



YOUNG PEOPLE

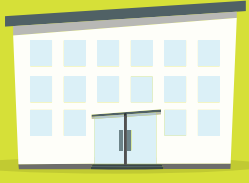


EDUCATION PROFESSIONALS

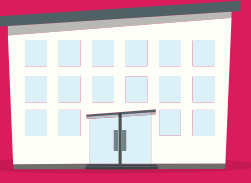


BUSINESSES

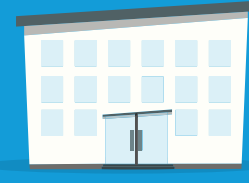
WHO'S RESPONSIBILITY IS IT?



17% was organised by their school.



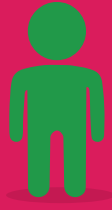
64% believe schools/colleges are responsible.



45% believe schools/colleges are responsible.



52% of young people organised their own work experience.



12% believe young people are responsible.



24% believe young people are responsible.



14% was organised by their parents.



16% believe parents are responsible.



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WHAT ARE THE CURRENT ISSUES?

a **half** had been forgotten about at least once.



a **fifth** of teachers said they were ill-equipped to give careers advice.



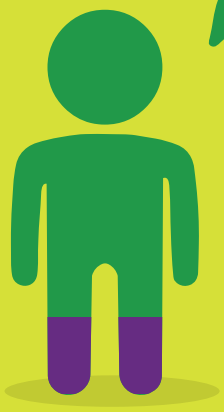
Most said this was down to insufficient training and too little personal experience of the jobs market.

over half do not feel they have sufficient resources to run work experience.



HOW CAN THIS BE IMPROVED?

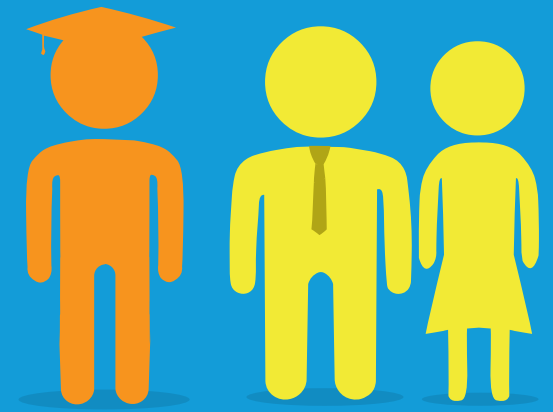
a fifth felt poorly prepared or not prepared at all



over a half of schools want businesses to provide info about careers, employment opportunities and entry points in their sector.



two thirds of businesses want a stronger relationship with schools and colleges.



WHAT MAKES A GOOD CANDIDATE?

Young people believe that team work, relevant qualifications and good contacts are the skill needed to get a job.



Education professionals think that positive attitudes towards work, basic literacy & numeracy and communication skills are needed by young people to get a job.



62% of business leaders believe that work experience could give young people the skills needed to gain employment.

