

Getting to know.... Ashley

I started at the Round About Café at the beginning of February 2015 and was referred via the Job Centre. I'm currently looking for work so this seemed like a good place to get some experience! I currently work once a week, on a Wednesday.

In my spare time I enjoy travelling, reading, watching films and playing games.

What skills did you develop as a result of the project?

I've learnt how to load the dishwasher and I'm learning to use the till. I'm also learning customer service skills, which I think will come in really handy when I apply for jobs. I'm looking for a job in retail so this is good experience.

What is your favourite thing in the café

The sausage bap is a favourite and the chocolate cake is very nice! I'm also partial to a nice coffee. I enjoy meeting new people and learning new skills so I'm enjoying working here.

My funniest moment so far has been seeing Adam drop an egg on the floor!

How has working at the cafe helped your career?

I'm hoping that my experience working in the café will help me gain the skills and confidence I need to get a job. It will look good on my CV and I hope for a good reference.

I think it looks good on Radian that they are involved in this project – it is helping me and I enjoy it.



The Cafe – we're enjoying working with Ashley; he's always really positive and helpful. We hope that his time in the café will help him find work elsewhere and think he would be an asset to any organisation!