

Natspec Employment Forum

Portland College
Nottingham Road, Mansfield, NG18 4TJ



Wednesday 16 May 10.00am – 3.30pm

Agenda

10.00	Arrival and refreshments
10.15	Welcome and introductions (Ruth Perry, Natspec Policy Officer)
10.20	Disability employment update (Tracey Clare Gray, Director of Quality – Natspec and Principal of Foxes Academy)
10.35	Careers information, advice and guidance: a new Ofsted focus (Ruth Perry, and Geoff Lively and Claire Mitchell from Sheiling College)
11.40	Coffee break
12.00	Inclusive Skills, competition and employer involvement (Louise Keevil, Natspec Inclusive Skills lead)
12.45	Lunch
1.30	Supported internships: a student perspective (Portland College interns)
2.15	The Right Place: work placements for SEND learners (Lindsay McCulloch and Zoe Purdey, Mencap)
3.00	Progression to supported internships (Ruth Perry)
3.15	Evaluation, date of next meeting and AoB
3.30	Close Optional tour of Portland College from 3.30pm