



TyneCoastCollege

Tyne Coast College

Skills Plan

2022 – 2025

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Tyne Coast College Skills Plan

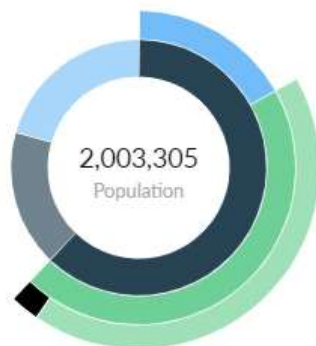
Economic Overview:

Our Region:

As the most northern Local Enterprise Partnership region in England bordering Scotland, the North East in a mix of urban, suburban and rural areas spanning seven local authority areas. With 2million people, the Northeast is the ninth largest LEP area by population. Those qualified to degree level equates to 33.6% of the population. As of 2021, the region's population increased by 1.9% since 2016 growing by 37,668. Population is expected to increase by 1.3% by 2026 which will add a further 25,281. 53,000 are unemployed from a total working age population of 1.2 million. The age group demographic for 16-34 years old is 24%. 35-54-year-olds equates to 24.2% of the population. 55-74-year-olds equates to 25% of the population. Under 16 year old's equates to 17%.

The northeast has 365,502 millennials (aged 25-39) against the national average for an area of this size of 377,600.

2021 Labour Force Breakdown



	Population
● Total Working Age Population (16-64)	1,243,968
● Not in Labour Force (16+)	336,082
● Labour Force	907,886
● Employed	855,041
● Unemployed	52,845
● Under 16	346,533
● Over 64	412,804

Economy Overview

2,003,305
Population (2021)
Population grew by 37,668 over the last 5 years and is projected to grow by 25,281 over the next 5 years.

770,779
Total Regional Employment
Jobs decreased by 9,820 over the last 5 years and are projected to decrease by 828 over the next 5 years.

£25.2k
Avg. Wages Per Job (2021)
Regional average wages per job are £5.3k below the national average wages of £30.4k per job.

North Tyneside: Economy Overview

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South Tyneside: Economy Overview

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Population Characteristics

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Your area has 365,502 millennials (ages 25-39). The national average for an area this size is 377,600.



Retirement risk is about average in your area. The national average for an area this size is 698,831 people 55 or older, while there are 746,523 here.



Racial diversity is low in your area. The national average for an area this size is 283,930 racially diverse people, while there are 104,204 here.

Age demographics:

North Tyneside:

Demographics

2021 Age Cohort Demographics



Age Cohort	2021 Population	2021 Percent
Under 16 years	143,253	17.1%
16 to 34 years	210,189	25.1%
35 to 54 years	199,632	23.9%
55 to 74 years	206,707	24.7%
75 years and over	77,219	9.2%

South Tyneside:

Demographics

2021 Age Cohort Demographics



Age Cohort	2021 Population	2021 Percent
Under 16 years	203,280	17.4%
16 to 34 years	271,252	23.3%
35 to 54 years	285,912	24.5%
55 to 74 years	297,303	25.5%
75 years and over	108,559	9.3%

[Source: EMSI Economic Modelling 01.08.22]

Long-term unemployment:

In South Tyneside, long-term unemployment is higher than that of the Northeast (5.9%) and also England (4.1%). 4,600 people have been unemployed for a period of 12 months or more, which is 6.6% of the economically active population.

In North Tyneside, long-term unemployment is at 5.4% of the economically active population (5400 people). This is 0.4% less than the Northeast average, however, 1.3% more than that of England.

Regional Structure:

TCC is positioned in the North East LEP area.

South Tyneside College (including South Shields Marine School) resides in South Tyneside with Tyne Metropolitan College residing in North Tyneside, both of which are located in Tyne & Wear.

The landscape covers 7 local authorities. Newcastle; Northumberland; Sunderland; Durham; Gateshead; North Tyneside and South Tyneside.

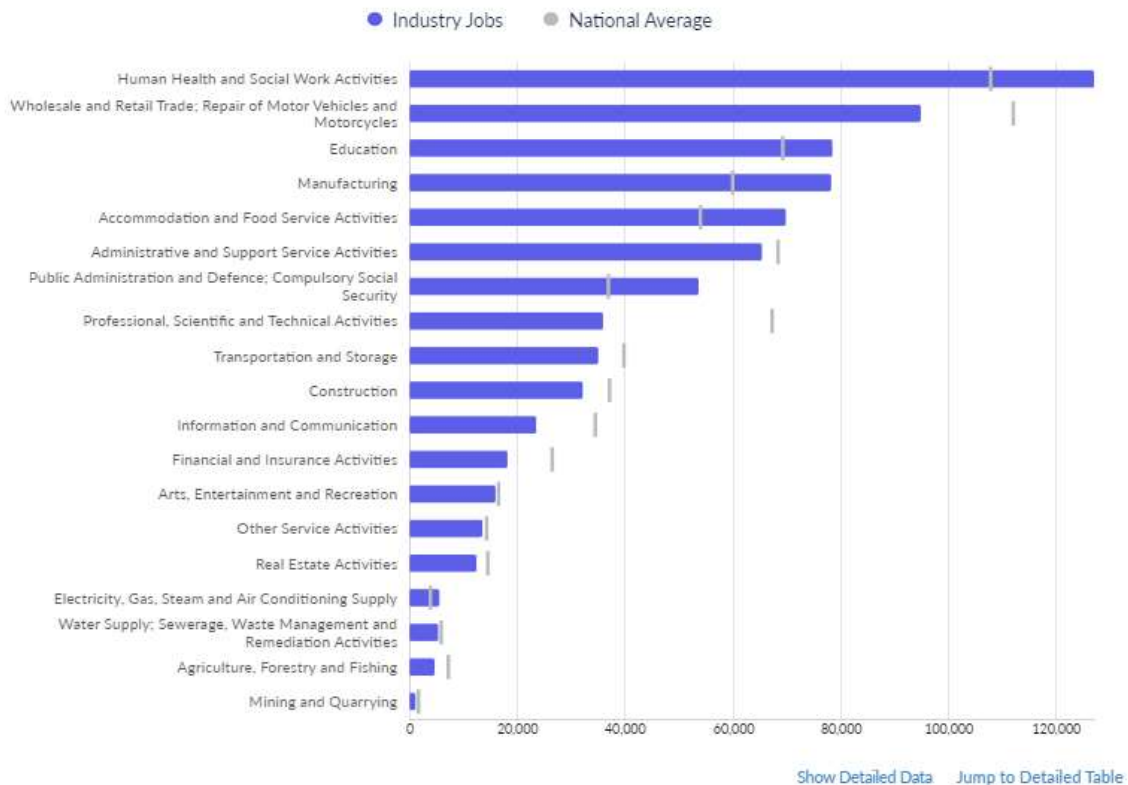
The North of Tyne Combined Authority begins at the most southerly boundary of Northumberland. It encompasses Newcastle, North Tyneside and Northumberland Local Authority Districts. The LSIP for North Tyneside was commissioned by the North East Chamber of Commerce (NECC) and covers this geographical area. This area supports provision using both devolved and non-devolved funding.

South Tyneside begins South of the River Tyne, encompassing Sunderland and South Tyneside, consisting of South Shields and surrounding towns. The LSIP for South Tyneside was commissioned by the North East Automotive Alliance, (NEAA). This area supports provision using non-devolved funding, (ESFA), and covers south of the river, Gateshead, South Tyneside, Sunderland, down to the boarder of the Tees Valley.

Regional characteristics:

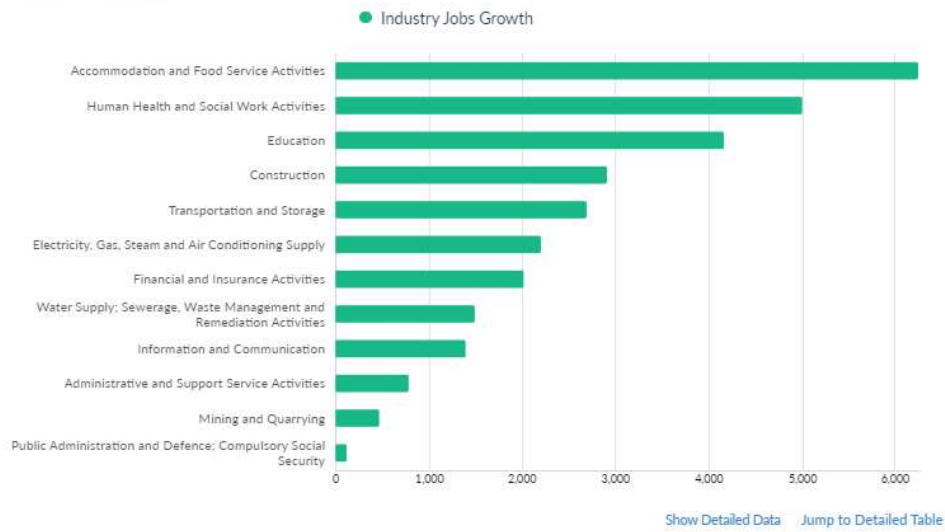
Characteristics of largest industries:

Largest Industries



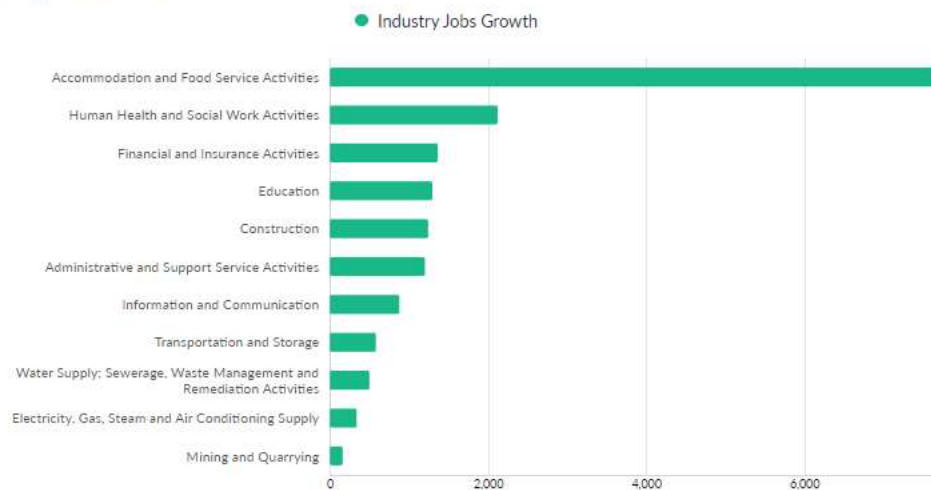
Characteristics of top growing industries:

Top Growing Industries



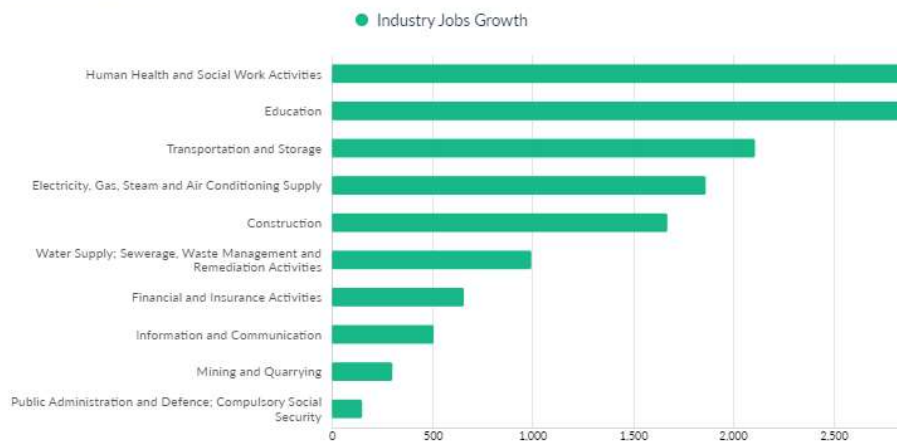
North Tyneside:

Top Growing Industries



South Tyneside:

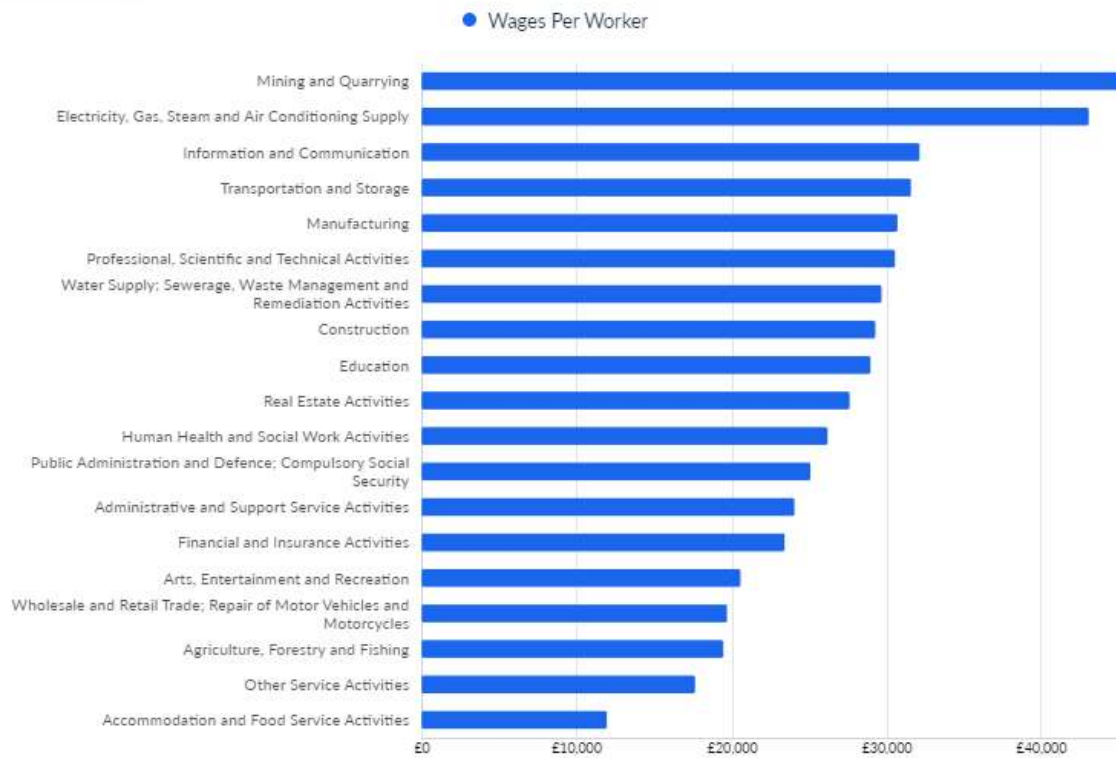
Top Growing Industries



Characteristics of top industry wages:

Top Industry Wages

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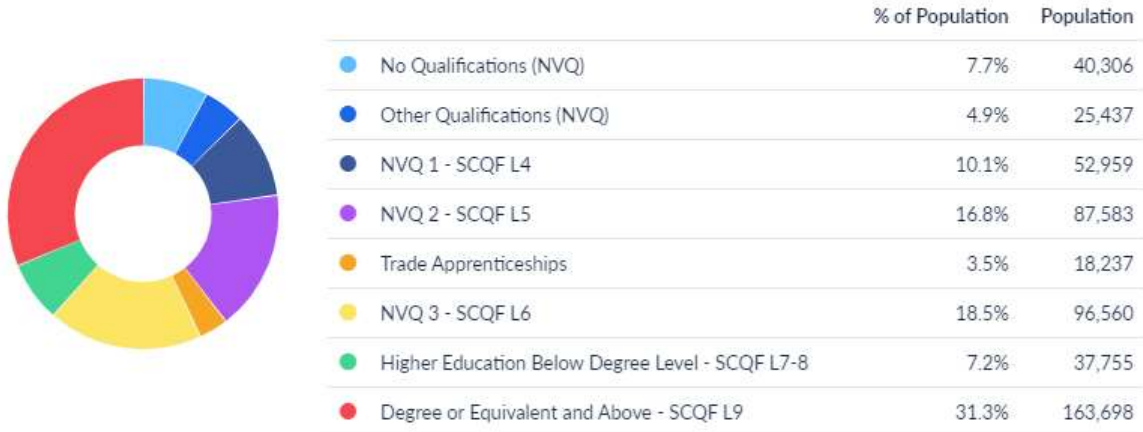


Educational attainment: North Tyneside:

Educational Attainment

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Concerning educational attainment, 31.3% of the selected regions' residents possess a Degree or Equivalent and Above - SCQF L9 (2.2% below the national average), and 7.2% hold a Higher Education Below Degree Level - SCQF L7-8 (0.8% below the national average).

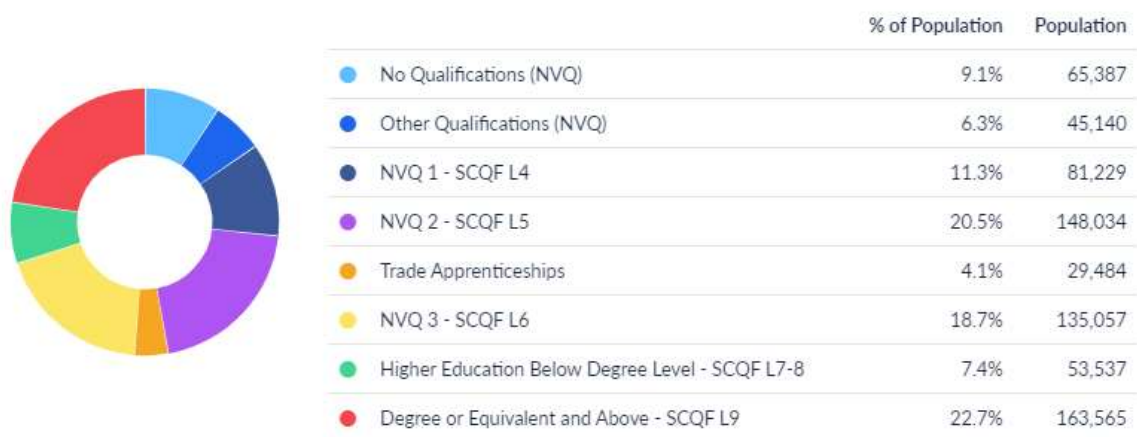


South Tyneside:

Educational Attainment

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Concerning educational attainment, 22.7% of the selected regions' residents possess a Degree or Equivalent and Above - SCQF L9 (10.9% below the national average), and 7.4% hold a Higher Education Below Degree Level - SCQF L7-8 (0.6% below the national average).



Areas of strategic importance:

In 2019, the North East LEP published their areas of strategic importance. (*Creating more and better Jobs January 2019*). South Tyneside will continue to work with the Northeast Combined Authority to create the best possible conditions for growth in jobs and investment.

In a recent update from the North East LEP in September 2022, the areas of strategic importance and strategic drivers have been defined.

Tyne Coast College will ensure that the local skills plan (that outlines the areas of strategic importance), is aligned with our curriculum intent.

- Digital
- Advanced Manufacturing*
- Health and Life sciences
- Energy

Enabling services:

- Education
- Financial, profession and business services
- Transport and Logistics
- Construction

*Advanced manufacturing can be defined by electrification, sustainability, carbon neutral, advancing engineering, manufacturing, digital/connectivity-smart logistics

Tyne Coast College's Curriculum Intent:

NoTCA's skills priorities support the North of Tyne's Economic vision. The strategic skills plan 2021-23 and the priorities, actions and measures from the plan have been used to reform and align the curriculum intent at Tyne Coast College.

South Tyneside Local Authority priorities support the Economic recovery plan (updated in 2022) with the ambition for skills reform and business support, maximising green and digital support and boosting culture assets and amazing places.

Tyne Coast College's ambition:

The ambition of Tyne Coast College is to:

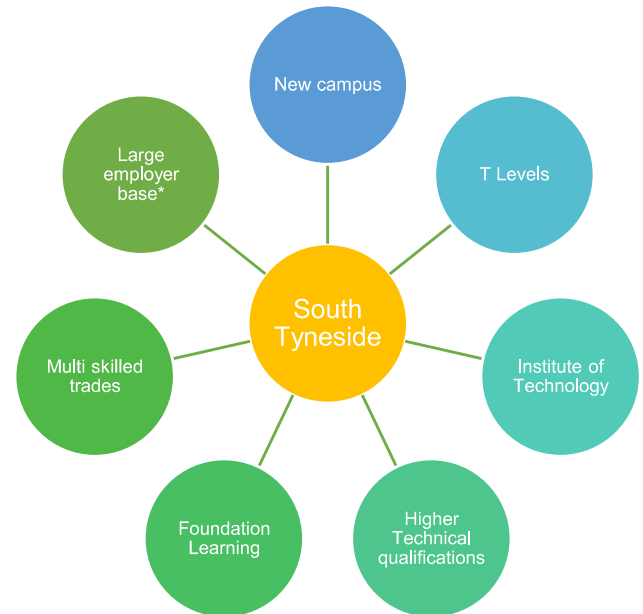
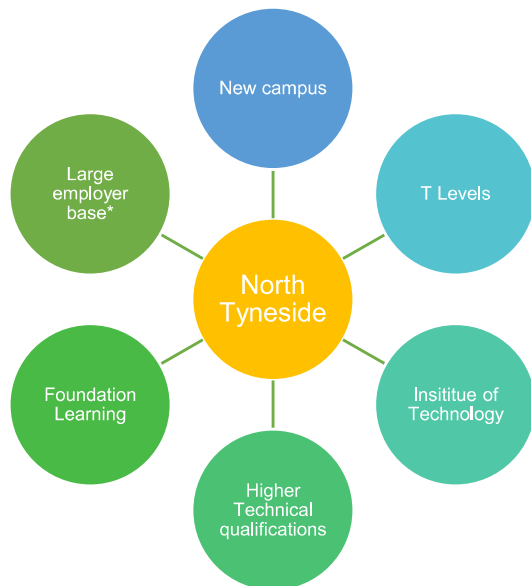
<p>Secure better outcomes for young people</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provide a range of flexible learning opportunities to support local area needs. Boost careers advice and guidance by working closely with schools and key employers by creating new pre-employment schemes. Work with external stakeholders to support multi-agency approach to deliver demand led curriculum.
<p>Provide key opportunities to local people to upskill</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • support individuals progression to positive outcomes. Reduce unemployment. Reduce skills gap. Work with employers and training providers to upskill and reskill learners focussing on digital skills and green jobs.
<p>Help people progress into sustainable work</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • offer diverse and varied models of practice – distance learning, face to face teaching, sector-based work academies which extends to offer learning opportunities to a broader range of underrepresented groups. Help those with complex needs to move into their chosen destinations through the creation of Skills builder access to develop transferable skills into adulthood.
<p>Next step Hubs</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Create a comprehensive, joined up package for the newly unemployed through an Employment and Skills hub that tackles barriers to work / learning, boosts employability and creates career pathways into great jobs.
<p>Promote our connections</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Collaborative Work closely with both North Tyneside and South Tyneside Local Authorities to develop 'fit for purpose' Colleges of the future. It is the intention that South Tyneside will become a UK-leader on low-carbon, advanced manufacturing and digital training to both upskill local community and attract new business to both the College and the Borough.

We will achieve this ambition by;



Skills priorities, developments, and specialisms for TCC:

The below outlines the forthcoming opportunities for TCC and the current specialisms;



Large employer base including:

- Northern Power Grid
- Tyne North Training
- Queen Elizabeth Hospital
- NHS

Large employer base including:

- Mercedes
- British Engines
- Vic Young
- South Tyneside Homes
- Sunderland University

College of the Future:

Our promise is to provide our employers and communities with the highest quality of education and training, for our students, of all ages to support life-long learning.

We also pledge to build resilience, respect, collaboration, inclusivity, and ambition in all our students. We will further enhance our promise (in line with the Economic Inclusion and Skills action plan) to continue to provide learning programmes that lead to paid and voluntary employment.

As a strong collaborative college group, we will secure local ownership of national skills and local funds. There are known skills mismatches, both nationally and regionally; we will respond to these by creating a flexible can-do approach that is employer responsive and that meets local need through the offer of an ambitious and innovative curriculum.

TCC will upskill and reskill residents in the local community. Leaders and managers will endeavor to continue to involve employers and key stakeholders in the effective design and implementation of the curriculum, to ensure we prepare students for future education, training and employment.

Information from TCC's own curriculum plan will include priority areas supported through the Local Skills Improvement Plan, the NELEP plan, the Advisory Boards' objectives and will form our Accountability Agreement.

Think 'career', not 'course'

