

Reintroducing Job Links 2020

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For over 25 years, Job Links has set out to help the adult Anglophone community of the Eastern Townships with their employment needs. Over those years, we have evolved but our goal has always stayed the same: provide the best tools and services aimed at the specific needs of the unique Eastern Townships Anglophone community. Keeping this in mind, Job Links is continually working at improving and adapting our services to better serve the needs of our clients as well as the needs of the current job market.



Our highest priority is always our clients' satisfaction and giving them the best support possible. To do this we offer tools, activities, and workshops, all in English, to help each person that walks through our doors. This year is unlike any other that we have faced and has been exceptionally difficult for our clients, so we have worked hard to adapt to the times and make our services more accessible. Along with continuing to travel to key locations across the Eastern Townships: Magog, Stanstead, Coaticook, East Angus, Windsor, and Asbestos, we have added meetings by phone, e-mail and video conference that way no matter what is going on in the world our clients can still reach us in a safe and secure way.

Job Links offers a unique working environment. As a small team of six, we are able to work closely together to serve our clients. Jessica Girard is our Guidance Counsellor, who serves clients in both Guidance and Employment counselling. Jessica is here 5 days a week, whether it be in our Sherbrooke office or travelling to the different towns. She also works with our partners and other organizations

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throughout the English community of the Eastern Townships. Look for the videos that she has created in collaboration with the Townshippers' Association on our Facebook page and website. Mireille Bergeron is our Employment Counsellor who just joined our team in August. Mireille has enthusiastically jumped in with both feet and has brought a new set of skills and knowledge to the team. She is in our Sherbrooke office 1 day a week. Evelyn Miller is our Social Work Technician. She brings years of knowledge and ex-

perience to our team. After working as a Social Worker in the healthcare sector, she made the decision to join the Job Links team and help our clients. Evelyn is amazing at helping our clients work through difficult times and by giving them tools to overcome hardships, improve and succeed. She works Monday through Thursday splitting her time between our Sherbrooke office and the Lennoxville Vocational Training Centre in Lennoxville. Courtney Nichols is our Secretary who provides frontline support for our team and clients. She effectively communicates and clarifies with clients and provides them with appointments as well as helping to develop tools, among many other tasks to keep our team on track. Our coordinator, Maude Danis Coulombe, is also new to our team and works to support Job Links by giving us the tools we need to succeed. She has a background that allows her to bring new and fresh ideas to the team and help us grow. Last but not least, our director Steve Dunn who is one of our biggest supporters. He works hard to give Job Links what it needs to succeed and prosper. He is always available to offer his ideas and recommendations while keeping the needs of the clients and his employees in mind. To keep up to date of what is going on at Job Links, visit our website at <http://joblinks.etsb.qc.ca/> or look us up on Facebook. If you are over the age of 18 and need help with your resumes, job search or career plans contact Job Links at 819-566-2422 extension 0 or by e-mail at joblinks@etsb.qc.ca. We will be happy to help you!

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