

Our Mission Statement

Our vision is to develop a more socially inclusive and environmentally sustainable society. We aim to do this by becoming the leading training provider supporting individuals and organisations in meeting the UN 17 Sustainable Development Goals and supporting workforce development to enable organisations to deliver against them. We also plan to become the first true net zero training provider in the country. We want to help change the shape of how education and training is delivered so that it too supports a more sustainable future for all of us and the generations to come.

So how are we going to achieve this?

We have set out a clear strategy to include the following;

- Raise awareness of the importance of training the workforce on sustainability and energy efficiency, enabling businesses to manage associated risks in a more effective way
- Lobby Government to make Sustainability and Energy Efficiency a mandatory element of all training alongside Safeguarding, Prevent and British Values, Health & Safety and Equality, Diversity and Inclusion in all apprenticeship delivery
- Promote the positive influence our programmes are having on individuals and organisations quantifying the economic and social impacts
- Become the first education establishment in the country to gain accreditation for Social Impact and promote the value of this within the Adult Education sector
- Work with partner organisations to develop a greater breadth of sustainability and energy related programmes aligned to the needs of business and supporting economic growth whilst also developing a range of progression routes
- Work with Government to ensure all funding and regulatory bodies fully embrace the use of technology in the delivery of education and training and challenge any negative perceptions related to the quality, cost and impact
- Position ourselves to be available, participate in and, where possible, lead on all government and sector lead consultations and pilots relating to a more sustainable and energy efficient approach to the delivery of education and training
- Become in leader in promoting sustainability within the Adult Education and Skills sector by writing and implementing a Net Zero Carbon Strategy with the aim of achieving this by 2025

Revision History

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