

# GREEN CAREERS



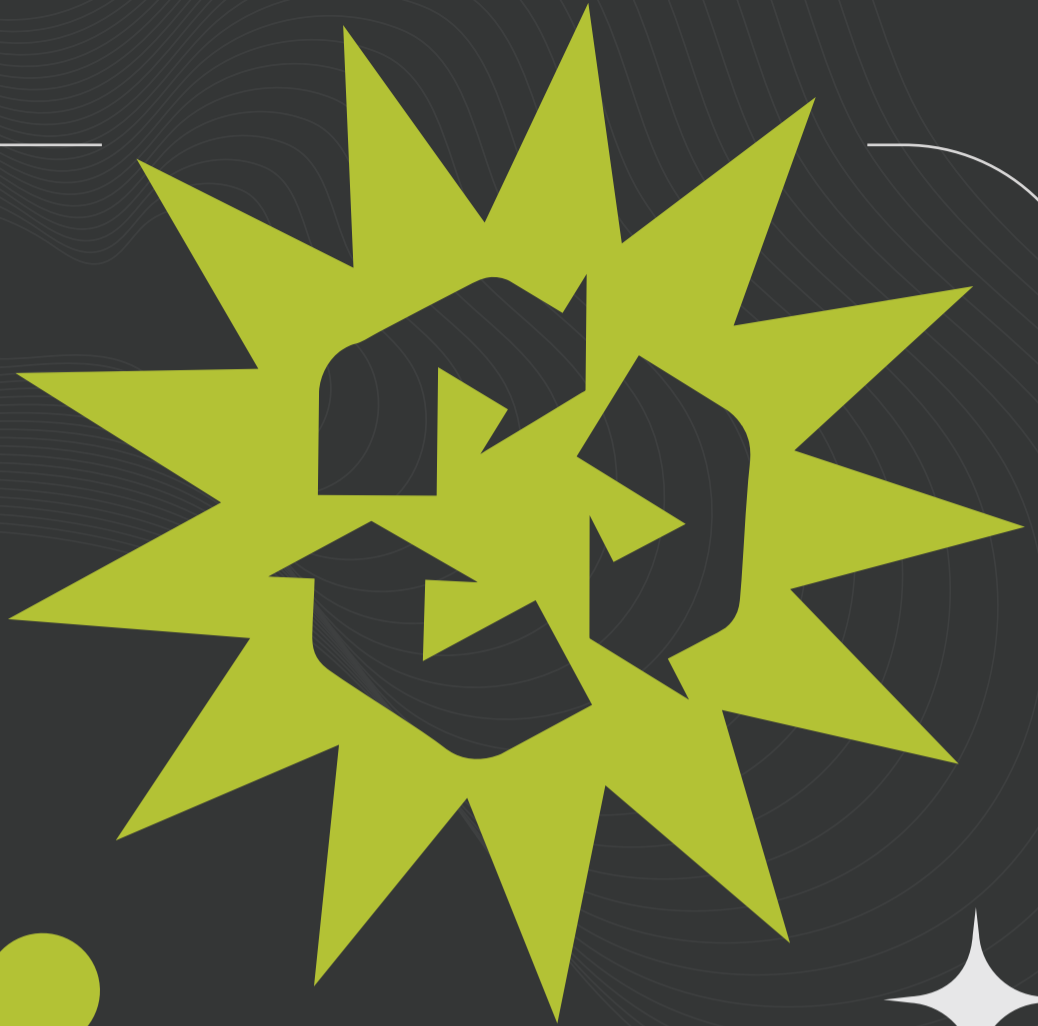
## CALDERDALE

### WHAT IS A GREEN CAREER?

Green jobs are those that help protect the environment from climate change and find ways to limit our greenhouse gas emissions.

There are green jobs for people whatever their skills and interests, whether it's...

- > Working outdoors
- > Helping businesses become greener
- > Fitting solar panels or EV chargers
- > Recycling
- > Designing buildings



### SKILLS AND QUALITIES

- > Adaptable
- > Good at problem solving
- > Willing to learn new skills
- > Practical skills – for some green jobs

#### Develop your green skills by...

- > Starting a green course or apprenticeship
- > Doing voluntary work
- > Getting involved in green projects in your local area

### SO, WHAT JOBS COULD YOU DO?

- > Architect
  - > Business project manager
  - > Climate scientist
  - > Heat pump engineer
  - > Network cable installer
  - > Recycling operative
- And many more..!

### TRENDS

20%

Between 2020 and 2022 there was a 20% increase in the number of green jobs in the UK.

In Calderdale, it is estimated that the work needed to retrofit houses, and to install heat pumps and solar panels, could support up to 3,000 jobs.

### Local employers

British Recycled Plastic • Calderdale Council  
Eclipse Energy • Evotech Technical Services  
Hanson Plywood Ltd • Madison May Consulting Ltd  
Sonoco Europe • Suma Foods • Together Housing Association • YES Energy Solutions

### INTERESTED?

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