

## **GRIT-REY Programme**

I am contacting you to let you know that our Next Female **GRIT-REY** programme challenge week takes place from **Mon 19<sup>th</sup> October 2015 - Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2015 (for Females)**. GRIT-REY is a fantastic opportunity for young people aged 16-20 to take 'time out' coming on a GRIT Residential where they can assess their lives and review the choices to create a sustainable future. The uniqueness of this programme is that the challenge week is a starting point to support the young person over an extended period of time

Places for our next Female GRIT-REY programme are **now available for booking**.

If you have any young people( **Female**) in your organisation that you would like to avail of the opportunity to take part on our next *GRIT-REY Selection Day* (a fun filled day) which will take place **on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2015** please email me names **by return email**. As places for our next GRIT REY Residential are limited, Allocation is on a first come - first serve basis.

In order to facilitate arrangements, it would be useful if you could indicate number of places needed, I will then confirm and forward booking forms.

There is no cost to young person or referring organisation. All transport is arranged.

**GRIT-REY** is a unique extended programme that may be suitable and beneficial for some of your young female clients. The initiative targets young people who are at a crossroads in their lives to re-engage with education, employment or training. On completion of the challenge week they will be appointed a mentor who will support them on a monthly basis over the following 6 month period to proactively address any barriers to actively participate in employability activities. We will work with providers to ensure the young people are signposted to and supported to access the provision to maximise their potential. It is hoped this will foster good partnerships to serve in the best interests of the young people.

**If you would wish your young person to have more information, we can arrange for one of the Mentors to talk to them about the programme. Let me know and I will arrange**

**Referral forms can also be accessed on our website –**  
[www.gerryroqaninitiative.org](http://www.gerryroqaninitiative.org) and returned to [grit-rey@outlook.com](mailto:grit-rey@outlook.com)

Please forward to any relevant person or organisation. Should you have any further queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

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