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Making life changing decisions takes time.
It is a journey.



People can't make the journey on their own. We need strong self-advocacy organisations.



Using your skills to earn money is the best feeling.



The Bridge was a research project about starting a business.



We found



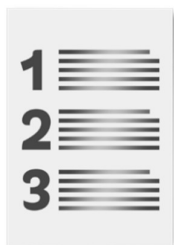
A lot of people don't even expect people with learning disabilities to earn money.



People were afraid of ending up penniless if they tried something that might affect their benefits.



Confidence from running a business makes you more confident in the rest of your life.



Starting a business is hard work. You can't just add it on to what you already do. You must choose.



There are things we can do, like:



Dream big. Then get information and support to plan what it would take to make the dream happen.



We need to campaign for:



Strong self-advocacy organisations.



The right sort of business start up support.

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