

## EDUCATION BUSINESS FUTURES

### EMPLOYER SURVEY (JUNE 2010)

At Education Business Futures (EBF) formerly Nottinghamshire Education Business Alliance (NEBA) we value feedback from our customers, and we would be very grateful if you could answer the following questions in order to improve the service we offer to employers. Your responses will be kept confidential but will be pooled with responses from other employers to identify areas for improvement and elements of good practice.

EMPLOYER	COMPLETED BY	DATE

#### 1. AWARENESS OF ACTIVITIES

Please indicate whether you are aware of the following activities offered by Education Business Futures.

ACTIVITIES	YES	NO
1.1 Work Experience		
1.2 Young Apprenticeship Programme		
1.3 14 – 19 Diplomas		
1.4 Business Enterprise Days		
1.5 E – Mentoring		
1.6 Science, Technology, Engineering, Mathematics (STEM)		
1.7 Interview Skills Day's		
1.8 Breakfast briefings (inc 14-19 reform)		

#### 2. EFFECTIVENESS OF ACTIVITIES

For the following activities we offer, how would you rate our effectiveness in terms of (1) How we prepared you and (2) How we delivered the activity?

Use a scale of 1 – 4 where: 1 = poor 2 = adequate 3 = good 4 = excellent or n/a

ACTIVITIES	PREPARATION	DELIVERY
2.1 Work Experience		
2.2 Young Apprenticeship Programme		
2.3 14 – 19 Diplomas		
2.4 Business Enterprise Days		
2.5 E - Mentoring		
2.6 STEM		
2.7 Interview Skills Days		
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### 3. IMPACT OF EDUCATION BUSINESS FUTURES STAFF

Please respond to the following questions using a scale of 1 – 4 where:

1 = poor      2 = adequate      3 = good      4 = excellent

3.1 How would you rate the level of support you have received from Education Business Futures staff?	
3.2 How would you rate the effectiveness of Education Business Futures Staff in engaging your organisation with work-related learning activities?	

3.3 How do feel your organisation has benefited from working in **partnership** with Education Business Futures Staff (i.e. have they made a positive difference)

3.4 If you have not benefited, why not?

### 4. WORK EXPERIENCE

Please respond to the following questions using a scale of 1 – 4 where:

1 = poor      2 = adequate      3 = good      4 = excellent      or state n/a

4.1 How would you rate how well the students were prepared?	
4.2 How would you rate the students' knowledge level of the sector?	
4.3 How would you rate how aware the students were in knowing what they wanted to achieve out of a placement?	
4.4 How would you rate <b>your</b> awareness about what the students were supposed to achieve out of a placement?	

4.5 Please use this space for any other comments you may wish to make about work experience.

### 5. EMPLOYER PERCEPTION OF IMPACT OF WORK EXPERIENCE ON YOUNG PEOPLE

Please give us your **overall** perception of the impact that work experience has had on students in the following areas, using a scale of 1 – 4 where:

1 = poor      2 = adequate      3 = good      4 = excellent

5.1 Self-confidence	
5.2 Communication skills	
5.3 Team working skills	
5.4 Organisational skills	
5.5 Time Management skills	
5.6 Problem solving skills	
5.7 Motivation	
5.8 Getting on with adults better	
5.9 New job related skills are developed	
5.10 Awareness of 'world of work'	
5.11 Clearer about career ideas	

## 6. HEALTH & SAFETY RISK ASSESSMENT ARRANGEMENTS

6.1 Do you feel that the health & safety arrangements adopted by Education Business Futures are managed effectively?

Yes

No

Not Sure

6.2 If not, how do you think we can improve this?

## 7. FEEDBACK ON THE SERVICE PROVIDED BY EDUCATION BUSINESS FUTURES

Please respond to the following questions using a scale of 1 – 4 where:

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7.1 How do you rate our responsiveness to your general queries?

Any Comments Please.

7.2 How do you rate us on our responsiveness to your health and safety queries?

Any Comments Please.

7.3 What is your overall level of satisfaction with the service provided by Education Business Futures?

Any Comments Please.

7.4 Are there any other ways that Education Business Futures could support you to work more effectively with schools and young people?

Please return by email to [business@futuresnn.co.uk](mailto:business@futuresnn.co.uk) or fax to 01623 404275.

**THANK YOU**

