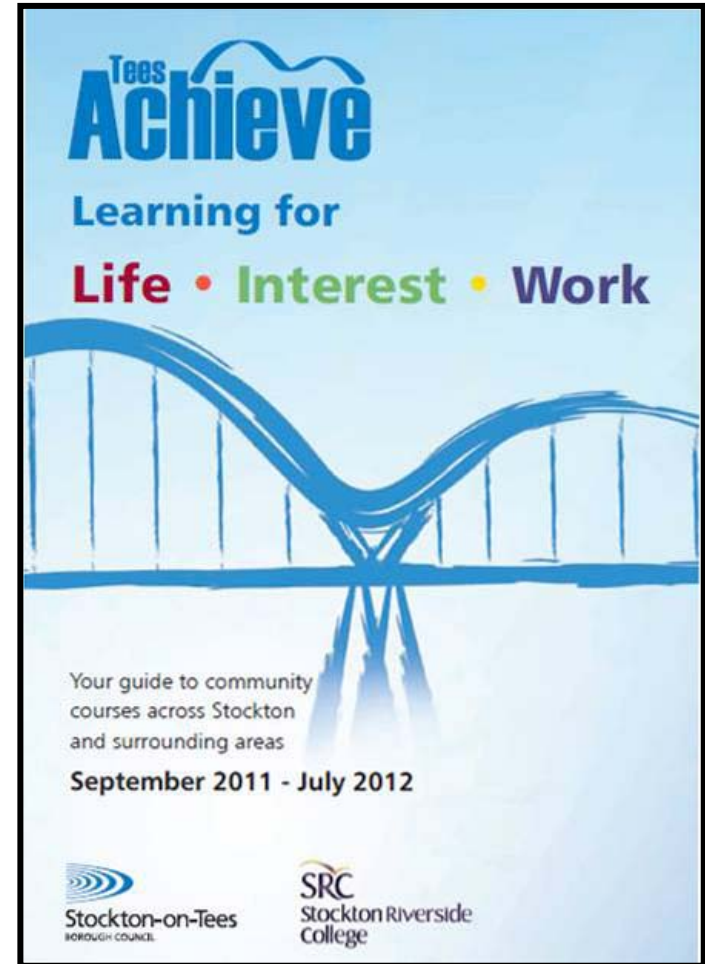


The largest public sector Adult Learning provider in the Tees Valley



“Tees Achieve is nothing like school. Once you’ve made that first step through the door, you’re made for life”

Quality Marks



Focussed monitoring visit – March 2010

Significant progress in:

- Self-assessment & improvement planning
- Use of management information





Woodcraft

“I was very pleased that a person of my age was welcomed by your staff and given all the information I needed. Thank you for not telling me I was too old.”



**Fine
arts**

Cake decoration



'The Nail Bar'



Silversmithing and Beadwork



“Being on the course has helped me get out of the house and back into learning, after suffering from post-natal depression.”

Cookery



“The course boosted my confidence. I feel that I will be more successful applying for jobs, as I now have what employers are looking for.”

Joinery



Skills for Life residential



“For the first time ever
I have been able to
write my daughter a
birthday card.”

Computer skills



“I was really frightened to learn about computers, but my confidence has grown. It has opened up a new world for me. I have come on leaps and bounds. Now I can send emails and order on the Internet.”

Marketing - Information Day in the workplace



Did you know....?

In 2009-2010 Tees Achieve had:

7,456 enrolments,

**including 1,987 learners from
disadvantaged areas of the
borough**

Did you know....?

We use

109 venues

community centres, schools,
children's centres, village halls,
places of worship, dance studios,
sports clubs, employers' premises,
allotments, etc....

Did you know....?

We run

Many courses leading to qualifications

English, Maths, computing, first aid, sign language, door security, enterprise, food hygiene, youth work employability, etc.

Paediatric First Aid



and...

**Lots of informal learning
to improve residents' life skills
and their quality of life**

eg. researching your family history,
silversmithing, African cookery,
salsa, allotment gardening, Greek,
Pilates etc.



Tai Chi

Did you know....?

In 2009-2010 we successfully trained

270 apprentices

in joinery, construction maintenance, warehousing, business administration, childcare, adult care, youth work, customer service, teaching assistants, retail, etc.

Apprentice on work placement



Did you know....?

Over 95% of local employers who offered an apprenticeship said their business benefitted.

Where are our apprentices now?

- **Acting PA to our Corporate Director**
- **Senior finance technician and bursar to 17 schools**
- **4 self-employed in construction industry**
- **10 in university**

We work with....



and many more...

Offenders serving Community Sentences

Providing what is needed
for employment and
social reintegration:

- ❖ Information, Advice & Guidance
- ❖ Skills for Life assessment
- ❖ Progression to closed groups for English and maths



Maths doesn't have to be taught in a classroom

Family learning residential at Peat Rigg



English and citizenship for migrants can help community cohesion



Studying citizenship on a trip to the Houses of Parliament

A multi-cultural English class engaged in discussion





A migrant thanks Tees Achieve on the town centre Soapbox

Learning together with 'Sing for your Supper'



Visit www.youtube.com and search for "Stockton Soapbox"

Stockton United

The World Cup -
bringing communities
together



Participants
overcame
prejudices and
misconceptions –
“A massive
learning experience
and a humbling
process.”

Neighbourhood Learning in Deprived Communities



Volunteers running a luncheon club at Challoner House, as a result of completing a Food Hygiene course with Tees Achieve

Hardwick Park and Dene improvement



**Foundation
Learning 16-18s
Voluntary
Community
Project**



Foundation Learning for 16-18s not in education, employment or training



'...despite being from different cultures with different values, we face the same issues in encouraging self-belief in our learners.'

Young learners visit John Bauer College in Sweden in June 2010, as part of a project to develop entrepreneurial skills

Foundation learning

“I have learnt that it takes only a slight spark to get a business idea up and running.”

from learners' evaluation of the Swedish trip

Foundation learning



Skills in horticulture developed in and around the greenhouse at Kiora Hall, Roseworth

Fashion design and production at Tees Achieve's unit in Stockton Business Centre





Our partnership wins a national award



Working with other local authorities - 'Teeslearn Moodle'

- a website designed for supporting learning
- a shared resource across the sub-region



Passionate about potential

Visit us at www.teeslearn.ac.uk/moodle

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Poor (0)
Satisfactory (0)
(Responses)

Topic outline


 **Tees Achieve** *Passionate about potential* 

What's On in Stockton?

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Safe Learning

Learner safety at home and in the classroom

Badger
Your Badger Page
Recommended Groups
Friends
What is Badger?

Latest News
Add a new topic...
28 Oct, 10:51
Kathy Howard
E-safety workshop more...
27 Oct, 15:20
Carol Gardner
CONGRATULATIONS! more...
7 Oct, 14:35
Kathy Howard
UNCUT fashion open day more...

Working with other authorities

WYSCY Peer Review and Development Group

- Challenging each other to improve quality systems



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Working with other authorities – response to the Spending Review

‘Efficiency Saving and Shared Services’ -
pilot research project in partnership with
Newcastle, Sunderland, Durham County
and Northumbria Councils

Group representation on the national
‘Expert Advisory Group’
– launch 24th November 2010

Local service for local people

In these challenging times we need to ensure that we continue to provide local services for local people.

Local authorities are the only Learning & Skills providers that are guaranteed to deliver locally and meet specific local needs.

And did you know.....?

All Tees Achieve's funding comes from external sources.

In 2009-2010 Tees Achieve received £4,389,628 in funding, of which £423,961 contributed to Stockton Borough Council core and operational services.