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THE WORLD OF WORK MEETS "FRUSTRATION" BOARD GAME

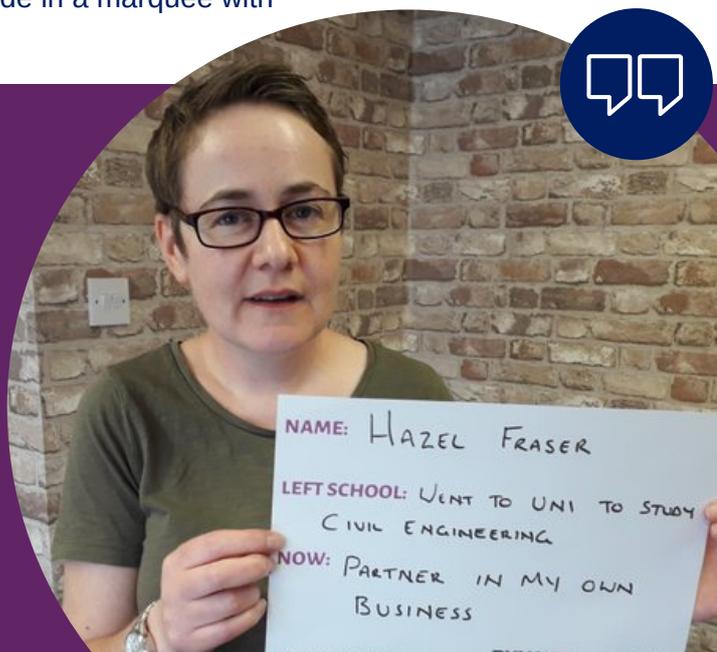
DYW Board Member and Partner at the Training Folk, Hazel Fraser, came up with the idea to deliver a life-sized game of the board game "Frustration" to young people. In normal circumstances, the game is played on a board and you have to roll the dice to move your pegs around the board until all your pegs are home. However, the game was delivered with a twist... When the young people landed on a question square, they were required to answer a question related to the world of work. If they answered correctly they got to move one space forward. The young people continued to move around the board until all the players were 'home' and safe!

The session was a success as the group of young people involved were engaged for the duration of the game and laughed the whole way through it. Most of them didn't even realise they were learning about the world of work due to the session being delivered in a fun, interactive way. The additional gain of this activity is that once the first set of young people were 'home' and safe during the game, all the groups wanted to continue playing as they were getting competitive to see who were placed 2nd, 3rd and 4th. This enhanced the young people's knowledge about the world of work by continuing to complete the game.

To meet COVID-19 regulations this session was delivered outside in a marquee with social distancing in place.

"The kids were brilliant. They all got involved and got quite competitive towards the end. I really expected that after the first team got all their players back, that would be the end of the game. But no, they wanted to see who came second, third and fourth. I got a warm welcome from the team and the kids and I really enjoyed my time with them."

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