### REDUNDANCY SUPPORT

## **ORKNEY**

### **Local Council Services**

Your local council delivers a wide range of services for people facing the prospect of unemployment.

**Advice -** Consumer, debt, welfare rights and benefits, reducing your fuel bills, housing benefits and council tax.

**Housing** - Housing services, council bills, rent, council tax arrears, housing benefit.

**Adult and Community Education -** Classes in a wide range of subjects including help with reading, writing and numbers (includes adult guidance services and jobseeking skills).

**Jobs** - Your local council employs people in a vast range of occupations and services and is happy to discuss employment opportunities with you.

**Libraries** - Photocopying, access to newspapers and magazines for job search, computers for public use, access to Open Learning, access to the internet.

**Community Social Services -** Support services for families in crisis, mental health issues, addiction, dependent care, disability, etc.

**Business Advice -** How to become self-employed, start up your own business, support for business planning.

### Local council contact information

Orkney Islands Council Tel: 01856 873535 www.orkney.gov.uk





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# SKILLS DEVELOPMENT SCOTLAND

www.careers.myworldofwork.co.uk

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#### **CITIZENS ADVICE BUREAU**

6 Bridge Street
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#### **JOBCENTRE PLUS**

Government Buildings Tankerness Lane Kirkwall KW15 1AJ Tel: 01856 885320 Contact: Inga Kemp

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#### **BUSINESS GATEWAY**

14 Queen Street Kirkwall KW15 1JE Tel: 01856 886666 Contact: Wendy Pickles Email:

business.gateway@orkney.gov.uk

### **ORKNEY COLLEGE UHI**

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