

 Education Funding Agency	Greater London Authority (GLA) ESF ENGAGEMENT PROGRAMMES (current as at January 2015). Next update April 2015. The Greater London Authority (GLA) has ESF engagement programmes targeted at specific cohorts in London: Young People with learning difficulties and/or disabilities, young people excluded from school, young offenders leaving custody and Volunteers into EET. Detailed description of this programme can be found here - Annex B.			
Programme	GLA-ESF Young People with Learning Difficulties and/or Disabilities	GLA-ESF Re-engagement of young people excluded from school.	GLA-ESF re-settlement of Young Offenders leaving custody	GLA-ESF 'Team London' Volunteers into Employment, Education or Training.
Age range	16 to 25 year olds with learning difficulties and/or disabilities (LLDD)	14 to 16 year olds	YP, aged 14 to 17 years old, sentenced or held on remand in custody	Focus is on YP aged 16 -24, but Londoners 25+ are eligible.
Target Group/eligibility	Young people (16 to 25 year olds) who have (or had) a statement of special educational needs (SEN)	14 to 16 year olds who have been excluded from mainstream provision on a fixed term basis.	14 to 17 year olds who are sentenced or held on remand in custody and are NEET or at risk of becoming NEET	Londoners aged 16+ who are NEET, unemployed or economically inactive
	Be aged 16 to 19 and NEET or at risk of becoming NEET, or aged 19 to 25 and unemployed, economically inactive, or approaching the end of a period in Further Education, and have a statement of SEN; or had a statement of SEN at the point of leaving school; or has an acquired disability with low incidence needs.	Participants must be resident in one of London's 33 Boroughs and had at least two fixed term exclusions and is therefore at risk of becoming NEET.	On joining project, participant must be aged 14 to 17, resident in one of the London boroughs and be in custody on remand or serving a custodial sentence.	Must be resident in one of the London boroughs.
Additional information	Programme to support the re-engagement of 16 to 25 year olds with learning difficulties and/or disabilities into sustained engagement (52 weeks) and deliver effective and innovative services, focussing on employment outcomes	Provide holistic support to those who are considered to be most at risk of becoming permanently excluded from school, supporting them to sustain re-engagement with mainstream education, or move onto sustained training or employment for 52 weeks.	Programme to provide holistic enhanced re-settlement support, enabling participants to engage with education, training and employment following release and sustain this engagement for up to 52 weeks, helping to reduce levels of reoffending.	Support young people aged 16+ who are not in employment, education or training into sustained (26 weeks) employment, further education or training through volunteering activity with tailored support and accredited training or work experience.
Programme start date	Oct-12	Oct-12	Oct-12 for all areas except East and North London. Nov-13 for delivery in East and North London.	Apr-14.
Last date for recruitment	Aug-14 for 52 week sustained. Jan-15 for 26 week sustained.	Jan -15 for Starters, Aug-14 for 52 week sustained. Feb-15 for 26 week sustained.	Aug-14 for 52 week sustained. Jan-15 for 26 week sustained.	Jan -15 for Starters, Feb-15 for 26 week sustained.
Programme end date	Aug-15			Aug-15
Coverage/geography	All 32 boroughs in London and the City of London.			
Outcomes	Progression (entry) into education, employment and training.	Progression (entry) into education, employment and training.	Progression (entry) into education, employment and training.	Progression (entry) into education, employment and training. 26 week sustained education, employment and training.
Sustained outcomes	Sustained engagement (26 and 52 weeks) in employment, education or training.	Sustained engagement (26 and 52 weeks) in employment, education or training.	Sustained engagement (26 and 52 weeks) in employment, education or training.	Sustained engagement (26 weeks) in employment, education or training.
Other engagement programmes a YP can progress into?	Progression into education, employment and training outcomes.			
Other engagement programmes a YP can participate in at the same time?	National Citizen Service. (NCS)			
Further details of the engagement programme.	https://www.london.gov.uk/priorities/schools-and-education/for-youth-workers/esf-youth-programme/2011-2013			https://www.london.gov.uk/priorities/schools-and-education/for-youth-workers/esf-youth-programme/gla-esf-team-london-volunteers-project
Details of providers delivering the programme	https://www.london.gov.uk/priorities/schools-and-education/for-youth-workers/esf-youth-programme/2011-2013/project-delivery-partners			http://www.london.gov.uk/priorities/schools-and-education/for-youth-workers/esf-youth-programme/gla-esf-team-london-volunteers-project/project-delivery-partners