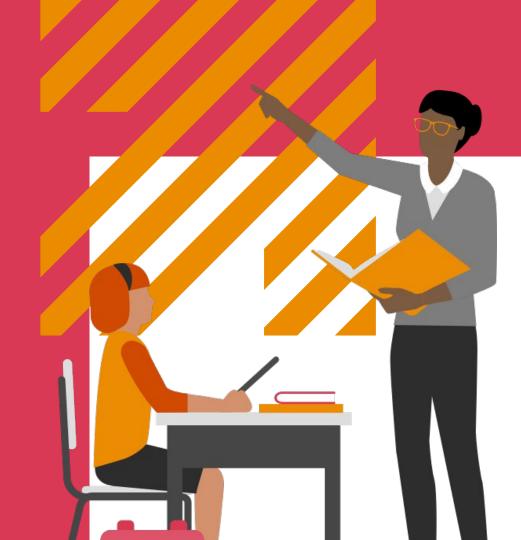
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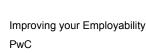


Agenda

- Getting started What do employers look for?
- 2. Employability Skills
- 3. 10 Ways to improve your employability
- 4. Building your personal brand



Can you name some important skills that employers may look for?



Can you name some important skills that employers may look for ?



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How do you use these skills in your day-to-day life?



The receiving, retaining and processing of information or ideas



The oral transmission of information or ideas



The ability to find a solution to a situation or challenge



The use of imagination and the generation of new ideas



The ability to use tactics and strategies to overcome setbacks and achieve goals



The ability to set clear, tangible goals and devise a robust route to achieving them



Supporting, encouraging and developing others to achieve a shared goal



Working cooperatively with others towards achieving a shared goal

What are your skills?

Which of the essential skills are your strengths?

- If you had to choose one, which skill do you feel is most important in your life?
- Which of these skills do you feel is a strength for you? Why do you think this is?
- Are there any skills that you feel less confident on?
- What actions could you take to improve that skill?



How to improve your employability...

Coach and develop yourself and others

Communicate with impact and empathy

Be curious: Learn, share and innovate Lead and contribute to team success

Build and sustain relationships

Show you have courage and integrity

Manage projects and budgets

Be open minded, practical and quick to adapt

Build knowledge of the world of work

Be passionate about making a difference

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Over to you...How do you tick each of these areas?



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Build your network

Polish up your writing skills

Give your online image a makeover

Perfect your elevator pitch





Who do you want to meet & talk to? What do you want to ask?

Go to events and introduce yourself

Get contact details

Always say thank you



Use proper grammar, capitalisation and spelling, and re-read what you've written

Be concise and to the point

Be professional



Use Twitter to follow companies and people that you admire

Follow people on Instagram that motivate you

Be careful what you share publicly



Prepare a good one-minute summary of who you are, what you like and what you want to do/find out

Be clear, smile and breathe

Listen carefully



Dress and present yourself appropriately

Do your research to know your stuff

Have three questions prepared to ask

Thank you

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