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Hotel Room  
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**SAVE \$200 per couple**

Iberostar's newest hotel offers a premium beachfront location, "show-style" cooking, and an activity club for kids with games and entertainment.

**\$999<sup>00</sup>\***

### Varadero

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**Villa Tortuga**  
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(For departures Jan. 2 & 23/99 only)  
Hotel Room  
Nov. 7-Dec. 12/98 - Saturday Departures  
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A longtime Canadian favourite and sparkling with recent renovations, the Villa Tortuga offers a central location and ambience popular with Europeans and Canadians alike!

**\$1069<sup>00</sup>\***

### Cancun

7 Nights - **ALL INCLUSIVE!**  
**Allegro Jack Tar Village**  
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Lagoon View  
Apr. 15, 22/99 - Thursday Departures  
**SAVE \$200 per couple**

Hugely popular, this Jack Tar Village is now under the umbrella of Allegro Resorts, one of the leaders in All-Inclusives. This adults-only resort caters to couples and singles alike and is located in the heart of Cancun's hotel zone.

**\$1349<sup>00</sup>\***

### Puerto Plata

7 Nights - **ALL INCLUSIVE!**  
**Hacienda Tropical**  
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Hotel Room  
Apr. 19, 26/99 - Monday Departures  
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## COMMUNITY

# Free service connects youth to jobs

Young and want a job? Don't have enough experience to get your foot in the door?

You're not alone, say the local agencies behind the Job Connect program in York Region.

Job Connect offers free help to people, ages 16 to 24, if they are out of work and out of school. It gives tips on writing a resume or matches clients with employers through a structured training plan.

"We have a lot of opportunities and we have a lot of people looking for opportunities," said Kathy Creighton, a Seneca College employment consultant working with the program.

Job Connect gives employers money — \$1 to \$4 an hour — to compensate them for the cost of training.

It offers free employment skill workshops and the use of a photocopier, a phone, a fax machine, and even a computer at its resource centre in Richmond Hill, which Seneca runs. Other groups — the YMCA in Newmarket and COSTI in Vaughan — are offering the same kinds of help for Job Connect clients in other parts of York Region.

There are some people who have graduated from university or college that still can't find a job, Creighton said.

"People who are younger or who have a lack of education are certainly finding it more difficult," she added.

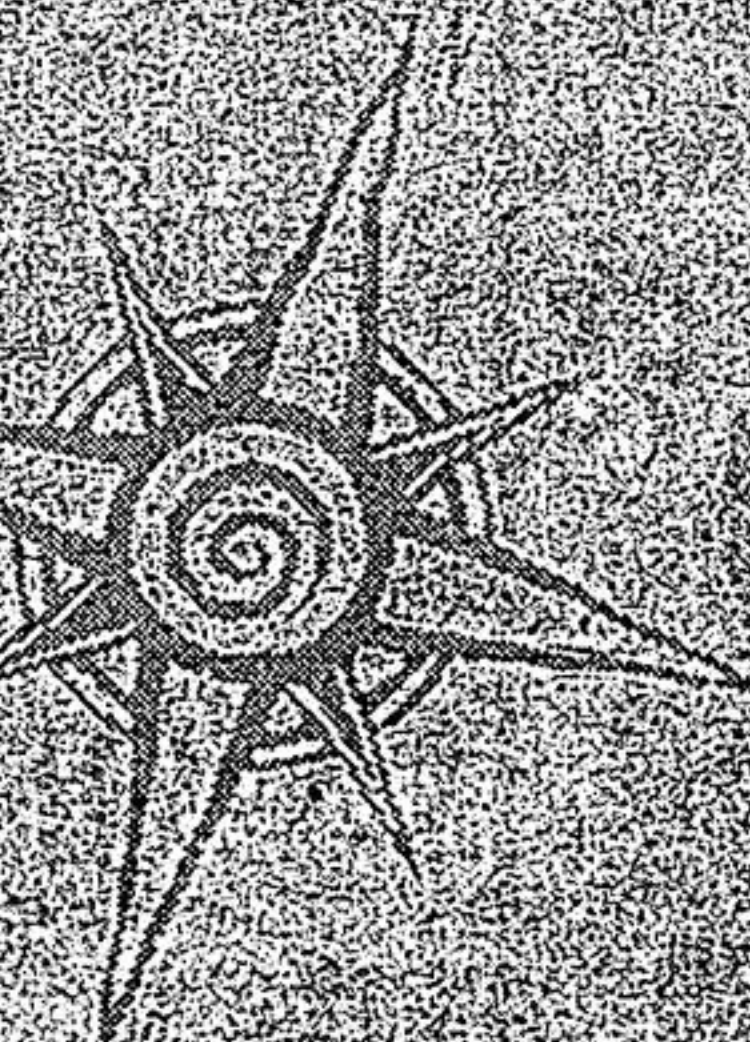
Each Job Connect centre can help youth find a job by looking at their employment history and goals for the future, Creighton said. "We make a back-to-work action plan."

But, she added, some people can succeed after getting a bit of advice.

"Maybe it's your resume," said Creighton. "Maybe your interviewing skills need improving or something like that."

The Job Connect group in Richmond Hill has started to meet people interested in the program at MY Place, the teen drop-in centre at Markville Shopping Centre. Markham and Stouffville residents can call 477-2194 to make an appointment Tuesday, Wednesday or Thursday afternoon.

The Richmond Hill resource centre can be reached at 780-9622, COSTI at 856-7728 and the YMCA in Newmarket at 898-4646.



**\$1278<sup>00</sup>** Cabin Cat. 1  
**Carnival**

### Western Caribbean

7 Nights  
**Celebration**  
Jan. 17, 24 & 31/99  
Cruise from New Orleans visiting Tampa, Grand Cayman, Playa Del Carmen, Cozumel  
No matter how good you expect this ship to be, it's better! Cruise from New Orleans — where no one sings the blues! It fascinates the visitor with picturesque trolley cars and the narrow streets of the French Quarter.

### Western Caribbean

7 Nights  
**Paradise**  
Jan. 10 & 24/99  
Cruise from Miami, visiting San Juan, Virgin Gorda, Tortola, St. Thomas  
The very first smoke-free cruise ship! The new Paradise is a masterpiece of modern technology and a tribute to the past — and is a destination unto herself.

### Eastern Caribbean

7 Nights  
**Destiny**  
Jan. 24, Feb. 7 & 21/99  
Cruise from Miami, visiting Playa Del Carmen, Cozumel, Grand Cayman, Ocho Rios  
Turn your dream vacation into reality aboard the Carnival Destiny, the first in a new generation of Carnival "Funships".

### Western Caribbean

7 Nights  
**Imagination**  
Jan. 23, Feb. 6/99  
Cruise from Miami, visiting San Juan, St. Thomas, St. Maarten  
The warmth of the Caribbean sun. The taste of delicious foods. The sound of a steel band. The sweet scent of island spices. These are just some of the pleasures you'll experience on this fabulous cruise vacation.

### Eastern Caribbean

7 Nights - **ALL INCLUSIVE!**  
**InterClubs Fun Royale & Tropicale**  
Nov. 8, 15, 22/98  
This intermediate property is located in the Playa Dorada resort complex, next to the Robert Trent Jones Golf course just a 10 minute walk from the beach.

### Eastern Caribbean

7 Nights - **ALL INCLUSIVE!**  
**Gran Caribe Real Resort**  
Nov. 8-29/98 - Sunday Departures  
This new superior category resort is set directly on the shores of the Caribbean Sea and in the heart of Cancun's hotel district.

**\$1229<sup>00</sup>**

### Puerto Plata

7 Nights - **ALL INCLUSIVE!**  
**Barcelo Playa Montelimar**  
Jan. 4-25/99 - Monday Departures  
This intermediate property offers all the benefits of the Barcelo hotel chain. Stroll along this magnificent beach adorned with tropical palms.

**\$959<sup>00</sup>**

### Nicaragua

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**\$1074<sup>00</sup>**

### Colombia - Santa Marta

7 Nights - **ALL INCLUSIVE!**  
**Decameron Galeon**  
Dec. 21/98  
This standard hotel is directly located on the beach and only 20 minutes from downtown Santa Marta.

**\$1099<sup>00</sup>**

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