Eligibility Criteria

Employment Programme

1) Applicants must hold Falkland Islands Status, or Permanent Residence Permit (PRP) and have resided in the Falkland Islands for 12 months. Prior to application date.

2) You must also have completed Secondary Education for a period of 12 months and be under retirement age.

3) The Employment Programme is only available within the Stanley City boundary, and will not be offered outside these areas.

4) Applicants must have been unemployed for 6 weeks, or can show that their total income for that period has been less than £50.00 per week .

5) Applicants for the Employment Programme must be physically fit, and are required to complete Occupational Health and a local Vetting (Police) checks.

6) Applicants must be willing to undertake any Careers Guidance session and training as required. Applicates must also prove they have been activity seeking employment.

7) Applicants will be expected to complete 20 hours of work in a suitable work placement, upon acceptance on to the programme, only hours worked will be paid.

8) Applicants will be entitled to two weeks paid sick leave/year—Any illnesses over 5 days must be accompanied with a Dr's certificate.

9) Falkland College has the right to refuse any applicant onto the programme, if they have previously misled, failed to engage with the Employment Programme or misused alcohol or drugs whilst in the work place or have a chronic history of alcohol and drug abuse.

10) Applicant can only join the programme once a suitable work placement has been secured. Failing to secure a work placement within 3 months of application would result in not being able to join the programme.

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