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TUESDAY

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THEME: ROUTES INTO HE

Our acts are committed to helping young people make an informed decision about their futures. On the second day of HE Fest they are telling us all about the routes through higher education and where they can lead.

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Main Stage

10:00 – 10:45

Helping you to understand the North East labour market and how this can inform your next steps

Hosted by North East LEP

An overview of the North East labour market, using current data to identify trends in jobs and sectors across the region and explaining the key skills that businesses are seeking. This information is crucial in supporting decisions about your next steps and ensuring you are well placed to meet the future needs of employers.

11:00 – 11:45

Graduate Labour Market Potential

Hosted by the Institute of Student Employers

In this session, Stephen will discuss which sectors might be strengthened and continue to recruit following the effects of Covid-19. He will also share insights from student employers and how careers services can use this information to support the graduates of the future.

Teacher & Adviser Tipi



11:00 – 11:45

Higher Education in an FE Setting

Hosted by FutureMe

An overview of the higher education provision delivered by Further Education Colleges in the North East. It is recommended for anyone in an advisory role for young people considering their HE options.

13:30 – 14:00

NERUPI and the North East Regional Progression Framework

Hosted by Outreach North East

The session, for widening participation practitioners, will focus on embedding NERUPI within a Regional Progression Framework to support impactful evaluation of activities to support higher education progression.

Outreach North East



10:00 – 12:00

North East Virtual Employer Exhibition

Speak to employers in the region and find information and resources from them!

Partner Stage



14:00 – 15:00

What is a Foundation Degree?

Hosted by New College Durham

This session looks at what a foundation degree is and why students should consider choosing one. It then looks at typical entry requirements and finishes with destroying the myths around foundation degrees.

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Parent and Carer Information Session

Hosted by Teesside University

As a parent or carer, you play a very important role in helping your child in their journey to university. At the moment this journey may seem even more uncertain than usual. It continues to be a very challenging time for all of us but we want to reassure you that we're here to support you and your child – now and in the coming months.

To help answer any questions you may have about your child's progress to university we are hosting a series of parent and carer sessions.

Join us online to hear about the application process and student finance, and to ask your questions. It's a great opportunity to get the information you need to support your child.

Social Zone



10:00 – 16:00

Live Q&A in the Social Zone

Hosted by the North East Raising Aspiration Partnership