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ODP SURGE

SUPPORT FOR UPSKILLING, RETENTION,
GROWTH & EDUCATION

Why become an ODP

CHAMPION
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PROJECT OVERVIEW

Getting into schools and colleges to give an insight into becoming an ODP, increasing potential uptake on the course and building the future of ODP'S

Challenge faced: Lack of dates at schools and colleges on open evenings or careers events. Finding contacts to build relationships with. Contacting trust representatives. People not knowing what an ODP is.

Opportunities: Being involved in future events, becoming a link member for the trust and an ODP AHP representative.

Actions Taken: Contacted the trust education team, spoke with management, started planning an open event within the trust. Spoke with the communication team

Impact: Getting more awareness around ODP's where we work and what we do. Having a stand at AHP day. Getting into schools from September

Leadership Learning: Throughout the mini project I learnt how to be more resilient and how a simple conversation can help build a network.

Future Plans: Creating an escape room for AHP day. Having more opportunities for schools and colleges going forwards

