

CHOOSE SAFETY

Programme for young & future workers

Employers - look out for the Choose Safety programme awards on CVs when hiring young workers!

Do you know 27,494 students took the Choose Safety programme in 2021?

It is ideal for students going on work experience or work placement.

If you are hiring young workers and they have not taken the Choose Safety programme, please recommend that they take a free health and safety course on hslearning.ie



DIGITAL BADGES

Students are awarded with digital badges online for each completed unit.

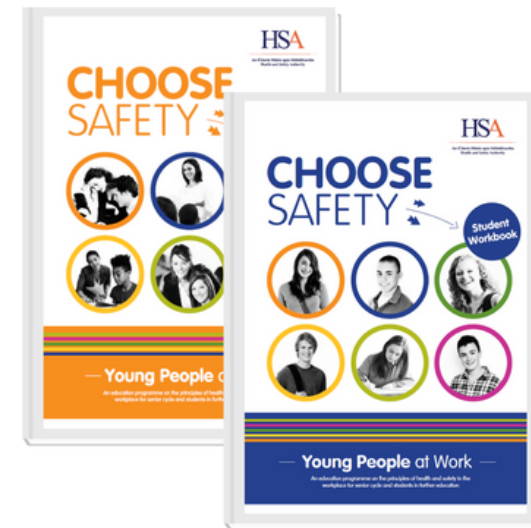


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Health and Safety Authority

Young people at highest risk of accident or injury in the workplace.



Programme



→ The Choose Safety Programme is a free programme available to post-primary schools and colleges of Further Education.

It introduces senior cycle students/students in further education to the principles of workplace safety and health.



Awards

→ Students who have completed the programme can be awarded a certificate to acknowledge their new awareness of workplace safety, health and welfare. Digital Badge awards are also available for each unit of the programme completed.

→ The Choose Safety programme's digital badges can sit on student's social networking site, their on-line CV, their badge backpack or other on-line profile.



Each year the three most common causes of accidents continue to be (1) manual handling, lifting and carrying improperly, (2) falls from heights, and (3) slips, trips and falls. All of these are covered in the Choose Safety Programme.