

Jobsplus, as the national Public Employment Services, offers training courses and other active labour market measures to unemployed, inactive persons i.e. those who are not in employment education or training and employed persons alike. To attend a training course, trainees must be at least 16 years of age or have completed compulsory schooling. For information about training courses offered by Jobsplus and the respective entry requirements one can seek further information from the following link:

<https://jobsplus.gov.mt/courses>



Jobsplus seeks to provide equal opportunities to all and has established the Job Bridge Training Centre specifically for vulnerable jobseekers to help them enhance their prospects into entering the world of work. The centre provides pre-employment training to assist disadvantaged jobseekers in acquiring skills to help them adapt to the labour market. For more information contact: job-bridge.jobsplus@gov.mt

Amongst other measures implemented by Jobsplus there are the Work Exposure Scheme and Traineeship scheme.

Both schemes are intended to facilitate transition into employment by providing jobseekers with initial hands-on training that would help individuals obtain the knowledge, skills and competences required to find and retain employment. More information regarding these schemes can be accessed from the following links:

<https://jobsplus.gov.mt/schemes-jobseekers/traineeships>

<https://jobsplus.gov.mt/schemes-jobseekers/work-schemes>

The Sheltered Employment Training is a one-year programme aimed at preparing individuals with disabilities for employment. The programme simulates a working environment where clients receive hands-on training in different tasks, such as; back office work, assembly of products, packaging material, dismantling of electronic devices and much more. Interested people should contact Jobsplus on 22201726 or by sending an e-mail on : set.jobsplus@gov.mt



Youth Guarantee

SEC Revision Classes to help participants prepare for their O-level examinations resit are provided from the end of July to the end of August. These revision classes which are offered in the core subjects (English, Maltese, Mathematics, Biology or Physics) provide the opportunity for participants to engage in free revision classes in a choice of up to three subjects in preparation for their resits. For more information on the revision classes, Jobsplus encourages students to send an e-mail on; revisionclasses.mede@gov.mt.

Jobsplus also offers career exploration and career guidance services which include amongst others the possibility for a person to undergo a career test, mock interview and have a CV reviewed.

Additionally, Jobsplus launched its Occupational Handbook providing information related to 246 occupations within the Maltese Labour Market. Each occupational sheet includes a job description, duties and work environment, entry level qualifications, knowledge, skills and additional qualities, related career opportunities, median pay and future job outlook for the coming years (<https://jobsplus.gov.mt/job-seekers-mt-MT-en-GB/guidance-services/occupational-handbook-2018>).

Students looking for temporary employment or a summer job can also register with Jobsplus on Part 3B by sending an email to registrations.jobsplus@gov.mt requesting to be added onto this register listing also the type of jobs. Students also need to send a copy of their ID card, NI number, CV, qualifications/relevant certificates, and any licenses and warrants.

The Youth Guarantee specifically targets youths aged 15 to 24 years and provides different education and employment related initiatives. These include:

NEET Activation Scheme II which provides youths who are not in education, employment or training with personal and professional training, mentoring and support to ensure their successful transition into the world of work. There are three phases for the scheme: individual profiling of participants to provide youths with personalised assistance and tailor-made training, a 240-hour work placement either in a simulated or actual work place and a traineeship offer. Interested youths can download the Youth Guarantee application from the following link: <https://goo.gl/uEph6m>

ICT Summer Courses are also provided to students to equip them with new and valuable ICT skills and knowledge, through ECDL and a practical Level 2 course.

Youths interested in any of the schemes offered by the Youth guarantee team and would like additional information can do so by contacting the Youth guarantee office on [25981161/2/4](tel:25981161) or send an email to youthguarantee@gov.mt.

The team can also be reached through its Facebook page <https://www.facebook.com/youthguaranteemalta>.