



WORK

EXPERIENCE

WHY?

BENEFITS OF DOING WORK EXPERIENCE:

- AN OPPORTUNITY TO TEST OUT A JOB TO SEE IF YOU REALLY LIKE IT
- CAN BROADEN YOUR KNOWLEDGE OF JOBS AND WHAT SKILLS ARE REQUIRED
- PUTS YOU IN CONTACT WITH POTENTIAL EMPLOYERS
- GIVES YOU USEFUL EXPERIENCE FOR YOUR CV AND PROVIDES REFEREES
- GIVES AN INSIGHT INTO WHAT THE WORLD OF WORK IS REALLY LIKE AND EMPLOYERS' EXPECTATIONS
- HELPS YOU TO 'STAND OUT FROM THE CROWD' WHEN APPLYING FOR POST 16 OPTIONS
- GIVES YOU THE CONFIDENCE AND PRACTICAL SKILLS YOU NEED TO SUCCEED IN THE WORKPLACE

YOUR TIME ON WORK EXPERIENCE IS LIKELY TO BE SOMETHING THAT YOU NEVER FORGET. IT COULD AFFECT THE DECISIONS YOU MAKE ABOUT YOUR FUTURE! SO, MAKE THE MOST OF IT, AND ENJOY IT!