

## SEN Employment Links

Working with Employers and Trainers to support Young People with Special Educational Needs & Disability into Employment







## SENEL: An international project to promote employability for young people with Special Educational Needs & Disabilities (SEND)

The Special Education Needs Employment Links (SENEL) project is funded by the European Union's Erasmus+ Key Action 2 programme. This co-operation for innovation and the exchange of good practices aims to help young people with SEND move successfully from vocational training (VET) and further education (FE) into employment.

International educational institutions taking part in this project will produce and evaluate tools to support students with SEND as they move into employment.

The SENEL project is producing a portable exhibition of documentary photographs and videos of best practices in partner countries, available with accompanying text, in four languages. This is based on an analysis of shared good practice across the partners. It will support access to the workplace, links VET and links to employability.

The SENEL team will then produce a dedicated 'Mini-guide for Employers', providing information to support employers hiring young people with Special Educational Needs and Disabilities.

The SENEL project will also produce a 'Passport to Employment' for students. It will help highlight students' strengths to employers, helping their skills maximise in the workplace.

All SENEL project materials will be available freely on our website, in all project languages.

This collaborative project consortium is formed through the partnership working of eight different members. Stakeholders from England, Finland, the Czech Republic and Germany including one institution of higher education from each participating country, in conjunction with one national partner of differing organisational structures including VET/FE institutions, employers, NGOs and disability organisations.

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