

Did you know?? WorkBC can help youth aged 16 – 30 who are looking for work or transitioning to the workforce.

- Students with Disabilities or Youth at Risk in their final year of high school or post-secondary education may be eligible for WorkBC Employment Services if these individuals are:
 - 1. In their final year of high school or post secondary education
 - 2. Of legal school leaving age in the Province of BC
 - 3. Transitioning from the school system to the labour market

"At Risk Youth" is defined as individuals who are 16-30 years of age and are or were in care of the Ministry of Children and Family Development (MCFD) and/or Delegated Aboriginal Agencies (DAAs).

- Case Managed "at risk youth" with an open WorkBC case have access to unlimited personal counselling related to gaining or retaining employment
- All Case Managed clients who have experienced violence and/or abuse are eligible for counselling up to 10 sessions
- All youth have access to the new Youth Resource Centre to job search, explore careers, build resumes and access workshops
- Employability workshops, including static webinars are available to all youth both case managed and non-case managed. Workshops topics include Interview Skills, Transferable Skills, Job Search Strategies and Resume Building.
- Youth who have been out of high school for 2+ years and have an attachment to EI may be eligible for.....Training, Wage Subsidy, Self Employment Services
- Referrals to external Youth Employment Programs that offer
 - 1. Paid Classroom time
 - 2. Resume, Networking and Interview skills
 - 3. Certificates
 - 4. Support of a Job Coach & Job Placement

For more information, please contact 250-545-2215 ext. 240 or visit <u>www.workbccentre-vernon.ca</u>



