

Finding a job can be daunting, but there is lots of free impartial information and guidance in Somerset.

Step Up Somerset

The website brings together the tools you need for job hunting, career changes, re-training and enhancing your skills to improve your chances of getting a job. If you need more help or can't access the website, then local employment and skills advisers can provide one-to-one support via phone, including CV writing, job application, interview preparation, in-work support and re-training.

W: www.stepupsomerset.org.uk

T: 0300 790 6275 (if you live in Sedgemoor call Under Construction directly on 01278 436466)

Job Help

There are still jobs to apply for – Job Help provides tips on applying for jobs and details of vacancies. Plus, free CV and interview advice, help to find training, learn new skills and administer benefits claims.

www.jobhelp.campaign.gov.uk/sw-somerset

You may want to think about self-employment, or volunteering to help improve your skills and enhance your CV. Visit Step Up Somerset for further details and guidance on where to start.

Skills Support for Redundancy (SSR)

Supports those at risk of or made redundant within the last three months. SSR provides access to funded skills training, retraining and careers guidance to get you back into employment. A dedicated Partnership Coordinator will work to help you achieve your career goals and get back to work.

www.serco-ese.com/skills-support-for-the-workforce/SSR

National Careers Service (NCS)

Supported by qualified careers advisers, they provide free impartial information, advice and guidance to help with your decisions about careers, learning, training, courses and work. They also provide free online courses, tools and resources to improve your digital and numeracy skills.

<https://nationalcareers.service.gov.uk/>

T: 0800 100 900 to speak to a career's adviser

Skill Up Somerset

Free impartial advice and support on apprenticeships, traineeships and improving skills is available from their advisors.

www.skillupsomerset.org.uk/

E: Jane - j.parker@skillupws.co.uk or T: 0773 4494 755



Study Up Somerset

Find out how to access the range of degrees, degree apprenticeships, professional qualifications, higher education and courses in Somerset

www.studyupsomerset.org.uk/
