



DETERMINED

**to support young people
to fulfil their potential**

*Helping young people feel safe,
valued, and ready for their next
steps.*

**Alternative Provision,
Counselling and Care across
Greater Manchester, the
North West and Beyond**

About JEP

Welcome to JEP Youth Engagement

At JEP Youth Engagement, we are **DETERMINED** to support young people to fulfil their potential. We seek to address barriers to learning to maximise equality of opportunity and by placing each learner at the heart of everything we do, with the aim of re-engaging our young people back into education.

We understand that barriers to engagement are unique to each young person's personal circumstances, life experiences, and specific needs and our learners are typically faced with significant and complex challenges.

We support young people who may have missed substantial portions of their education or who have had negative learning experiences, high levels of special educational needs and trauma impacting both their academic confidence and sense of belonging in society.

Therefore, we work in partnership with learners, families, schools and external agencies to both identify and then address every hurdle, however small or seemingly insurmountable, to ignite a desire to participate positively in society and equip them with the skills to do so.

We warmly welcome you to the JEP Community.

Why Come to JEP?

- Approved Alternative Provision provider for Salford, Bolton, Bury, Wigan, Manchester, Lancashire and Placements Northwest
- Relationship-Led, Young Person-Centred Approach
- Academic, Vocational, Enrichment and Wellbeing support all in one place
- All curriculum content delivered by Qualified Subject Specialists
- Focus on holistic progress - social, emotional, and academic

Impact at a Glance

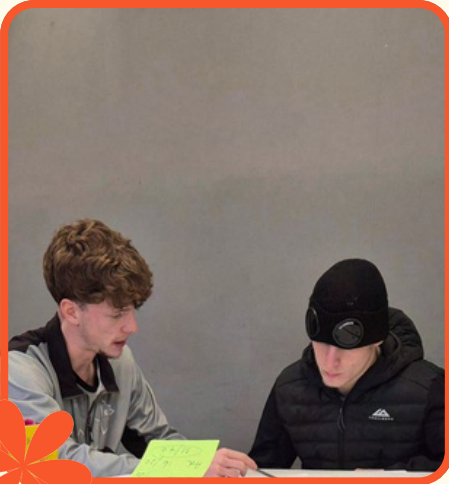
- 80% attendance rate - Higher than the national AP average of 67%
- 95% qualification pass rate across core and vocational subjects
- 82% of leavers transition into education, training, or employment

J.E Pilling

Jamie Pilling
Founder & CEO



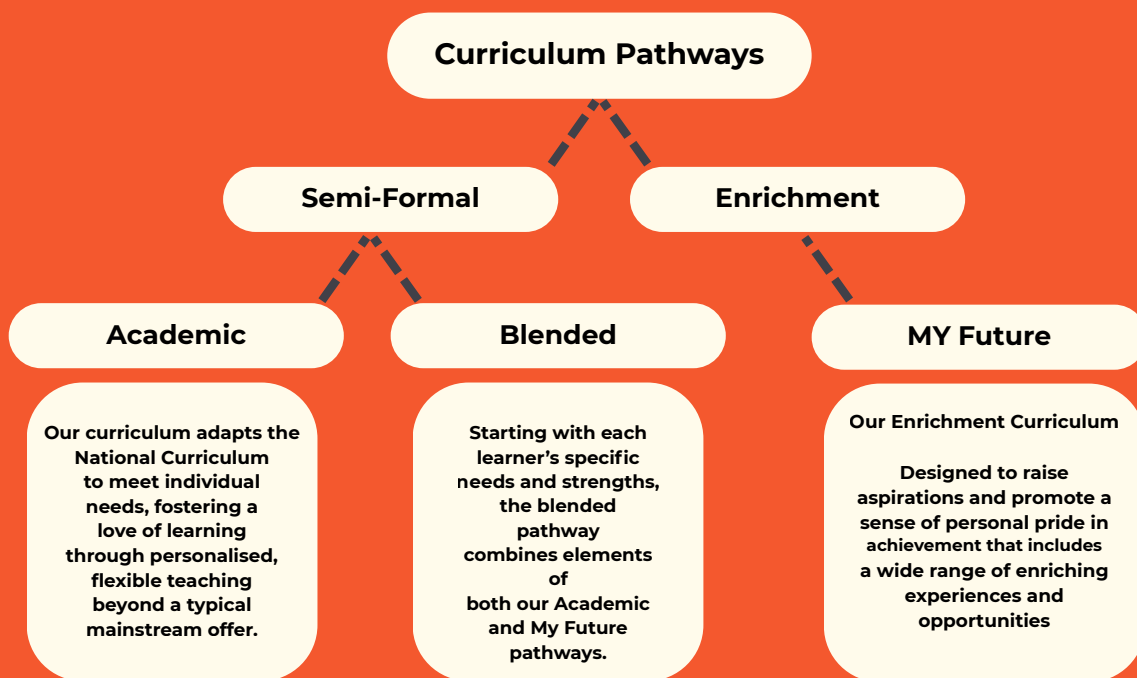
Alternative Provision



Secondary & Post-16 Alternative Provision

At our Secondary & Post-16 Provision, we offer a flexible, tailored curriculum that meets each young person at their point of need.

Our pathways combine academic, vocational, enrichment and life skills learning, all delivered by qualified teachers and supported by our dedicated Learning Support Mentor Team.



Small Group or 1:1 Sessions:

- Broad & Balanced Curriculum at KS3
- Baseline Assessments during Induction Process
- Targeted Maths /English Programmes from NFCE/VTCT through to GCSE Qualifications
- Option Subjects Available: Occupational Studies, Hair & Beauty, Art, PE, Humanities & IT
- Preparation for Adult Life Curriculum - Accredited through AQA Award Scheme
- Individual Learning Profile (ILP) created during induction process and updated throughout placement
- All taught by fully qualified Subject Specialists
- Targeted Interventions, working towards EHCP Targets
- Tailored Enrichment Activities
- Weekly Monitoring and Session Evaluation

Alternative Provision



Occupational Studies

Delivered at our Occupational Studies & Sports Hub, we are proud to offer NCFE-accredited learning, through modules covering trade skills such as:

- Joinery
- Plastering
- Mechanics
- Bricklaying
- Carpentry
- Electrical Work
- Plumbing



Hair & Beauty

We deliver the VTCT Level 1 Certificate in an Introduction to the Hair and Beauty Sector from our purpose built JEP Salon Spaces in Bolton & Salford.

Through hands-on learning and practical experience, young people develop essential skills and knowledge across areas including:

- Hair Styling Techniques
- Basic Beauty Treatments
- Client Care & Communication
- Health & Safety



Preparation for Adult Life

Careers. Finance. Independent Living. Mental Health.
DETERMINED

Preparation for Adult Life is a core part of our Secondary and Post-16 curriculum, equipping young people with the knowledge and confidence to thrive beyond education.

Learners complete AQA accredited units in Financial Management, Careers & Employability, Independent Living, Cooking & Food Preparation, and Mental Health First Aid.

Alternative Provision

MY Future (Mentoring Your Future) Enrichment Pathway

Our specialist enrichment and mentoring pathway for young people who need something different from traditional education.



JEP was founded on the belief that enrichment, real-world experience and meaningful relationships are powerful drivers of engagement and change for young people.

MY Future continues that vision providing bespoke, person-centred programmes that build confidence, independence, life skills and aspiration through mentoring, practical learning and purposeful progression opportunities.

Every young person's journey with us is shaped around their strengths, interests, EHCP/ILP outcomes and future goals.

Person-Centred Pathway

No two young people are the same, so no two MY Future programmes are the same.

From day one, we work closely with the young person, their family and professionals to create a bespoke placement package built around:

- EHCP/ILP Outcomes
- Social, Emotional, Mental Health Needs
- Communication and Sensory Profiles
- Interests, Strengths and Motivators
- Long Term Ambitions and Transition Goals



Enrichment & Real-World Learning

MY Future learning goes beyond the classroom. We focus on helping young people develop the practical, social and emotional skills they need for everyday life and future independence.

Programme Focus Areas Include:

- Personal Development and Wellbeing
- Life and Independent Living Skills
- Communication and Social Skills
- Enrichment & Community Experiences



AQA Units & Recognised Achievements

MY Future incorporates AQA Unit Award Scheme (UAS) opportunities, allowing young people to work towards accredited unit awards in areas linked to their interests and development goals.

This approach allows young people to experience success, build a portfolio of achievements, and develop confidence in their ability to learn and progress, often for the first time in a long while.



Alternative Provision



Primary Alternative Provision

Our Primary Provision gives children a fresh start in a warm, nurturing environment. Our creative approach helps each child grown into a kind, confident learner.

As well as covering core subjects like English, Maths, Science and Computing, we explore essential life skills such as staying safe, leadership skills, mental health, and on the move. Our experienced team builds personalised plans around each child's needs, interests and talents, helping thrive both in and out of the classroom.

Curriculum Pathways

Semi-Formal

Pioneer

A blend of academic and nonacademic curricula for young people working at or just below ARE, with additional pastoral support and intervention elements according to need.

Enrichment

Adventurer

A non-academic curriculum for young people designed to raise aspirations and promote a sense of personal pride in achievement that includes a wide range of enriching experiences and opportunities

KS1/KS2 1:1 or Group Sessions:

- Termly Intervention Programmes
- Baseline Assessments during Induction Process
- Targeted Maths/English at levels appropriate to development stage
- All academic content delivered by **Qualified Teachers**
- PHSE
- Co-Ordination Skills
- Practical Life Skills
- Leadership
- Mental Health
- On the Move
- Staying Safe

Alternative Provision



Outdoor Learning

At JEP Primary, we seek to engage our learners through nature, helping them to both learn about and love their environment.

Through guided activities such as tending to the JEP Allotment, our primary young people build resilience, confidence and independence through interaction with the natural world around them.

Community:

Community engagement and safety are key curriculum points at our Primary Provision. Some of our aims are:

- To recognise unsafe situations involving strangers and learning how to respond
- To understand different ways to travel to Secondary School



JEP Counselling



Lead by Head of Counselling Mikey Watt, the JEP Counselling Team are **DETERMINED** to improve mental health, decrease social exclusion and provide wraparound care that provides the foundation for a bright and prosperous future for all that we have the pleasure to work with.

As well as supporting the young people in our Alternative Provision, our Counsellors work across a number of Primary & Secondary Schools providing a bespoke therapeutic approach, because **ALL** children and young people need and deserve the space and opportunity to grow.

1:1 Therapeutic Counselling

We operate from a Person-Centered model and can also offer a range of other therapeutic models and techniques including:

Talking
Therapy

Psychotherapy

Play
Therapy

CBT

Our young people present with a variety of difficulties that we work on, including:

Anxiety

Trauma

OCD

Emotional Regulation

Grief

Self-Harm

Relationship Issues

Confidence/Self-Esteem

ACES

Anger Management

Behavioural Issues

Depression

School Re-Engagement & Pastoral Support:

The **Reconnect & Thrive** Programme provides targeted mentoring, coaching and small-group support designed to improve behaviour, attendance, emotional regulation and sense of belonging.

Our relational approach helps pupils re-engage with school life, build confidence, and make positive progress academically and socially.

We work closely with schools to support pupils who may be at risk of exclusion, disengagement or vulnerability, acting as a gateway to wider support where needed.

Who we support

- **Disaffected or disengaged from school**
- **At risk of suspension, exclusion or persistent absence**
- **Experiencing low-level emotional or behavioural difficulties**
- **Those lacking in confidence and resilience**
- **Struggling with relationships, respect or boundaries**
- **Vulnerable to exploitation, unsafe peer groups or negative influences**

1:1 Mentoring & Coaching

Focused individual sessions supporting:

- Emotional regulation and behaviour
- Routines, boundaries and respect
 - Attendance and punctuality
 - Confidence and self-esteem
- Goal-setting using SMART frameworks
 - Decision-making and resilience
- Preparation for adulthood and life skills

Targeted Group Programmes

Small group sessions focusing on:

- Respect, relationships and communication
 - Emotional regulation and self-management
 - Teamwork and belonging
- Healthy friendships and safe choices
- Identity, confidence and self-awareness
- Early intervention around risk-taking behaviours

Pastoral Re-Engagement Support

A flexible pathway including:

- Regular check-ins and wellbeing support
- Re-engagement sessions following suspension or absence
 - Practical support rebuilding routines
- Bridge-work to support return to mainstream lessons
 - Signposting to additional services where required

JEP Counselling

Supporting School Staff & Building Capacity

We also work alongside school staff to strengthen pastoral systems and responses.

This includes:

- Light-touch coaching for Heads of Year, Tutors and Pastoral Leads
- Strategies for managing low-level behaviour
- Guidance on re-engaging chronically disengaged pupils
- Training to recognise early signs of vulnerability or exploitation
- Joint goal-setting and progress reviews



Rob Williams
Reconnect & Thrive Lead

OUR GROUP WORK OFFER

Key Focus Areas

Our work aligns with current school priorities and national guidance around attendance, behaviour and inclusion.

We support improvement in:

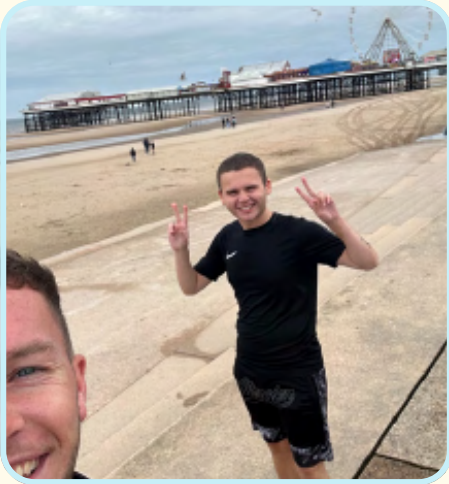
- | | |
|---------------------------------------|--|
| ✓ Attendance & Punctuality | ✓ Respect for Staff & Peers |
| ✓ Behaviour & Conduct | ✓ Sense of Belonging & Community |
| ✓ Emotional Regulation | ✓ Engagement & Readiness to Learn |

Measuring Impact

Impact is monitored using both qualitative and quantitative data, including:

- | | |
|--|--|
| ↗ SDQ or Warwick-Edinburgh Wellbeing Measures | ↗ Pupil Voice & Reflections |
| ↗ School Attendance & Behaviour Data | ↗ Staff Observations and Feedback |
| ↗ SMART Goal Tracking & Progress Reviews | ↗ Re-Integration & Re-Engagement Outcomes |

JEP Care, Respite & Outreach



Nestled in the peaceful surroundings of Chorley, our Residential Care Home offers a safe, nurturing, and supportive environment for children and young people who require solo occupancy care.

Our home is specifically designed for young people aged 8-18 who may be dealing with emotional, behavioural, or complex needs. At JEP Care, Respite & Outreach, we are committed to providing the stability, care, and attention each child deserves in a secure and homely setting.

Why JEP Care, Respite & Outreach?

At JEP Care, Respite & Outreach, we believe that every child is unique and should be treated with dignity, respect, and compassion. Solo occupancy ensures that the child receives individualised care, with an emphasis on emotional well-being, personal growth, and the development of life skills.

We aim to create a space where young people can feel secure and supported, allowing them to build trust and achieve their full potential.

Solo Occupancy Care

Our facilities are designed to accommodate one child at a time, providing a dedicated space for them to live comfortably and privately.

This approach allows us to focus entirely on the child's specific needs without the distractions or challenges of a group environment. Solo occupancy also promotes emotional safety, giving the young person a sense of belonging in a home where they are the priority.

Highly Trained, Compassionate Staff

At JEP Care & Respite, our staff is our greatest asset. Our team of caregivers are highly experienced in working with young people who may have experienced trauma, loss, or other life challenges.

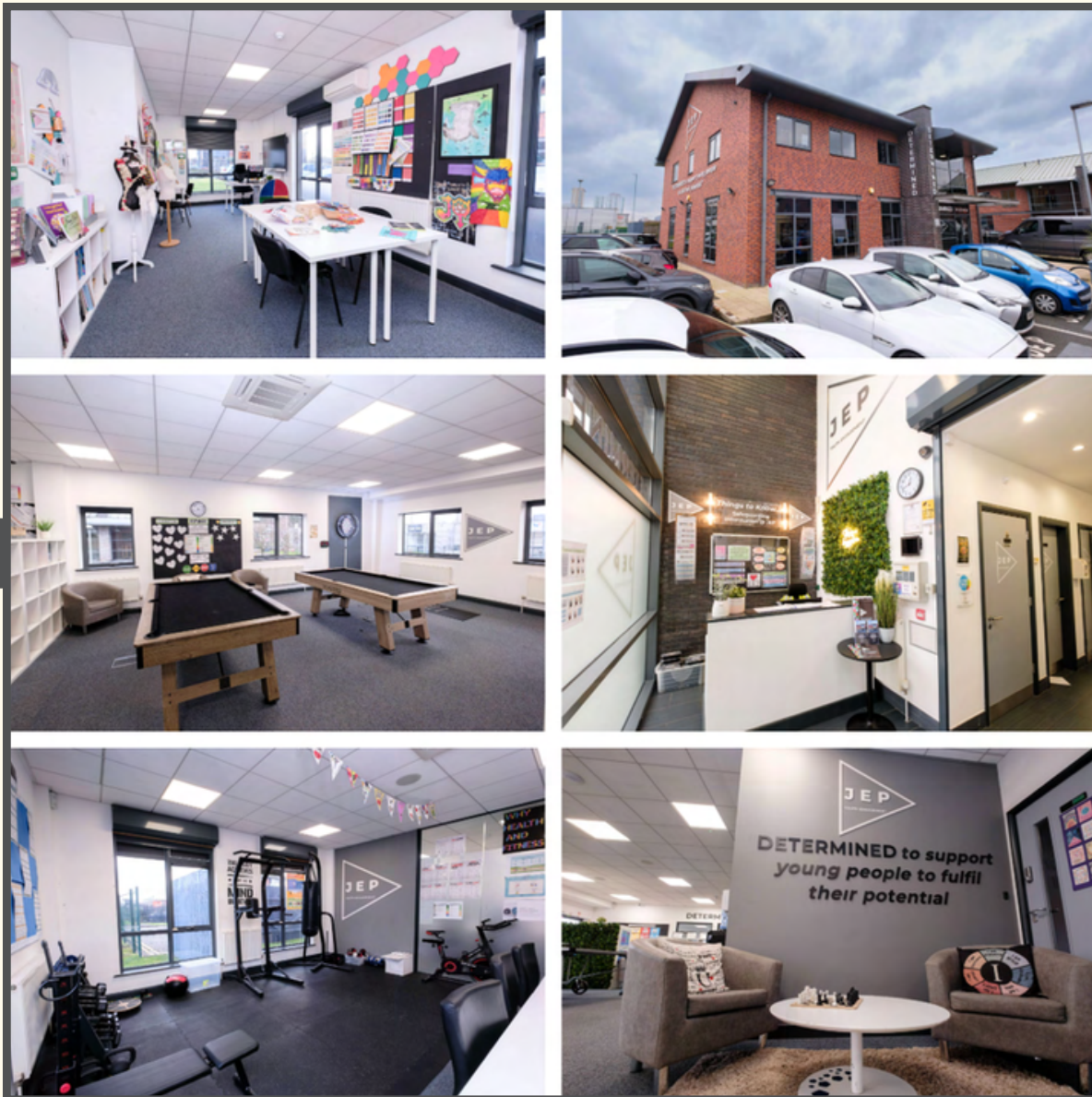
24/7 Support & Supervision

Safety is a top priority at JEP Care & Respite.

Our home offers round-the-clock care and supervision, ensuring that each young person is always supported.

Our Locations

Salford Secondary Education Hub

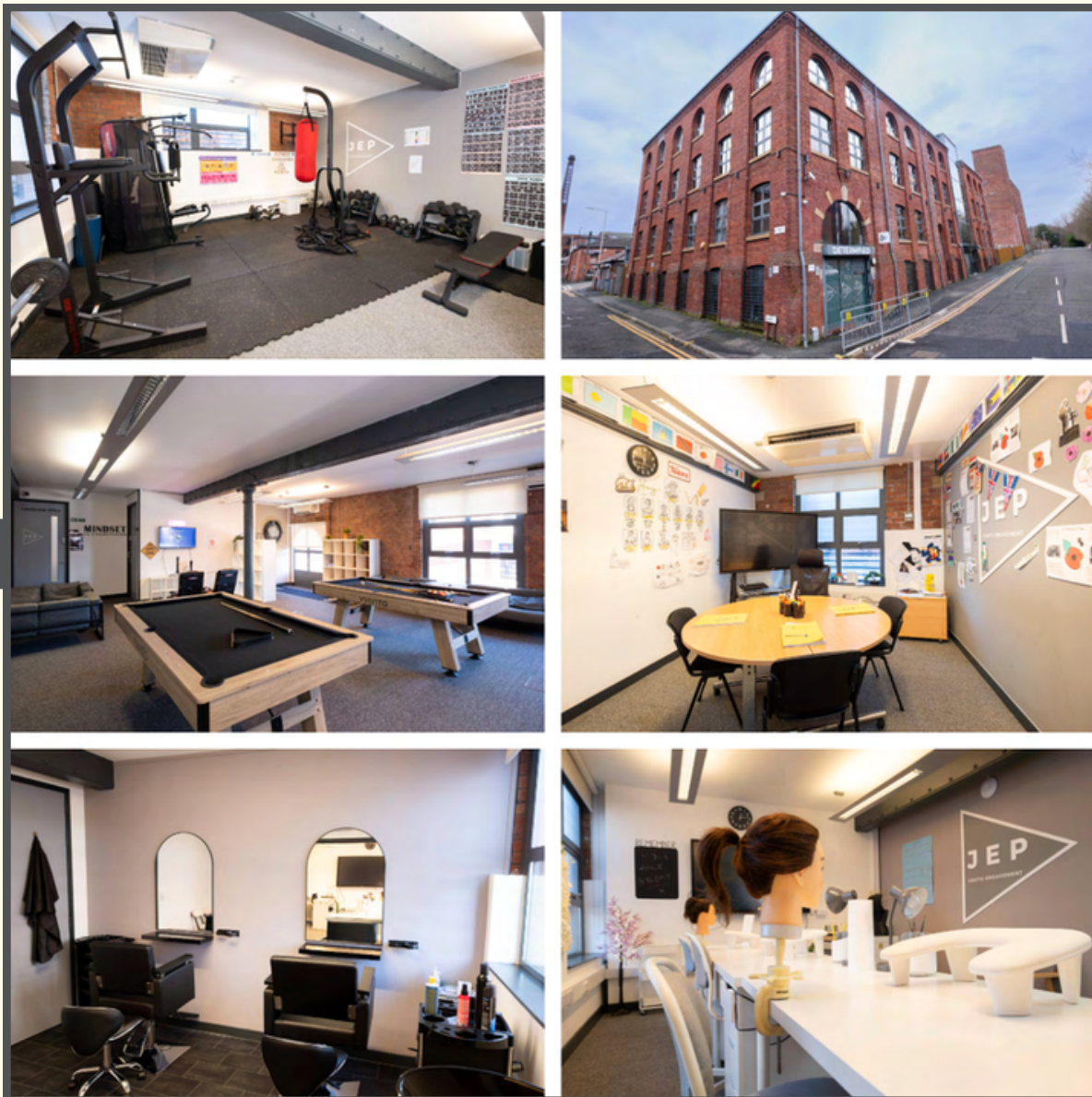


Unit 7 Digital Park, Pacific Way, Salford, M50 1DR

Minutes from Media City UK,
with subject-specific
classrooms for Maths,
English, Health & Fitness, and
Art & Design, plus a vibrant
common room with games
and library space.

Our Locations

Bolton Education Hub



**1 Merchants Place,
River Street,
Bolton, BL2 1BX**

Located in the heart of Bolton, with dedicated learning spaces for secondary/post-16 learners, a separate upstairs area designed specifically for 1:1 learners, and a fully fitted salon space for Hair & Beauty studies.

Our Locations

Primary Education Hub



New Bridgewater House, Mayfield Avenue, Walkden, M28 3JF

Purpose-built to support the unique needs of primary-age children in a safe, nurturing environment, every aspect of our Primary Hub has been carefully designed to promote calm, confidence and engagement, allowing young people to learn and grow at their own pace.

Our Locations

Occupational Studies & Sports Hub



**Unit 3 & 4 Westlink Business Park,
James Corbett Road,
Salford, M50 1DE**

Just around the corner from
our Salford site, offering a
fully equipped vocational
workshop, sports hall, and
gym - Supporting
qualifications and healthy,
active lifestyles.

Impact + Testimonials

Our Mission is Clear:

To make a positive impact on the lives of young people through dedicated, individualised support. Through our passionate team of professionals and a holistic approach, we work tirelessly to help each individual fulfil their full potential.

**6+ Years of
Proven
Success**

With over half a decade of transformative impact, our experience speaks for itself.

**500+ Young
Lives
Impacted**

Every year, we support over 500 young people on their journey to success.

**6000+ Hours
of Care**

We provide thousands of hours of dedicated support and enrichment annually.



**Tailored support both in &
out of the classroom**



**Kind, caring and
experienced practitioners**



**Hands-on, practical
learning, fostering
curiosity and providing
new experiences for all**

Impact + Testimonials

Hear What People Have to Say:

“

I was at JEP for 18 months - I loved my placement because all the teachers were so kind and helped me build my education and make new friends. They are also always there when you need them. They really helped me improve my behaviour and they also make the learning fun...I wish I had more time with all the teachers and students. **G, Key Stage 2**

”

“

JEP has been paramount in L being where he is today. We are a million miles away from the broken and completely disengaged young person he was when he first attended JEP. He now has the basic skills and confidence he needs to help him build a future that he can be proud of, as a family we can't thank JEP enough for all the time, care and attention you have given to our son!

Family of L, Key Stage 4

”

“

I would like to express our heartfelt gratitude to JEP and its incredible staff for the outstanding support they have given M. Throughout her time with you, JEP has shown remarkable patience, resilience and unwavering commitment. You never gave up on her, even when the road was not easy, and this had made a tremendous difference in her life. **Carers of M, Key Stage 3**

”

“

We are so happy that we invested in JEP Counselling at the start of this year. Our Counsellor is warm, and bubbly and our children love attending their session each week. We have referred our most vulnerable students and the changes that we've seen are remarkable. We are really looking forward to continuing our work with JEP Counselling.

JEP Counselling Partner School

”

Safeguarding at JEP

Safeguarding is Everybody's Responsibility

At JEP Youth Engagement, safeguarding is central to everything we do. We are committed to creating a safe, supportive, and inclusive environment where all young people and adults feel valued, protected, and empowered to thrive.

Safeguarding is not just our duty, it's a shared responsibility for ourselves, our partners and our service users that underpins our ethos of care, respect, and trust.



JEP's Safeguarding Team

All staff at JEP receive comprehensive annual training in child protection and safeguarding, including training on safeguarding adults and other key areas that support our learners. Our safeguarding team across all provisions are trained to level 3 and they are fully familiar with the safeguarding procedures and reporting expectations, and we use the secure CPOMS system to log and manage any concerns promptly and confidentially.

Our dedicated Safeguarding and Pastoral Team plays a vital role in promoting YP well-being. They work closely with learners, families, and a wide range of external agencies to ensure every young person receives the support they need, whether at JEP or beyond. We recognise that factors outside of education, such as childhood trauma or family circumstances, can affect a young person's wellbeing and we value open communication with parents and carers to provide a strong support network.

JEP follows the latest DfE guidance and best practices. Our safeguarding policies are regularly reviewed and updated to ensure we meet national standards and respond effectively to emerging needs. We also work collaboratively with our Local Authorities, Safeguarding boards and complete 175 Safeguarding audits to inform us of good practice.

The safety and welfare of our young people is our highest priority. By working together, we create a community where every learner can feel safe, supported, and confident to reach their full potential.

Referrals & Contact

Who Can Refer?

- Schools
- Local Authorities
- Social Workers
- Families



How it Works:

- ✓ Complete a referral form
- ✓ We carry out an initial assessment
- ✓ We create a bespoke plan tailored to individual need



07743931177



info@jepyouthengagement.com



www.jepyouthengagement.com





Supporting young
people with care and
creativity, we are
always **DETERMINED**
to support young
people to fulfil their
potential



info@jepyouthengagement.com



www.jepyouthengagement.com



[/JEPYouthENGAGE](https://www.facebook.com/JEPYouthENGAGE)



[@jepyouth_engage](https://www.instagram.com/jepyouth_engage)



[/jep-youth-engagement](https://www.linkedin.com/company/jep-youth-engagement)