What students, parents/carers and schools, colleges think of the Independent Travel Training Programme



HE a student who successfully completed travel training successfully in May 2025

Thank you so much it's been amazing working with you as well I have loved it and will miss our little talks thank you so much for all you have taught me through the weeks xx

Ben, Independent Travel Training Coordinator

As a travel trainer it's a privilege to support young people on their road to independence.

Seeing the change in their confidence and personalities is so rewarding.

Enabling young people to progress in their lives is an amazing and rewarding job.



Hi Ben

Thanks so much for all your hard work with my learners, as I know how beneficial it has been for them. One of the learners told me she was so proud of what she had achieved yesterday, so would be telling her mum when she got home. I've also posted some photos on Twitter this morning. Thanks again

Vocational Pathways Course Tutor / Visually Impaired Computer Course







Alex, Independent Travel Training Assistant

Supporting individuals to independence is the best part of my job. I enjoy being a part of watching students' self-esteem and confidence grow.

I get to meet and work with the nicest of young people and build a positive rapport with them all.

I feel a great sense of job satisfaction when a student is signed off the Travel Training Programme successfully.



Travel Training has provided a range of benefits for the learners here at Bryn Celynnog, from both a theoretical and practical standpoint. I have seen their confidence grow massively in regards to road safety and the use of public transport. This has been evidence by the fact that this years learners have travelled to Cardiff using public transport on their own during weekends. This is not something that the learners would have accessed before they undertook Travel Training. As well as the road safety aspect, Travel Training has also had an impact on reducing the worry and anxiety that learners have felt with regards to the transition from HQ to college. The Travel Training programme has been able to ease the worry of how they will be travelling to and from college, so this has taken one big worry away from them.

LSC Teacher Bryn Celynnog



Hi Ben,

Statement from a Year 10 pupil

I have learned about the dangers of what could happen and the consequences of not stopping, thinking and looking to cross the road. It has helped me to tell other kids who are younger and don't know what to do.

Teacher- The walk in the community was extremely beneficial for the pupils. It allowed them to put their skills in to practice following lessons on road safely with the travel team.

Thanks LR



Emma, Independent Travel Training Assistant

Helping young people overcome the barriers they face in becoming independent gives me so much pride. Becoming confident on public transport is a gateway to becoming a confident young adult and opens up a world of possibilities. It is an honour to be a part of such an important transition in a person's life.

