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## **Comment on Latest Labour Market Statistics**

Commenting on Scotland's labour market statistics published today, Shona Struthers, Chief Executive of Colleges Scotland, said:

"Colleges play a pivotal role in developing Scotland's learners right across the country by training, upskilling and qualifying people of all ages to succeed in the workforce.

"Colleges are working closely with employers in their regions to ensure that students are work-ready, and 83% of college leavers are going into positive destinations of direct employment or further studying and training."

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