

Charnwood Training Group have been invited to play a major part in Ashfield School's vision of providing innovative and imaginative specialist and general education for all students.



This revolutionary initiative is taking place at the Ashfield Skills Centre, a £6.1 million project providing five realistic and practical learning environments.

Charnwood Training Group have recently relocated to Ashfield Skills Centre to open a new Hospitality & Catering Academy. This gives us and local communities a state-of-the-art, purpose-built facility which delivers vocational hospitality and catering training. It will also provide access to nationally recognised qualifications within these industries.

Learners have the opportunity to gain knowledge, experience and a nationally recognised qualification in a real work environment. The Academy includes a fully operational restaurant, bar and conference centre all open to the public.

# welcome to the new

What's more, learners have the opportunity to widen their abilities and reach their full potential, or gain sustainable employment within the hospitality and catering industry, and make a positive contribution to the local economy.

Opportunities are available for learners in the following areas:

- ★ Work Based Learning and Work Force Development - we provide a wide range of vocationally relevant qualifications that will help all learners to progress.
- ★ Functional Skills - we provide support for learners to achieve qualifications in Literacy, Numeracy and ICT.
- ★ Employability Skills - we will support learners to gain relevant skills to make a smooth transition into full-time employment.



The Academy offers an all-round, real life hospitality experience for learners from both further education colleges and local schools, including interactive training, demonstrations, industry visits, practical skills and development as well as offering functional skills to all 14 to 19-year olds.

We will also be organising a **Junior Academy** for 12 to 16-year olds who wish to join a Saturday morning group and learn more about the industry as a career. In addition, employer groups will be invited to the Academy to observe the training undertaken, subsequently helping to develop links between local businesses, schools and the Academy.

“The employer uses Charnwood because of their flexibility. Special needs re: dyslexia are strongly supported with ICT and other support. The Deputy Manager has been recommended for an award through Chamwood.

Widcombe Fair, Mansfield

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