

Smart 421 are 'Backing Young Suffolk'

"The IDEA Apprenticeship Scheme offered a mechanism to take a person on a temporary contract to join its internal Technical Infrastructure Team. It was less about adding a cost effective resource and more about facilitating localised support for one student who showed initiative, enthusiasm and aptitude for ICT."

Neil Miles, Smart 421



Apprenticeships give individuals the opportunity to complete on the job training enabling them to gain skills and qualifications while being employed. Apprenticeships give employers the chance to train and develop staff that meet the needs of their business while individuals the opportunity to gain the experience necessary for career progression. IDEA is looking for organisations like Smart 421 that have a strong use of IT, not just those who provide IT support to support apprentices within their organisations.

"There's not many low points. There are some tedious jobs that have to be done, such as documentation. But it must be like that with any job. I find it more inspiring than college alone. I know that I've learnt more here than I could have done if I only had the class work to do."

Dean Moodie, Apprentice



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