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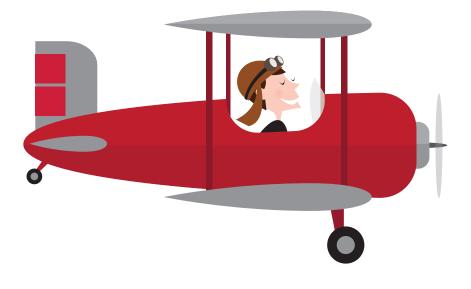
Want to develop your staff or engage with education, but don't know how? Talentmap is a new framework and online portal that can help you find your way through the maze.

What is Talentmap?

Talentmap is an innovative new framework and support tool to help you manage the talent within your business – from finding the right people, and developing their skills, to engaging with the workforce of the future through education.

The service is based around an online portal which will direct you to the help you need from the education and skills system across the UK. Talentmap can help to transform the performance of your business, plugging you in to the right resources and helping you find publicly funded support for training and development.

It can also help you to engage with education in a way that suits you, such as applying to be a school governor, or developing your company's commitment to help with work-related learning.



Benefits for young people

Talentmap will enable more employers to engage with schools and colleges, which can help young people to gain greater access to work experience placements. Young people may also learn about career opportunities they might not have considered, for example in areas of shortage such as science, technology, engineering and maths. Young people can learn from contact with employers, enabling them to make better choices about what subjects and courses are best for them.

Benefits for employers

Talentmap will help you to engage with pupils, teachers, schools and colleges in a way that benefits you. It can help to:

- ensure that young people coming out of the education system have the skills and attitudes to be successful in their working life
- make your business or industry attractive and enticing to future generations of employees
- improve your business by giving you greater information on the training and development available
- give something back to educational institutes in your community.

Next steps

To get started, visit Talentmap at www.talentmap.ukces.org.uk

