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Ref: Guernsey College of Further Education Phased Opening

Dear Employer

Following the announcement of Guernsey progressing to Phase 3 of the exit strategy from lockdown, the Guernsey College of Further Education is planning a managed approach to opening, in line with Public Health guidance. Initially the opening will focus on, and be limited to, small groups of apprentices that are in the final year of their apprenticeship who need to complete practical elements of their course in order to be signed off as vocationally competent. This will be limited to apprentices from Construction and Engineering in the first stage where social distancing can be maintained.

This phased opening is planned for the week commencing 1 June 2020 and we will be in contact with the relevant employers and apprentices by the end of this week to advise them of the timings of these sessions. Sector specific emails will also be sent out at a later date providing further information.

We are currently awaiting further guidance from Ofqual and Awarding Organisations regarding their decisions concerning qualifications and we will also convey this information to you as soon as it is available.

Kind regards

The Apprenticeship Team