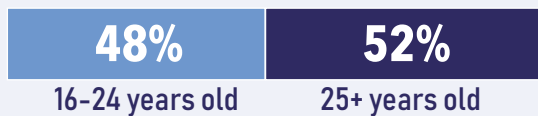
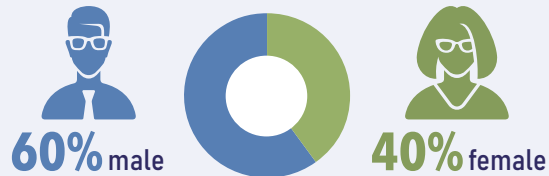


SLAED Indicators Framework: 10 Year Trends (2012-2022)

People

515,790 people participated in council funded/operated employability programmes*

173,528 people that participated in employability programmes progressed to employment

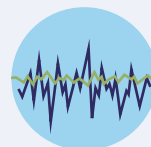


The proportion of participants moving into employment increased by **38.4%** over the decade

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4.5% increase in Scotland's employment rate over the decade. Gap between highest and lowest local authorities has narrowed.

Claimant rate has been volatile over the decade, with an **overall increase of 0.4%**. It was severely impacted by the pandemic but showing signs of recovery.



Business

The annual number of business births has **increased by 3 per 10,000** working age population. This was significantly impacted by the Covid-19 pandemic.



284,517 businesses supported by Business Gateway



134,423

businesses supported by local authorities



The highest proportion of businesses supported were in the Creative Industries, Food & Drink, Tourism, and Local Services sectors.



79,438

Business Gateway start-ups trading

Finance

£2.33 Overall upwards trend in external funding leveraged per £1 council spend

£1.01

12% decrease in council contributions

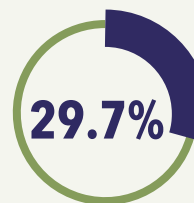
-12%

45% increase in council revenue investment in local economies

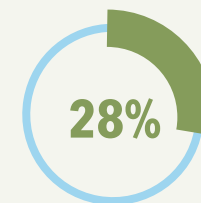


0.5%

increase in economic development spend as a percentage of total council revenue expenditure



increase in the total value of goods and services produced by Scottish local authority areas



increase in productivity

* These are not necessarily 'unique' participants, as people may have participated in more than one programme.