



Barnsley greenworks



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Supported Horticultural Work

Our vision is to provide meaningful experiences to maximize independence, personal development, health and well-being and employability skills through community based learning.

Our aim is for the trainee to develop competence, respect, dignity, responsibility, independence and to promote their inclusion within the local working community.

greenworks is a new and exciting project, which will enable the trainee to feel empowered and be part of a vibrant work team undertaking real work tasks.

The trainees will be instrumental in the grounds maintenance work, cultivating fruit and vegetables on two sites located in Cawthorne and the centre of Barnsley, selling to the public and basic animal husbandry.

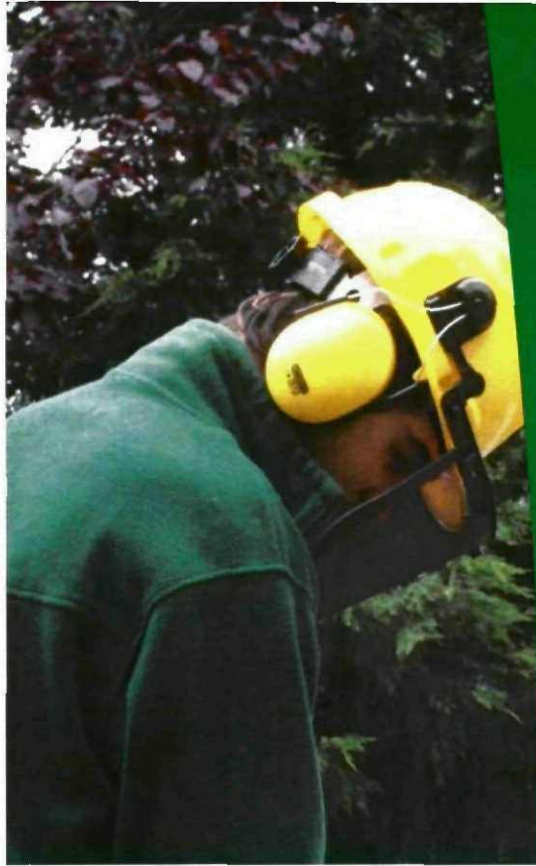
Trainees never stand on the sidelines, pitching in and getting their hands dirty come rain or shine.

How it works?

At greenworks we participate within a range of horticultural/ agricultural based activities including garden maintenance, growing food and plants to sell. We support people in developing work and independence skills whilst having fun and making friends.

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Safeguarding

CRB checks for all staff.
 Qualified and experienced staff.
 PPE's Personal Protective
 Equipment.
 Individual Support Plans.
 Individual Risk Assessments.
 Activity/Work Risk Assessments.
 Tool Safety Awareness.



Real Work

Trainees are involved in a range of
 'real work' activities including:
 -Community and domestic garden
 maintenance
 -Plant nursery production
 -Selling to the public
 -Seasonal enrichment activities



Health and Wellbeing

Skill development
 Employability skills
 Physical activity
 Independence skills
 Challenging 'Worklessness'
 Team building
 Inclusion
 Transition



greenworks is owned and run by twin brothers Jonathan and Julian Senior BSc (Hons)

Both have worked within the FE sector for over 10 years working with learners with learning disabilities and/or difficulties.

They have worked within a number of learning environments including being responsible for creating and delivering 'real work' opportunities.

Both have experience of delivering Independent Living skills, Personal and Social Development, Employability skills, and have taught on a number of vocational courses including horticulture, cooking, personal development and care.

Fully qualified MIDAS approved mini-bus certificate holders and qualified wheelchair clampers.

Holders of enhanced CRB checks.

Members of THRIVE and BILD (British Institute of Learning Disabilities)

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