

Guernsey Water Continues to Support Training Opportunities

Guernsey Water has renewed its commitment to supporting training opportunities for the local community in 2010 by welcoming a number of work experience and management shadowing students to the business.

As part of its Business Plan 2009 - 2019, Guernsey Water pledged to continue to allow young people to spend time with the business through a number of different routes. In addition to work experience and management shadowing students, the business has also taken on a number of apprentices over the past few years, some of which have stayed with the business and worked their way into permanent positions.

Director of water services Andrew Redhead said: "At Guernsey Water we feel it is important to help young people get an idea of what goes on within the working environment, especially a busy utility such as ourselves. Hopefully the experience will go some way to shaping the path they want to take in the world of work once they have finished their school or university education."

Guernsey Water has also taken the opportunity to support one of the Social Security Department's work rehabilitation initiatives by providing a 13-week "Kickstart" placement.

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