

Careers Curriculum

What is being delivered?	Delivered By	Year Group(All students /targeted)	Learning Outcome /Learning Objective	Decision Making	Self Awareness	Career Exploration (including LMI)	Employability Skills and Career Management	Gatsby Benchmarks
Introduction to the Careers facilities at the local Library	Staff	Year 7, Year 8	An introduction to the careers resources in the local library as well as learn all about the school Careers Adviser.	✓	✓	✓		1, 2
Careers Fair	Internal and external staff	Year 7, Year 8, Year 9, Year 10, Year 11	Pupils have the opportunity to encounter a range of different post-16 education and training providers, as well as local business and employers.	✓	✓	✓	✓	1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7
Pathways meeting	Internal and external staff	Year 11 and their carers	An information session to find out in further information to help support pupils with their post-16 applications.	✓	✓		✓	1, 2, 3, 4, 7, 8
Apprenticeship drop-in sessions	Internal and external staff	Year 11/targeted	An information session to support pupils who have chosen to apply for an apprenticeship.	✓	✓	✓	✓	1, 3, 5, 7, 8
Year 11 PSHE 'It's Your Choice'	PSHE teaching staff	Year 11	All pupils receive information, advice and guidance to support them with their post-16 applications as part of their PSHE lessons.	✓	✓	✓	✓	1, 2, 3, 4, 8
Positive Steps Interviews	Positive Steps	Targeted Year 11, pupils from other year groups on request	All Year 11 pupils have an individual careers interview with our school Careers Advisor, in order to receive personalised help and guidance as they apply for their post-16 college or training places.	✓	✓	✓	✓	1, 3, 8
Complete Career aspiration plan	SARP	All pupils	Pupils complete the Career Aspiration questionnaire to gain an idea of how their strengths and likes can contribute to career choice.	✓	✓	✓	✓	1, 3, 8

Year 9 Choices meeting	Internal staff	Year 9	Pupils are told about the processes involved with choosing their GCSE options	✓	✓	✓	✓	1, 4, 8
Year 9 GCSE Options meeting	Internal and external staff	Year 9 and their parents/carers	An information session to find out further information to help support pupils with choosing their GCSE options.	✓	✓		✓	1, 4, 8
Year 9 PSHE 'GCSE Options'	PSHE teaching staff	Year 9	All pupils receive information, advice and guidance to support them with choosing their GCSE options as part of their PSHE lessons.	✓	✓	✓	✓	1, 2, 3, 4, 8
Positive Steps Interviews	Positive Steps	Targeted Year 9, pupils from other year groups on request	All Year 9 pupils have an individual careers interview with our school Careers Advisor, in order to receive personalised help and guidance as they apply for their post-16 college or training places.	✓	✓	✓	✓	1, 3, 8
Year 9 Science & Careers Enrichment Day	Internal and external staff	Year 9	Pupils will take part in The "Big Bang" Scientist and Engineer Fair in Birmingham on 13 - 16th March 2019		✓	✓	✓	1, 4
All pupils	Internal and external staff	All pupils	Pupils spend a day off-timetable taking part in various different workshops to help ensure they are fully prepared for their upcoming GCSEs and the next steps in their learning journeys.		✓		✓	1, 3
Employability - ASDAN	Internal staff	year 10,11	Pupils have Employability on their timetable for a term to complete the ASDAN Short course award.	✓	✓	✓	✓	1,2,4
Year 10 Vocational 'Work Experience'	External staff	year 10,11	Pupils prepare for their upcoming work experience and consider things such as the practicalities of being in a work environment, health and safety legislation, and how they can make the most of their placement.	✓	✓		✓	1, 2, 5, 6
Positive Steps Interviews	Positive Steps	Targeted Year 10 and Year 11, pupils from other year groups on request	Targeted Year 10 and Year 11 pupils have an individual careers interview with our school Careers Advisor, in order to receive early help and guidance as they apply for their post-16 college or training places.	✓	✓	✓	✓	1, 3, 8