

**WRITTEN QUESTION TO THE CHAIRMAN OF COMITÉ DES CONNÉTABLES
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ANSWER TO BE TABLED ON MONDAY 15th JULY 2013**

Question

In view of the various initiatives in place to get people back into work and as every Parish employs both manual and clerical workers, can the Chairman advise how many trainees, if any, have been employed in each year since 2010 and in which Parish?

Answer

The opportunities for trainees to gain work experience are limited in most parishes as the number of manual and clerical workers is small and, in some cases, positions are part-time rather than full-time.

Nevertheless, Parishes are prepared to offer work experience to trainees from schemes such as 'Advance to Work' and 'Back to Work'. St Helier has had a number of people from various initiatives (detailed information regarding the placements from these schemes, such as the number and year in which they were offered can be circulated in due course should this be required) and the replies received from other parishes are as follows:

2011 – 1 trainee St Martin;
2012 – 1 trainee Grouville; 1 trainee St Clement
2013 – 1 trainee Grouville; 2 trainees St Clement

Apprentice and trainee positions have also been offered as follows:

2010 – 1 trainee St Lawrence
2011 – 1 apprentice in St Helier
2012 – 1 trainee in St Helier

Permanent positions would also be advertised to those on the schemes.