

## Young People's Education and Skills

Local Authority Apprenticeship Sub-group

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- Camden Council's apprenticeships team has placed 241 young people into apprenticeships to date in 2013/14.
- 43 of these have been within Camden Council itself, which now has apprentices in every directorate.
- To date we have filled 85 of the 122 apprenticeship vacancies pledges as part of our 100 in 100 campaign, launched in March last year. Recruitment is currently in progress for 9 more. Employers are required to fill their pledges by June 2014.
- To celebrate National Apprenticeships Week, we ran a series of events including an apprenticeship awareness open day, information sessions at local job centres, an apprenticeship up-skilling session for youth workers, recruitment of a new cohort of 'Apprentice Champions' and the launch of an apprentice-led steering group.