

SEND Careers Programme Overview

Academic Year Name of School

Vision Statement

To inspire young people to fulfil their dreams and establish a long lasting love of life with their future career decisions.

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Milestones and Learning Outcomes

Key Events and Experiences

Year 7

To start thinking about what career might be right for them, options available, local labour market information and post 16 options

Year 8

To understand the post 16 options available to them, careers choices which are available and highlight local labour market information.

Year 9

To apply for suitable options that will assist them in achieving their chosen careers

Year 10

To be prepared for their post 16 choices with collages, apprenticeships and training providers

Year 11

To apply for their suitable post 16 options. To understand the difference between T levels, A Levels, apprenticeships and Training.

Year 7

Safer Internet Day – Promote the safe and positive use of digital technology

Young Coders competition – Coding experience in Scratch
Science club – using skills like working as a team, problem solving to carry out activities

Journalism in the curriculum, History use newspaper articles/news speeches as a way for students to present their findings on different subjects. Students would have to do research, collate their findings and present them in a way that could be shared with a wider audience.

Year 8

CyberFirst Challenge – Introduction to the world of Cyber security – encouraging girls into STEM and computer science.

Live design brief, transferable work-related skills. Activity demonstrated what Graphics, Textiles and Engineering look in a range of projects and briefs

Bebras Challenge – Develop and demonstrate computational and logic thinking skills

Year 9

Hour of Code – Grassroots campaign – One-hour introduction to computer science – nurturing problem solving, logic and creative skills

Dance appreciation: watching videos of professional dance works and reviewing the performance skills, costumes and lighting.

Royal navy enrichment day – a day around team work, communication skills vital for employment in the armed forces and beyond

Year 10

The PE department offers work experience placements for two weeks to year 10 students to experience what it is like to be a PE teacher.

iDEA (inspiring Digital Enterprise Award) – Developing and demonstrating digital, enterprise and employability skills.

Apprenticeship Engineering taster day – Incomm, Walsall

Year 11

In Business students learn about the Operations department and jobs available in the production process such as quality control and sourcing supplies.

Bebras Challenge – Develop and demonstrate computational and logic thinking skills.

Compositional tasks relate to producing and performers in the Music Industry. Band preparation, lyrical writing and analysing (film music careers).

Inspiring and preparing young people for the world of work.