

# Two chosen for jewellery course

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JOHANN Jordaan, DA ward 13 councillor, and Allan Sauls, DA ward 17 councillor, congratulate Atela Thahamane and Fortunate Nkosi, after both were awarded learnerships in a course in jewellery manufacture at the Ekurhuleni Jewellery Project.



TWO youngsters have been accepted to study for a learnership in jewellery production at the Ekurhuleni Jewellery Project in Germiston.

They were selected from 13 nominations.

One of the candidates, Fortunate Nkosi from Norkem Park, said she was excited to partake in the course.

"Although jewellery manufacturing is a challenging course which I have never done before, I'm enjoying it. After graduation I'd like to be a professional jewellery designer," Fortunate said.

Mr Johan Jordaan, DA ward 13 councillor, said the skills acquired during the course would help Fortunate and Atela Thahamane from Vusumuzi Informal Settlement become entrepreneurs.

"Opportunities such as these represent economic development in our as young people are taught skills, rather than being given handouts."

It is the principle of teaching somebody to fish, rather than just giving them a fish, Mr Jordaan said.