

Jobcentre Plus local events

Jobcentre Plus arranges regular job and advice events where you can speak directly to employers or find information to help you get back to work.

The following events are either run by Jobcentre Plus or in partnership with other organisations to help Jobcentre Plus customers. The events take place in Jobcentre Plus offices or other locations.

Jobcentre Plus has tried to provide as much information about each event as possible and the information is correct at the time of publishing. You may wish to speak to the contact listed for more information and final details.

Diary of events October and November 2011

Date: 3 October to 14 October 2011

Time: From 9:00 am to 4:30 pm

Venue: Jobcentre Plus, Greytown House, 138 High Street, Colchester, CO1 1YJ

Type of event: Free health checks offered to customers claiming JSA. These events are run in partnership with the NHS. Appointments will be booked two weeks before the event for customers to attend at their appointed time.

Contact details: Andy Flexen-Pallot, phone: 0777 503 1105

Date: 4 October 2011

Time: From 1.30 pm to 2.30 pm

Venue: Warrington Jobcentre, Nolan House, Mersey Street, WA1 2BL

Type of event: Customer information session for Work Experience eligible customers to look in depth at Work Experience opportunities in the Warrington area. Places are limited so booking through your Warrington Jobcentre Plus is essential.

Contact details: Julie Hall, phone: 01925 785412

Date: 4 October 2011

Time: From 10.00 am to 12.00 pm

Venue: Weymouth Jobcentre, Westway House, Westway Road, Weymouth, DT4 8TG

Type of event: A group session to discuss job interview skills

Contact details: Annemarie Fagan, phone: 01305 328105

Date: 4 October 2011

Time: From 9.30 am to 12.00 noon

Venue: Minehead Jobcentre Plus, 17 The Avenue, Minehead, TA24 5XZ

Type of event: Information session on a drop in basis, giving advice on money matters and debt advice.

Contact details: Gill Knight, phone: 01643 435840

Date: 6 October 2011

Time: From 09.00 am to 12.00 pm

Venue: Taunton Jobcentre Plus, High Street, Taunton, TA1 3NY

Type of event: Information session on a drop in basis, giving advice on money matters and debt service

Contact details: Louise Tudgay, phone: 01823 349447

Date: 6 October 2011

Time: From 10.00 am

Venue: Tidworth Barracks, Tidworth, Hampshire, SP9 7EN

Type of event: British Armed Forces resettlement services fair
Contact details: Alan Macdonald, phone: 01722 315215

Date: 6 October 2011

Time: From 11.00 am to 7.00 pm

Venue: Premier Inn, Westover Road, Bournemouth, Dorset

Type of event: Daily Echo Jobsfair – a number of employers are attending

Contact details: David McArthur, phone: 07884 267339

Date: 6 October 2011

Time: From 11.00 am to 3.00 pm

Venue: Bidston and St James Children's Centre, 344 Laird Street, Birkenhead, CH41 7AL

Type of event: Jobsfair - Jobcentre Plus, Fusion 1, Wirral CVS, Bullock Contractors, Sodexo, Wirral Metropolitan College - event is for customers who live in one of Wirral Partnership Homes properties only.

Contact details: Deborah Veevers, phone: 0151 551 8616

Date: 7 October 2011

Time: From 10.00 am to 1.00 pm

Venue: Parc Y Scarlets, Llanelli, SA14 9UZ

Type of event: Jobsfair - to find out about local vacancies and meet employers especially in retail, warehousing and online distribution. Local training organisations will also be attendance offering training courses and advice.

Contact details: Employer Adviser Team, phone: 01554 874312

Date: 11 October 2011

Time: From 10.00 am to 1.00 pm

Venue: Hamilton Centre, 135 Bulmershe Road, Reading, RG1 5SG

Type of event: Jobcentre Plus will be holding an outreach session with information on jobs, training, volunteering etc.

Contact details: Karen, phone: 0118 9808960

Date: 12 October 2011

Time: From 9.00 am

Venue: Weymouth Jobcentre, Westway House, Westway Road, Weymouth, DT4 8TG

Type of event: Recruitment advice

Contact details: Annemarie Fagan, phone: 01305 328105

Date: 12 October 2011

Time: From 3.30 pm to 8.00 pm

Venue: Junction 24, Huntworth Bridgwater, Somerset

Type of event: Visitors will be able to gain valuable careers information directly from consultants representing industry, colleges, sixth forms, professions, apprenticeships, universities, volunteering and training providers

Contact details: John Allen, phone: 01823 321212

Date: 13 October 2011

Time: From 11.00 am to 2.00 pm

Venue: Cardiff South Enterprise Centre, 172 – 174 Clare Road, Grangetown, Cardiff, CF11 6RX

Type of event: Health and Wellbeing Event – find out about the services on offer from Want to Work and Cardiff Council.

Contact details: Linsay Jones, phone: 029 20804603

Date: 17 October 2011

Time: From 10:00 am to 3:00 pm

Venue: The Musket Club, HIVE, Fallowfield Road, St Michael's, Colchester, CO2 9LL

Type of event: Skills and Jobs Day – for the community of St Michael's Estate in Colchester and the wider Colchester community. Opportunity to speak to organisations that offer

education and life-opportunity services that are focused on finding employment, local opportunities for local people.

Contact details: Andy Flexen-Pallot, phone: 0777 503 1105

Date: 18 October 2011

Time: From 9.30 am to 1.00 pm

Venue: Southend Jobcentre, Dencora Court, Tylers Avenue, Southend on Sea, SS1 2AP

Type of event: Work Club open day event for customers – opportunity to speak to Work Club hosts.

Contact details: Lisa Aubrey, phone: 01702 575792

Date: 19 October 2011

Time: From 10.00 am

Venue: Crown Building, 40 Chapel Street South, Colchester, CO2 7AZ

Type of event: Childcare Information Day in conjunction with TUI Travel – for customers interested in childcare where information in Childcare Levels 2 and 3 is given in order to prepare them for the employers recruitment campaign in 2012. TUI estimates they may have up to 200 vacancies at that time

Contact details: Lisa Aubrey, phone: 01702 575792

Date: 20 October 2011

Time: From 10.00 am to 3.00pm

Venue: Bletchley Library, Westfield Road, Bletchley, MK2 2RA

Type of event: Employment & Training Advice Road show. The road shows are aimed at Milton Keynes residents who are unemployed or facing redundancy and run by Milton Keynes Council.

Contact details: Agnes Whitfield, phone: 01908 253186

Date: 21 October 2011

Time: From 10.00 am

Venue: Southend Jobcentre, Dencora Court, Tylers Avenue, Southend on Sea, SS1 2AP.

Type of event: Childcare information day in conjunction with TUI Travel – for customers interested in childcare where information in Childcare Levels 2 and 3 is given in order to prepare them for the employers recruitment campaign in 2012. TUI estimates they may have up to 200 vacancies at that time

Contact details: Lisa Aubrey, phone: 01702 575792

Date: 24 October to 28 October 2011

Time: From 9:00 am to 4:30 pm

Venue: Jobcentreplus, 55 Station Road, Clacton, Essex, CO15 1RS

Type of event: Free health checks offered to customers claiming JSA. These events are run in partnership with the NHS. Appointments will be booked two weeks prior to the event for customers to attend at their appointed time.

Contact details: Andy Flexen-Pallot, phone: 0777 503 1105

Date: 26 October 2011

Time: From 1:00 pm to 5:00 pm

Venue: Jobcentreplus, Beaufort House, Crown Gate, Harlow, Essex, CM20 1NA

Type of event: Army Recruitment. This starts with a 45 minute presentation followed by individual interviews. Interested customers will all attend the presentation and individuals will be booked and given appointment times for their interview later. The Employer Adviser team at the Jobcentre will be co-ordinating the event.

Contact details: Rosie Curtis or Jill Rogers, phone: 01279 693036

Date: 27 October 2011

Time: From 1.30 pm to 2.30 pm

Venue: Warrington Jobcentre, Nolan House, Mersey Street, WA1 2BL

Type of event: Customer information session for Work Experience eligible customers to look in depth at the Work Experience opportunities in the Warrington area. Places are limited so booking through your Warrington Jobcentre Plus adviser is essential.

Contact details: Julie Hall, phone: 01925 785412

Date: 1 November 2011

Time: From 10:00 am

Venue: Future Prospects, Swinegate, York

Type of event: Information and recruitment event, aimed at Jobseekers interested in working in the hospitality sector. You will need to book an appointment to attend this event

Contact details: Guy Richards, phone: 01904 682193

Date: 9 November 2011

Time: From 10.30 am to 1.30pm

Venue: Town Hall, Uttoxeter

Type of event: Jobsfair – various local employers from the Uttoxeter area will be attending offering opportunities and jobs.

Contact details: James Dennison, phone: 01283 508625 and Twitter @esjobfair

Date: 9 November 2011

Time: From 10.00 am to 5.00 pm

Venue: Manchester United Football Ground, Sir Matt Busby Way, Manchester, M16 0RA

Type of event: Have you ever thought of working abroad? Are you looking for a new opportunity? The European Employment Service (EURES) are hosting an event for anyone interested in working abroad. A wide range of overseas jobs will be advertised at the event, including temporary, seasonal, short and long term contracts as well as permanent work. Come along and explore the options of working abroad. A FREE shuttle bus service is available from Manchester Piccadilly from 9.30 am, every 45 minutes.

Contact details: email: eures.events@jobcentreplus.gsi.gov.uk

Date: 14 November to 16 November 2011

Time: From 9:00 am to 4:30 pm

Venue: Jobcentreplus, 164-168 High Street, Dovercourt, Harwich, Essex, CO12 3AT

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Contact details: Andy Flexen-Pallot, phone: 0777 503 1105

Date: 16 November 2011

Time: From 10.00 am to 3.00pm

Venue: Plymouth Guildhall, Civic Centre, Plymouth

Type of event: Plymouth Biz Event. Meet over 20 organisations that can provide you with advice and support to start up your own business. The event will also show case new businesses that have started up in the last year.

Contact details: Jackie Williams, phone: 01752 618164

Date: 23 November 2011

Time: From 10.00 am to 3.00 pm

Venue: Colchester Town Hall, High Street, Colchester, Essex, CO1 1YJ

Type of event: Skills and Jobs Day - offers the wider Colchester community the opportunity to speak to organisations that offer education and life-opportunity services that are focused on finding employment, local opportunities for local people.

Contact details: Andy Flexen-Pallot, phone: 0777 503 1105