

# Press release



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## **Passport2Success programme receives a boost**

The education Ministry's ongoing Passport2Success programme, which was set up to prepare young Caymanian school leavers for the workplace, received a boost recently when local transport company, Websters Tours, donated its services to participating students free of charge. The training programme is sponsored by local companies, CML Offshore Recruitment, LIME and Butterfield.

Mr. Webster, owner of Webster's Tours, said, "We recognised very quickly that the Ministry's Passport2Success programme is an excellent platform for young people to learn the skills they need to be successful in the workplace, and also has clear benefits for local businesses and employers. We wanted to do something to support the programme and help its success, so donating our services was an obvious choice, especially as many of the participants need help getting to classes." Mr. Webster continued, "We congratulate Minister Anglin and his team on introducing the Passport2Success programme. Such an initiative has been needed for some time."

Hon. Rolston Anglin, Minister of Education, Training and Employment, thanked Webster's Tours for its support of the Passport2Success programme. "Private sector support is invaluable in enabling us to improve the services we offer. We are very grateful to Mr. Webster for his generosity and look forward to continuing our relationship with Webster's Tours."

Ministry Chief Officer, Mrs. Mary Rodrigues, said, "The programme has met with considerable success to date. We have had some very positive feedback from participants and our private sector partners who have taken part. Webster's Tours' support is a welcome boost to the programme as it continues to establish itself as a credible vehicle to help our school leavers and local businesses alike."

Passport2Success, is a National Employment Passport Programme (NEPP), in which participants earn stamps in a passport to demonstrate they have acquired skills in a particular area. The curriculum covers a broad range of skills training, including personal, career and life skills. The programme is full time for 11 weeks and started in April. Passport2Success has received a significant level of support from Cayman's business community, with many firms and organisations volunteering speakers and work

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placements for the programme's 25 participants. Passport2Success is based at the International College of the Cayman Islands in Savannah Newlands and will run four times a year.

More information about the programme can be found on its website at [www.Passport2Success.ky](http://www.Passport2Success.ky).

### **CML Offshore Recruitment**

CML Offshore Recruitment is the islands' leading professional recruitment agency specialising in Legal, Accounting, IT and Administrative professionals for the Cayman Islands and global offshore market. The company has offices in the Cayman Islands and Hong Kong and was recently recognised by the CISHRP with an award as Top Employer in the SME category. CML supports the employment and advancement of our local workforce, the cornerstone of Cayman's economy, and is proud to be a main sponsor of the Passport2Success initiative. See [www.cmlor.com](http://www.cmlor.com) or [blog.cmlor.com](http://blog.cmlor.com) for further information.

### **LIME**

LIME (Landline, Internet, Mobile, Entertainment) is the Caribbean's leading telecommunications company, focused on building products and services that make Caribbean people's lives better. LIME's aim is to deliver the best communication services across the board, full stop. LIME is part of Cable & Wireless, one of the world's leading international communications companies.

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