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#WPEP-2447956



SPAR, 10 Parliament Street, Dublin 2, D02
N562



No of positions : 2



Work Placement Experience Programme



As per WPEP guidelines



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20/07/2026



14/09/2026

How to apply

Application Method :

This programme is for jobseekers that are in receipt of a qualifying social welfare payment and those transferring from a social welfare scheme. Full eligibility details are available [here](#)



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Sales Assistant - WPEP Scheme

Application Details

This Work Placement Experience Programme provides Participants with an opportunity to gain meaningful work experience, learning and training while on the programme. This programme is for jobseekers who are in receipt of qualifying social welfare payments and those transferring from a social welfare scheme or an ETB Training Allowance. Your eligibility for this programme will be verified by the Department as part of the application process.

Job Description

This placement provides the opportunity to gain practical experience in a retail setting while developing key skills.

During the placement the participant will be trained and mentored in the following:

Assisting customers in bagging purchases

Answer customer queries with regard to the store and its merchandise

Clean shelves & counters and sweep floors internally and externally ensuring store is tidy and free from clutter

Ensure stock is packed in line with shop merchandising guidelines

To rotate stock appropriately minimising waste

To be vigilant at all times to prevent stock loss and waste

To take care for your health & safety and that of your colleagues and customers and take action to reduce risks and hazards

Role Description

This is a training and work experience opportunity; no prior experience in this role is necessary. Accredited and/or sector recognised training will be provided to support your placement. Participants are eligible to participate in the WPEP QQI Work Experience Module which was developed by the Education & Training Boards in collaboration with the Department of Social Protection. This optional module will fulfil your accredited training requirements for the WPEP.

The participant will receive formal training in the following;

Customer Care

Dignity & Respect at Work

Store Standards

Basic Food Hygiene Training

Manual Handling

Health & Safety

Slips Trips & Falls Prevention

Fire Safety

The participant will receive informal training in the following;

Stocking shelves

Customer service

People Interaction

Social Skills

- **Sector:** wholesale and retail trade; repair of motor vehicles and motorcycles

Career Level

- Not Required

Candidate Requirements

(Essential)

- **Minimum Experienced Required (Years):** 0