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London Enterprise Adviser Network

Connecting schools and businesses to help
young people get ready for work

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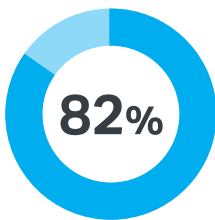
We support London schools to get young people ready for the world of work by creating networks of business volunteers and school leaders.

What is an Enterprise Adviser?

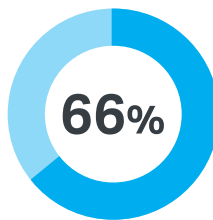
They're business volunteers who work with a school's senior leadership team to develop a careers and business engagement strategy.

Enterprise Advisers commit to supporting a school for at least one academic year. They offer knowledge and skills to link schools to their networks. They also bring real-life business experience into schools.

Why the Enterprise Adviser Network is important



of teachers think there should be better guidance in careers and business (CBI)



of businesses want to recruit people with work experience, yet only 38% offer it (CBI)



employer encounters make young people 5x less likely to become NEET*

* Not in education, employment or training

Source: Anthony Mann, Education and Employers Taskforce



Benefits for volunteers

- Support local schools to give young Londoners the skills they need for work
- Gain insight into the current education landscape
- Join a national network of business professionals
- Raise the aspirations of London's diverse future talent
- Gain experience in working with a range of stakeholders

Benefits for schools

- Create a long-term careers and business engagement strategy
 - Get careers support from business professionals
 - Join a national network of careers education leads
 - Build lasting links with local and national businesses
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“ We have been delighted with the impact of the Enterprise Adviser Network. Our Enterprise Advisers have become a critical friend, enabling us to offer the girls opportunities that we previously wouldn't have considered.”

Ricky Archer,
Assistant Head,
Sarah Bonnell School



“ The world of work is constantly shifting. Careers that were available ten years ago no longer exist and new ones are changing all the time. We must engage with young people not just as they are about to leave full time education, but all the way through their time in education.”

Martin Warner, Director at Secret Talent and Enterprise Adviser

Get in touch

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