

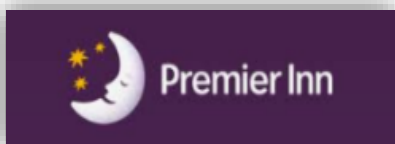
Website Updates for the Spring Term

External work placements

Nine external work placements were completed last term:

Alisa worked at Premier Inn where she was responsible for supporting restaurant staff to clear away after the breakfast service and set up the restaurant ready for the lunch time service.

She went on to work at the Dressing Room Café in Chorlton. Under the supervision of Emily Potter, Learning Mentor, she learned to use the till, write down orders, set trays, serve customers and make coffees independently using a bean-to-cup coffee machine.



Some feedback comments from Emily Potter:

"Alisa is very willing to try everything and listens very carefully to instructions."

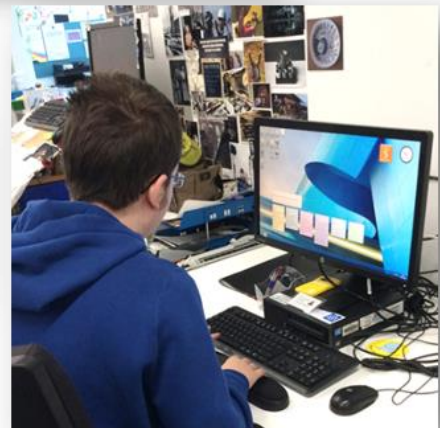
"Alisa knows what tasks need doing, she is able to initiate tasks which is great."

"Alisa worked amazingly today. She worked entirely independently."

Michael worked at the Beefeater restaurant last term where his duties were to assist restaurant staff in clearing the restaurant after breakfast and set it up ready for lunch time.

Michael is now on placement at the Speech and Language Resource Centre at MMU. He checks, cleans and returns resources to cupboards, makes resources, helps set up student activities and cleans and tidies resource rooms used by students.

Michael is very keen to begin tasks straight away, listens well to instructions and tries hard to complete all his tasks.



Kaine worked at the Entertainer toy shop in the Arndale Centre. He unpacked new stock, stocked shelves and assisted customers. This required him to be knowledgeable about the products in store and demonstrate them when necessary.

Kaine showed excellent communication skills during conversations both with members of staff and the public.



Ali and Damarius worked at the Manchester Aquatics Centre. They did general cleaning duties such as sweeping staircases, vacuuming, cleaning gym equipment, cleaning windows and wiping down tables in the café area.

Damarius takes great pride in his work and Ali showed much enthusiasm.



Joe completed his work placement at the children's nursery at Lancashire County Cricket Club. He helped set up the arts and crafts and helped at snack time to make toast, juice and then tidy up.

The staff presented Joe with a lovely card at the end of his placement thanking him for his help and remarking on his growing confidence each week.



Dominika worked at McDonalds in Chorlton. She was responsible for clearing tables, wiping down tables and chairs, sweeping and mopping floors and re-stocking condiments.

Dominika loves being on work placement. She remains focussed on her tasks and completes them to a high standard.

