



# APPRENTICESHIP FUNDING EXPLAINED



## KICK START YOUR TRAINING SCHEMES WITH GOVERNMENT FUNDING

**Funding is available directly from the Government or through your apprenticeship levy. Funds can be accessed through your Digital Apprenticeship Service (DAS) Account.**

### **Small to medium sized enterprise**

#### **Apprentices aged 16-21:**

The Government will pay 100% of the training costs.

#### **Apprentices aged 21+:**

You pay 5% towards the cost and the Government pays 95%.

### **Large employers**

(annual wage bill over £3 million)

You can pay for the apprentice you want using your apprenticeship levy contribution.

### **Levy Transfers**

As a levy paying employer, you can transfer up to 50% of your unused levy funds to a business of your choice to fund their apprenticeship training opportunities.

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