



Regional Skills
NORTH EAST
Partnerships for Skills

The 'EXPLORE' Programme Supporting employees in industry

An Innovative Upskilling Initiative

The EXPLORE Programme aims to provide new opportunities for the existing workforce.



Benefits:

The benefits to participants will include:

- One to one coaching and mentoring as well as a personal development plan
- Have engaged in two projects that aim to enhance their skills at work including digital skills
- Occupational health & wellbeing advice
- Provision of learning materials
- Site Visit to Centre of Excellence
- Access to the range of relevant training available from their local ETB
- Receive a certificate of completion.

Programme Outline

- Part time programme involving blended learning with mix of on site and off site engagement.
- External mentor ETB will work with participants and engage with the company.
- Exploring individual skillset and developing a personal development plan.
- Tuition on digital skills
- Company Project & Personal Project
- Module on occupational wellbeing
- External site visit relevant to employment

Cost

The programme is 100% funded by the Department of Education & Skills.

Employers will be required to allow employees time to participate on the programme during working hours. Recommended 2 - 4 employees per company

Objective

On successful completion, the project will:

- Demonstrate an improvement in digital skills for participants
- Demonstrate that EXPLORE has effectively engaged with participants
- Provide an insight to participants on technological advancements that will change the world of work
- Deliver a project that will have a measurable benefit
- Have a positive impact on participants occupational wellbeing



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