Making It in Barnsley - Lesson Plan



Subject Area PSE / CIEG / Work Related Learning

Lesson Title 'Work' (1)

Lesson Aims

- To develop positive attitudes towards Barnsley as a place of work
- To acquire an understanding of basic economics
- 3. To develop the Key Skills of students

Lesson Objectives

By the end of the lesson pupils will be able to:

- describe the main features of Primary, Secondary and Tertiary industries give examples of these from the Barnsley area
- explain / give an example of a Public Service Industry
- say how businesses in the local economy depend on each other

Activities:

- 1. Introduction to the concept of 'work and the business economy'
- 2. Distribute Worksheet 1 Pupils complete Task 1– What do you know already about jobs in Barnsley? Share ideas with the rest of the group.
- 3. Pupils complete Task 2 Jobs in our school. Share ideas with the rest of the group – discussion re: most important job in schools. Key point – school as a site of work/public service industry.
- 4. Pupils complete Task 3 Jobs that depend on school existing. Extension task – complete a dependency diagram.
- 5. Using Worksheet 2 Look at definitions of industrial sectors & explain/discuss, then watch the first half of the video.
- 6. Ask pupils to classify the firms featured under the headings Primary, Secondary (Manufacturing), Tertiary (Service) industries. Extension task - locate examples via yellow pages / A-Z etc.
- 7. Plenary

