



Women working at TCB.

Unemployed mothers wanted for upskilling

An organisation in Cape Town is calling on unemployed female South Africans looking for a way to support their family.

Would you love to work for yourself? Are you willing to work hard to learn how to build a successful business and be independent? If this sounds like you, then this is an exciting opportunity for you.

At TCB's Resell Programme you can learn the business, trading and life skills you need to be an informal, self-employed clothing trader.

The best people for this programme are not officially employed but are always on the hustle. People who need a mentor and guide to help them take their business skills to the next level. Learn the skills to become financially and socially independent and responsible for your life.

TWO YEARS, 1 000 HOURS

"At TCB's holistic two-year enterprise development Resell Programme, previously known as The Clothing Bank, we help unemployed mothers who are willing to work hard to become self-employed as clothing traders," says Tracy Gilmore, co-founder of TCB. "Successful applicants will learn how to buy and sell clothes and run their own business, along with the life skills, business skills and computer skills they need. They will benefit from coaching, mentorship and a support network of like-minded people and even receive a qualification. But – most importantly – they will become their own boss. It's hard work, but it's worth it!" she says.

The Resell Programme is very practical and experiential, participants start their small businesses very soon after joining TCB by trading in their local community. During the two-year programme, traders are exposed to over 1 000 hours of practical training and support, covering modules from money management and business skills to computer skills and life skills.

The programme is free but requires hard work, dedication and commitment.

Applicants must:

- be a South African citizen;
 - a mother or woman caring for children under the age of 18;
 - be unemployed;
 - have Grade 10 or higher;
 - commit to working on the programme full-time (no learnerships or part-time studies);
 - have reliable transport to our office (no travel stipend);
 - please note that TCB complies with BBBEE requirements.
 - You cannot join the programme if you are part of any other learnerships or have part-time jobs or study.
- **Apply for the TCB Resell Programme online at www.tcb.org.za and attend the free Open Day at the TCB Cape Town office on Monday 22 January at 33 Thor Circle, Viking Place, Thornton, Cape Town. Bring your identity document and CV to meet the team and see what the programme is all about. They select up to 1 000 people every year to take part in this globally recognised programme at their Cape Town, Johannesburg, Paarl, East London and Durban offices.**