. This applies to full and part-time work and the maximum payable is £4,000.
Work Trial	Skills match	TWO WEEKS AT NO COST TO EMPLOYER Where a job vacancy exists and the employer is not completely sure about the skills match, benefit can continue to be paid for up to two weeks to enable the jobseeker to undertake an unpaid work trial to demonstrate that they are capable of performing (or being developed into) the role.
Work Experience	Skills Building	TWO WEEKS AT NO COST TO THE EMPLOYER Employers can offer jobseekers general work experience placements to help jobseekers identify the type of work that might suit their skills and experience and benefit can continue to be paid.
Job Vacancies	Free Service	VACANCY SERVICE Employers can make unlimited use of the Job Centre’s vacancy service and all vacancies are posted on the Job Centre website.
Kickstart Scheme	Skills Development	KICKSTART PLACEMENTS Employers can play a vital role in supporting skills development by offering kickstart placements for jobseekers seeking an opportunity to enter the labour market. Placements of up to 13 weeks are paid at minimum wage levels and funded through the Job Centre.
Targeted Grants	Individual employee support	HELP WITH EMPLOYMENT COSTS If the employment of specific jobseeker might cause an employer to incur extra cost in the provision of access or equipment for example, the employer may be able to get help with these costs through the Job Centre.
Extra Help	Skills Usage	Maximising existing work opportunities From November 2021 and for the whole of 2022, any social housing tenant undertaking any extra work will not put their ongoing housing tenancy at risk i.e. the extra work will be ignored.

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