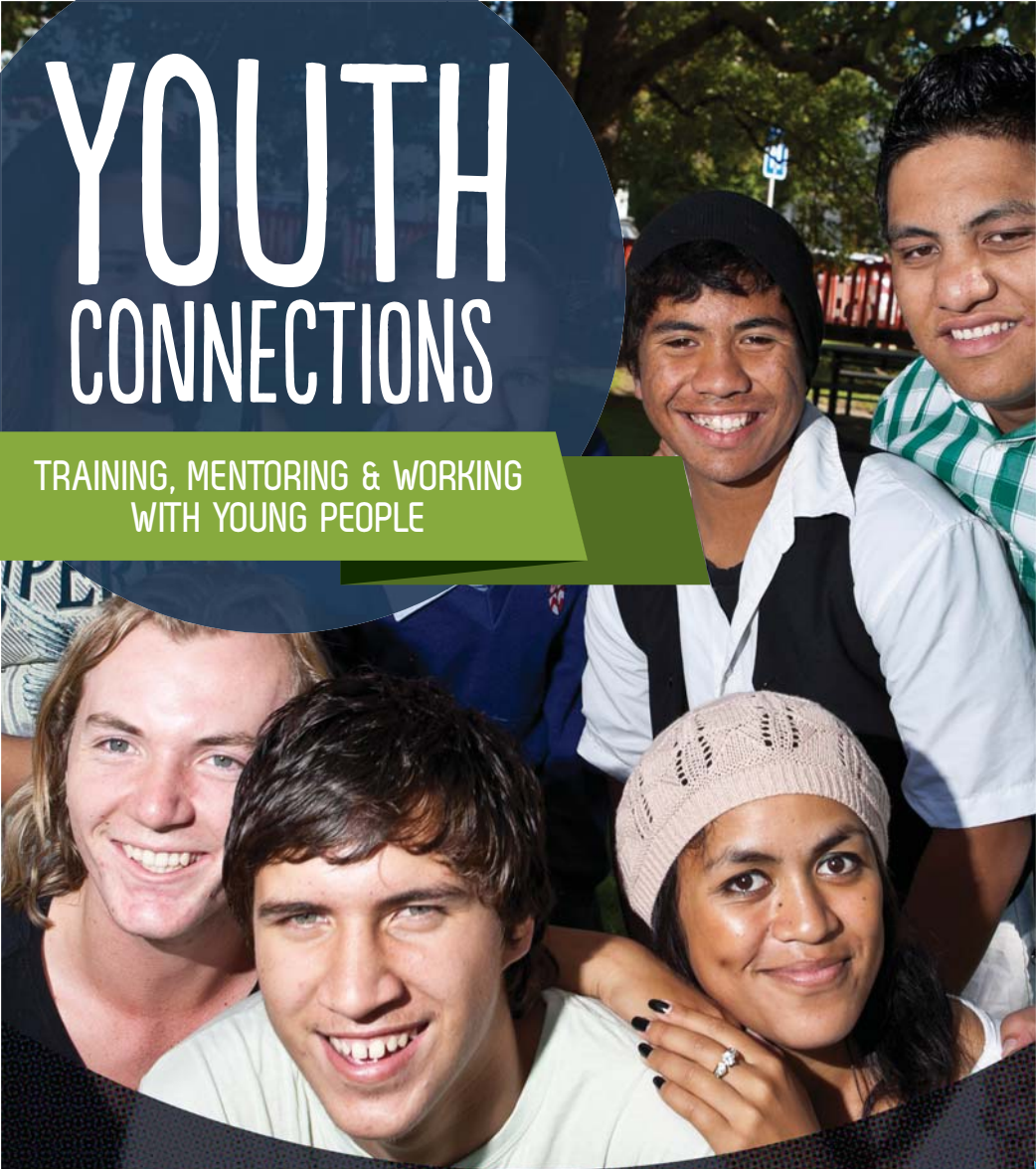


# YOUTH CONNECTIONS

TRAINING, MENTORING & WORKING WITH YOUNG PEOPLE



Youth Connections in Auckland is working with local employers and young Aucklanders to ensure young people have a plan and direction for their future that links to the workforce requirements of local businesses.



# OUR GOAL IS TO HELP CONNECT YOUNG PEOPLE

## How you can help?

We understand that having a great workforce is important to you. By engaging with the Youth Connections project we can assist and partner with you to achieve a stable and sustainable workforce, whilst supporting our young people to develop good work skills, work experience and future employment. If you would like to know more about the project or you would like to share your ideas, we invite you to contact our team.

You can participate in the Youth Connections project in the following ways:

- hire a young person now, and start them on the path of success as an employee
- offer a young person apprentice employment
- have a secondary school student in your workplace over the school holidays to enable him/her to learn new skills and gain real work experience
- provide a mentoring scheme in the workplace, offering a young person experience and teaching them skills that will enable a positive employment future.

We understand getting the right people is essential to business and recruiting and developing young people is a cost-effective way for any business to build a dynamic and productive workforce in the long term.

If you are willing to train and work with young people, helping them to build meaningful careers, please contact:

The Youth Connections Team, [Youth.connections@aucklandcouncil.govt.nz](mailto:Youth.connections@aucklandcouncil.govt.nz)

In partnership with Hibiscus and Bays, Rodney, Kaipātiki, Maungakiekie-Tāmaki, Puketāpapa, Māngere-Otāhuhu, Ōtara-Papatoetoe, Papakura, Henderson-Massey and Whau Local Boards.

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