

Covid-19 Update: 14/10/2020

We are monitoring the developing situation carefully. Since my update of 2nd October, we have received several requests from apprentices and employers for students to attend classes remotely. In line with Government guidance relating to the new local alert levels, we have taken the decision to move all classes at the St Helens centre to remote delivery until half term. Examinations will take place as planned. If you are scheduled to attend the training centre within the next 2 weeks, please attend the sessions via Zoom. We hope to return to class attendance after half term.

As Stockport is not in the 'Very high' risk category planned classes will continue provided:

- The employer is happy for apprentices to continue attending.
- The apprentice feels comfortable attending classes and has not been in close contact with anyone displaying symptoms / tested positive of Covid-19.
- The apprentice is not experiencing symptoms of covid-19

Any apprentice who would prefer to attend remotely for any reason should contact their tutor.

Apprentices who attend classes must:

- Have their temperature checked on entry to the premises
- Scan the track and trace barcode scanner on entering the premises
- Wear a mask when moving around the premises, they are encouraged to wear a mask in the classroom.

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