

**Achieve an Industry recognised qualification and have the opportunity to work within the Financial Services while at School.**

# Foundation Apprenticeship Pathfinder in Financial Services



**The pathfinder is delivered by Edinburgh College; Sighthill Campus, with Industry visits and work placements from a number of financial services organisations across Edinburgh**

## **Financial Services (SCQF 6)**

Financial Services: An Introduction  
Financial Services: The Regulatory Framework  
Financial Services: Communicating Effectively  
Financial Services: Promoting Positive Customer Relationships

**Edinburgh College; Sighthill Campus**

## **3 units from the Vocational Qualification – Providing Financial Services (SVQ 3)**

Developing yourself to improve and maintain workplace competence in a financial services environment  
Develop productive working relationships in a financial services environment  
Ensure you comply with regulations in the financial services environment

**In College and in the workplace**

## **Other Features:**

- This Pathfinder Apprenticeship is delivered over one year
- A one week work placement will potentially be completed during October (TBC)
- A two week work placement will potentially be completed during June (TBC)
- Individual industry days will be completed throughout the course (TBC)
- Will be completed during the travel column on a Tuesday and Thursday afternoon
- To be included in a schools course choice sheets (pilots indicate too much additional workload if above normal timetable)
- Target audience, as a guide, are students undertaking or have completed **Highers** in subjects such as English, Maths, Business Management, Administration & IT, Accounting, Economics, History, Modern Studies, etc.
- Recruitment will begin after the Easter school holidays. An induction may take place during the final four weeks of the summer term, potentially within a financial institution (TBC)

## **Progression: Employment within the Financial Services Sector**

Move into a Modern Apprenticeship in Financial Services

College/University courses in Business, Accounting, Economics, etc.

School leaver programmes at companies such as EY, Standard Life, amongst others