

## **Mbalu Conteh Success Story**

Mbalu joined an Entry level 2 class with MI in October 2023 and since then she has made a great progress has now is completed FS English and maths evel 2 courses. She has improved her writing, reading and speaking skills and feels much more confident now in speaking and communication. This has made a huge difference in her life.

Before she came to the MI, Mbalu was looking for work of a care assistant, but the language was a barrier. She was determined to improve her skills and confidence to enhance her job prospects. She was not confident especially in speaking, and that caused uncertainty.



What makes Mbalu stand out as exceptional learner is that she never gives up, even when she found some tasks difficult and work challenging, she was determined to continue and overcome the difficulties and achieve her goals. Because her language skills have improved a lot, she is confident enough now to do part-time job as a care assistant. Her plans for the future is to go to the unive rsity to study to become a lab technician.

Mbalu has improved all her language skills including writing, spelling, reading and speaking. She has also gained new skills such as planning and delivering Power Point Presentation, which was a very new area for her. But she managed to overcome any challenges and demonstrated excellent ability to talk to the audience, talk about her topic and answer the questions.

She is feeling much more confident now in daily life because her language and Maths skills have improved and make her feel good in daily written and spoken conversations and discussions. She is going to look for a place at university and make an application to start her studies in September.

Mbalu said, *"I am so happy and confident about the course. I started from Entry 2 and now I am doing Level 2, I think MI has helped me a lot on my journey to accomplish my English and Maths skills. It will help me in the future. I will recommend MI to my friends who are struggling with English and Maths."*