# **ROUTES INTO GREEN JOBS**

## **CALDERDALE**

#### **GREEN JOB TRENDS**

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

> West Yorkshire has set a target of being a net zero carbon region by 2038. It is estimated that 70,000 green jobs could be created across the region by 2050.

#### Local sixth forms and colleges

Brighouse Sixth Form College • Brooksbank Sixth Form • Calderdale College • Crossley Heath Sixth Form • North Halifax Grammar School Sixth Form Ryburn Sixth • Trinity Sixth Form Academy

#### **University**

www.ucas.com

**Apprenticeship** 

www.apprenticeships.gov.uk

**Distance learning** 

https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/find-a-course

**Local employers** 

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

### **EXAMPLES OF GREEN JOBS**

Agronomist Architect

Business project manager

Cavity insulation installer Charity fundraiser

Civil engineer

Climate scientist

Commercial energy assessor

Countryside worker

Data scientist

Digital device repair technician

Electrician

Heat pump engineer

Hydrologist

Laboratory technician

Motor mechanic

Recycling operative

Smart meter installer

Software developer

Soil scientist

Town planner

Water treatment worker

Wind turbine technician

Zoologist

#### **USEFUL SUBJECTS**

Animal care Design and technology

**Biology** Engineering English **Business** 

Geography Chemistry

Combined science Land-based studies

Computer science Maths Construction **Physics** 

#### **SKILLS AND QUALITIES**

- > Able to solve problems
- > Adaptable
- > Good at maths
- Good at planning
- Innovative
- Patient
- > Practical able to work well with your hands
- Thorough able to pay attention to detail
- Willing to learn new skills

#### **Developing your green skills**

Get involved in local environmental projects. Check out opportunities at:

- www.ywt.org.uk/get-involved/volunteer
- https://vsialliance.org.uk
- https://new.calderdale.gov.uk/jobs/volunteering
- www.tcv.org.uk



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