

YOUTH UNEMPLOYMENT A MAJOR CHALLENGE

30% of Young People in the labour market are unemployed (Five Year Average of 2013-2017)

Over 30% of Young People have no certification

Near 50% of school leavers could not find employment due to lack of work experience

Youth in Poverty need opportunity and assistance

RISK factors such as behavioural issues, learning deficits, disabilities, criminal history must be addressed



Untapped Potential



JOB START PLUS

To provide young people not in employment, education or training with **A YEAR OF EMPLOYMENT** to gain work experience and to better position them for future employment opportunities

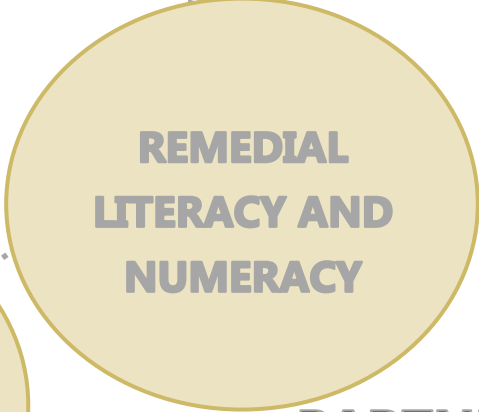


JOB START PLUS: PART OF THE SOLUTION

Placements Needed with large and small businesses, skilled tradesmen, craftsmen and artisans and the third sector



Stipend of \$150 per week



Help will be provided to plan and manage placements

PARTNERSHIP agreement will be made between Government and Employer