



## Parental Employability Support Fund (PESF)

## Parental Welfare Fund

This fund is aimed at parents receiving support through the PESF who successfully secure employment. It helps with the transition to work and can alleviate any worries.

### **How much is available?**

Up to £1,000, \*paid as follows:

- £500 at outset of employment
- £250 at week 6 of employment
- £250 at week 13 of employment

\*Payments can be split and paid flexibly over a 3 month period to suit individual requirements.

### **What can the money be used for?**

- Timing of salary versus UC payments
- Initial childcare costs and deposits
- Existing debts
- Transport costs
- Clothes for work
- Buying coffees or lunches at work

### **Who is it paid to?**

Direct to the parent or if preferred, paid to the childcare provider.

## **How do I apply?**

Please speak to your PESF Keyworker or get in touch with Argyll and Bute Council's Employability Team on:

Telephone            01586 555990

Email                    [employability@argyll-bute.gov.uk](mailto:employability@argyll-bute.gov.uk)

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