

Year 11 Careers

September 2023

Welcome back Year 11

We hope all our students have had a fantastic summer break and are feeling excited and ready for Year 11. We look forward to working with you all this year.

The Careers Department

Our department is situated on the first floor in Bede House and is open Monday to Friday 8.30am to 4.30pm (Term time only). Our team of 3 professionally qualified Careers Advisers plus a Work Experience Coordinator will work with you to provide comprehensive bespoke careers information, advice and guidance. We aim to raise your aspirations and awareness of the range of options and opportunities available, enabling you to become an effective decision maker and to plan for your future career.

Year 11 Careers Programme

One important aspect of Year 11 is making applications for Post-16 choices, whether you are considering moving on to Sixth Form, starting a course at college or beginning your employment journey through an apprenticeship therefore during the academic year, you will receive advice and guidance from the Careers Department to help you make informed decisions, specifically, about Post-16 destinations. You will also be invited to participate in the Year 11 Work Experience Programme which takes place after the formal examination period in the summer. This will enable you to better understand where and how your unique skills and talents might fit into the [Future World of Work](#).

We will initially present an overview of Post 16 options within assembly and this will be followed up by small group sessions during the Autumn and Spring terms, providing the opportunity to further explore these options and access relevant digital careers programmes. All students will have the opportunity to schedule a further individual guidance meeting as appropriate; parents and carers are welcome to attend this meeting.

In addition, Year 11 students will also be invited to several lunch time industry insight talks that will be advertised throughout the academic year, as well as our large annual Careers Evening scheduled for Wednesday 17th April 2024.

You are welcome to visit the Careers department during break and lunchtime when careers staff will be on hand to offer advice and guidance. We look forward to seeing you Year 11 and please do not hesitate to get in touch if you have any questions.



The team...

From left to right:

Mrs Richmond: Assistant Careers Leader

Mrs Dukes: Careers Leader

Mrs Jackson: Careers Adviser

Mrs Farrar: Work Experience and Enterprise Coordinator



We regularly evaluate our provision and welcome any feedback you would like to give.

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Our Careers Education, Information, Advice and Guidance and Provider Access Legislation policies together with our Careers Development Plans can be viewed [here](#).

