# Windsor Park Middle School Careers Policy and Plan 2023-24



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RESPECT 'clothe yourself with compassion, kindness, humility, gentleness and patience'

**RESILIENCE 'I can do anything through Christ who strengthens me'** 

RESPONSIBILITY ' for God gave us a spirit not a fear, but a power and love and self-control'

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#### **Introduction**

Windsor Park Middle School acknowledges our statutory duties under the following legislation <u>Careers Guidance and access for Education and</u> <u>Training Providers</u> (Jan 2023). Our aim is for all students to achieve their personal best and for all young people to be supported to find their next best step. In early careers education, this translates as every student knowing themselves, their likes and dislikes to help inform their future choices. As students' progress through our school, careers education will increasingly focus on the choices they will face and how to approach them.

There has never been a time when careers guidance has been as important for young people as it is today. The landscape of education, training and employment opportunities that students need to navigate is more complex and more challenging than that faced by previous generations. The raising of the age for participating in learning means that young people face a wider range of choices of courses and places to study. Students need help to make choices and manage transitions: to do this effectively they need good quality careers education, information, advice and guidance. This Careers Plan sets out how the school provides a fit-for-purpose careers programme which will provide our students with the knowledge, inspiration and ability to take ownership of their own futures which will enable them to succeed in their chosen career paths.

We will help our students develop high aspirations and consider a broad and ambitious range of careers. We hope that by inspiring every pupil through more real-life contacts with the world of work, they will be able to put in context other areas of their education and increase their motivation to learn. We measure their progress by using the Future Skills Questionnaire.

A formal Careers Programme is in place indicating the importance of employability, careers & enterprise education. The careers programme is clearly linked to the School Development Plan. The school Careers Plan is based on the DfE document Careers guidance and access for education and training providers (Jan 2023) and the Gatsby Benchmarks.

#### Aims and purpose

- Prepare students for the transition to the next stage of their education and for life beyond compulsory education (higher education and the world of work).
- Support students in making informed decisions which are suitable and ambitious for them.
- Provide students with well-rounded experiences.
- Develop enterprise and employability skills including skills for self-employment
- Support inclusion, challenge stereotyping and promote equality of opportunity
- Develop characteristics e.g. social skills, communication, innovation, resilience and leadership which support students in the curriculum and in their careers aligned to Local Skills Improvement Plan and the Careers Employer Competency Framework
- Inspire and motivate students to develop their aspirations.

#### **Team Roles and Responsibilities**

To maintain and run an effective Careers Programme the Academy has an identified CEIAG Team:

Jodie Bailey – Deputy Headteacher/Strategic Careers Lead (DipCEG)

- Oversight of a planned Careers Education Programme, including policy, programme and development plan
- Monitor and evaluate Careers Education provision through Compass assessment, vision setting, Careers Hub engagement and working towards Gold Standard Modelling
- Statutory Duty Compliance
- Budget and resource management
- Establish, maintain and develop relationships with employers, FE, HE, training and apprenticeship providers
- Liaise with tutors, Heads of House, SENCO to identify and support students with careers guidance
- · Promote careers across the curriculum; liaise with PSHE lead and directors of subject to plan careers education
- Lead in house training / CPD for staff
- Brief and support staff involved with delivery of CEAIG
- Maintain own CPD
- Review and evaluate CEIAG (Quality assure CEIAG)
- Report to SLT and Governors on CEIAG
- Advise SLT and Governors on policy, strategy and resources for CEIAG

Kjersti Bould - PHSEE Lead

• Schemes of work for careers education within PHSEE

Gemma Newbon - Careers Operational Support

- Collection, analysis and tracking of destination data
- Support in the promotion of careers across the curriculum
- Establish, maintain and develop relationships with employers, FE, HE, training and apprenticeship providers
- · Liaise with tutors, Heads of House, SENCO to identify and support students with careers
- Brief and support staff involved with delivery of CEAIG
- Maintain own CPD
- Facilitate encounters with employers, education and training providers

#### Subject teachers

- Integrate careers into the curriculum, evaluated as part of the whole-school quality assurance cycle
- Engage with careers CPD through opportunities to attend CPD sessions, teacher encounters.

#### Governors

- Understanding and supporting the Careers Policy and Programme
- Engage with CPD
- Evaluate and challenge the current provision as part of the reporting process into the governing body

#### All teaching staff

- Link curriculum areas to careers
- Support the development of employability skills
- Promote progression routes within their curriculum area
- Develop external links to support careers within curriculum areas

### The Gatsby Benchmarks

Windsor Park Middle School's careers plan supports the achievement of the eight Gatsby benchmarks:

#### Benchmark 1: A Stable Careers Programme

Every school and college should have an embedded programme of career education and guidance that is known and understood by Students, parents, teachers, governors and employers.

#### Benchmark 2: Learning from Career and Labour Market Information

Every Student and their parents should have access to good quality information about future study options and labour market opportunities. They will need the support of an informed adviser to make the best use of available information

#### Benchmark 3: Addressing the Needs of Each Student

Students have different career guidance needs at different stages. Opportunities for advice and support need to be tailored to the needs of each Student. A school's careers programme should embed equality and diversity considerations throughout.

#### **Benchmark 4: Linking Curriculum Learning to Careers**

All teachers should link curriculum learning with careers. STEM subject teachers should highlight the relevance of STEM subjects for a wide range of careers paths.

#### **Benchmark 5: Encounters with Employers and Employees**

Every Student should have multiple opportunities to learn from employers about work, employment and the skills that are valued in the workplace. This can be through a range of enrichment activities including visiting speakers, mentoring and enterprise schemes.

#### **Benchmark 6: Experiences of Workplaces**

Every Student should have first-hand experience of the workplace through work visits, work shadowing, and/or work experience to help their exploration of career opportunities, and expand their networks.

#### **Benchmark 7: Encounters with Further and Higher Education**

All Students should understand the full range of learning opportunities that are available to them. This includes both academic and vocational routes and learning in schools, colleges, universities and in the workplace.

#### **Benchmark 8: Personal Guidance**

Every Student should have opportunities for guidance interviews with a careers adviser, who could be internal (a member of school staff) or external, provided they are trained to an appropriate level. These should be available whenever significant study or career choices are being made. They should be expected for all Students but should be timed to meet their individual needs.

Career related activity	Year 5	Year 6	Year 7	Year 8
Assembly	$\checkmark$	✓	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Careers lessons			$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Visits from/ to employers	$\checkmark$	✓	$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
Work experience				✓ *
Visits from FE / HE				$\checkmark$
Enterprise Activities			✓ *	✓ *

#### Overview

Careers Talks		$\checkmark$	$\checkmark$
External careers events			$\checkmark$

\* not whole cohort.

Additional activities / events will be added to the provision for each year group throughout the year as opportunities arise.

#### **Programme**

The careers programme at Windsor Park Middle School uses the CDI Framework which is based around three areas:

#### Self-Development

Developing through careers, employability and enterprise education. Students understand themselves and influences on them.

#### **Careers Exploration**

Learning about careers and the world of work. Students investigate opportunities in learning and work.

#### **Career Management**

Developing your career management and employability skills. Students make and adjust plans to manage change and transition.

As part of the programme, we adapt and tailor the provision to meet the needs of all students, including disadvantaged and SEND. The programme is reviewed annually with input from all stakeholders, including students, parents, teachers and the governing body. At the point of transition, we ensure that every student has received their Gatsby Benchmark entitlement.

# Key Stage 2

		Learning outcome statement	Things you know that work	Le	essons/activi	ties (	contributing to this outcome	
	1	Describe what you are like,	You know what you like	٠	Art Y5&6	•	Aut 1- 2 lessons on self-portraits	
		what you are good at and what you enjoy doing with	and enjoy doing You can describe what	•	DT Y5		Aut 1 intro themselves, what DT they have done and what they feel are their strengths	
		reference to the Skills Competency Framework,	you are good at	•	English Y5		Aut – getting to know you lesson Spr – Angel of Nitshill Road/Wonder	
		Employability Skills and		٠	Maths	•	Self-evaluation with FMU grids, half termly	
	careers readiness		•	Music Y5 Music Y6	•	Aut: Storyline Compositions (8 lessons) – reflecting on what your strengths you have on certain instruments to develop compositions Aut – Animals Compositions (8 lessons) – reflecting on what your strengths you have on certain instruments to develop compositions		
				٠	PHSEE Y5		Aut 1 "All about me"	
Developing				٠	PHSEE Y6		Spr 1 "Who am I" - self esteem	
yourself				٠	PHSEE Y8		Sum 2 Careers – do job quiz	
through careers,					•	RE		Work on the Trinity and the characteristics of Allah
employability				٠	French Y5	•	Aut 1 - "All about me"/je me présente	
and enterprise education				•	PE		Aut 1 - Application process for roles within the PE Departments Leadership Program	
education	2	Talk positively about how	You can speak positively	٠	Computing	•	Open night, pupils demonstrating	
		you look after yourself and make things happen	about yourself and what you have done so far to make things happen	•	DT		Aut 1- Yr7-8 business team activities where students take ownership of the project and adopt roles explain how they have achieved their goals.	
				٠	English Y5		Spr – Wonder/Angel of Nitshill Road	
							Summer – Travel and Adventure	
				•	English Y6		Autumn – Wild World	
				•	Maths		Library lessons Self-evaluation with FMU grids, half termly	
				•	Music Y5		Aut: Storyline Compositions (8 lessons) –	
							Whenever a group performs, the students are asked what they have done well in the performance/composition (self-assessment)	

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				Music Y6	<ul> <li>Aut – Animals Compositions (8 lessons) – Whenever a group performs, the students are asked what they have done well in the performance/composition (self-assessment)</li> </ul>
				French Y5	Aut 2 – En form – healthy/unhealthy foods
				PHSEE Y5	<ul> <li>Aut 1 – "All about me" – state what they are good at/their talents.</li> <li>Sum 2 "Healthy living"</li> </ul>
				PSHEE Y6	<ul> <li>Aut 1 – "Who am I" – self esteem</li> <li>Sum 2 "Health and exercise"</li> </ul>
				PHSEE Y8	Sum 2 – Careers – job quiz
				• PE Y5 & 6	Throughout the year (Fitness) Factors contributing to a 'Healthy Active Lifestyle'
				• RE	Throughout the curriculum
				Science	Spr - keeping healthy topic
				Art Y6	Aut 2- Peculiar portraits (image and how they perceive others)
	3	Identify what you are like about learning from careers, employability and enterprise activities and	You can describe what you have learnt and enjoyed from career, employability and	<ul><li>PHSEE Y5</li><li>PHSEE Y6</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Spr 2 "Citizenship – money, wants and needs" – discuss why we have to work and what jobs we want</li> </ul>
		experiences	enterprise learning activities and		• Spr 2 "Citizenship - money, debt and savings" – resources from banks like Barclays, looking at what salaries different jobs have.
			experiences	• Art Y5&6	Aut 1- artist studies and how their successes were different, obstacles overcome (2 lessons)
Learning	4	Be aware that people's careers are different, and they develop in different	Using famous people e.g., authors, sports people look at how their	English Y6	<ul> <li>Aut –looking at explorers</li> <li>Looking at how the different pathways to becoming authors through author focus</li> </ul>
about careers and the world of work		ways	careers developed	• DT Y6,Y7,Y8	<ul> <li>Aut 2 Plastic manufacturing processes</li> <li>Aut1 Dimensions live brief, jobs and roles.</li> <li>Aut 1 Yr7-8 business team activities where students take ownership of the project and adopt roles explain how they have achieved their goals.</li> </ul>

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				•	Hums	•	Display in room 5 including celebrities with History and Geography degrees – discussed at various points in year.
				•	French	•	Display outside Room 17 – celebrities who are multilingual
				•	French Y5	•	Vive la France unit helps give an insight into sporting and artistic opportunities abroad.
					Music Y6	•	Aut Animals Compositions (8 lessons) – Listening to Camille Saint-Saens 'Carnival of the Animals' and discussing why he wrote the musical suite
				•	PE Y5&6	•	Referring to different sports people as examples to support theory work, students seeing a variety of sports people in school and/or visits
				•	RE	•	Reading a page from 'Goodnight Stories for Rebel Girls' or 'Boys who Dare to be Different' every lesson
				•	Science Y5	•	Topic intro sheets have careers section these are talked through at the start of the topic. Each topic has a specific career focus where pupils go into more detail on what is involved and pathways into it.
				•	Art Y5 Art Y6	•	Aut 1 – 1 lesson on classroom etiquette. Sum – Sugar, job roles involved in production and branding
	5	Be aware that people feel differently about the	From interviewing family and visiting speakers you	•	English	•	KS2 trips to different places
	different kinds of work they can iden	can identify different kinds of work that people	•	PHSEE	•	Y8 Sum 2 "Careers"- looking at pathways of different careers	
			•	DT Y5	•	class management division split room and etiquette lesson1	
				1		•	eam points and DT dollars.

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6	Describe a local business, how it is run and the products and/or services it provides	You are aware of the different local businesses and the products and services offered	•	Hums Y5 Hums Y6 PHSEE Y5 PSHCEE Y6 PSHCEE Y8	•	<ul> <li>Aut 1 - analyse their town and its amenities (2 lessons)</li> <li>Aut 2 - visit to Francis Redfern's cottage, Museum of Uttoxeter life</li> <li>Spr 2 Looking at banking</li> <li>Sum 2 Looking at local pathways and local jobs</li> </ul>
			•	PE Y5&6	•	Reference (continuous) to local sports clubs / facilities.
			•	Science Y6 and Y8	•	Spr - keeping healthy topic. Pupils take on the role of a GP looking at lifestyle choices and advising patients
				Art Y5 Art Y8	•	Sum 2 Landscapes. Local artists that have designed sculptures and art locally. Aut 2 – Graffiti locally and worldwide. Comparisons and debate.
7	Describe the main types of employment in your area:	As part of your local history project, you can	•	Hums Y6	•	Aut 2- local history study – look at trade directories (1 lesson)
	past, present and future (LSIP)	state what have been the changes in employment in your village/town	•	Computing	•	E Safety
8	Be aware that we have the same rights, duties and responsibilities when it comes to treating people fairly	You can say how people should be treated and know who to talk to if something is wrong	•	DT	•	This runs a thread throughout all of the work we do, based on the fact that the multi discipline means that we vary in strengths and skills respect independence.
	lainy		•	English Y5&6	•	Kensuke's Kingdom/Wolf Brother/Wonder/Angel of Nitshill Road/The Explorer
			•	Hums Y6	•	Aut 2, How life has changed 1750-1900 – factories and health and safety –over the topic

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	Satement	WORK	•	Music Y5 Music Y6	•	Aut Storyline Compositions (8 lessons) – Whenever a group performs all students must listen in silence, applaud and discuss what went well about the composition (peer- assessment) Aut Animals Compositions (8 lessons) – Whenever a group performs all students must listen in silence, applaud and discuss what went well about the composition (peer- assessment)
			•	PHSEE	•	Ongoing in all year groups
			•	RE	•	Throughout the curriculum
			•	Art Y5&6	•	All terms – Intro to health and safety before every practical activity. Discuss risks and how things would be done in industry
				• PE		Reference to good sportsmanship.
9	Know how to keep yourself safe when you are working	You can follow safety rules to keep yourself	•	Computing	•	E Safety
	and what the law says to protect workers from being exploited	and others safe when working at school.	•	DT	•	This is woven into every lesson; all lessons have H & S aspects that need to be highlighted and adhered to. Self and others workshop and kitchen
			•	French Y5	•	Food tasting in January and the importance of following all safety rules
			•	Hums Y6	•	Sum 2, Tudor Storyteller Day – working with props and paints
			•	Music Y5&6	•	Aut (1 lesson) – establishing safety/ground rules before using instruments at all
			•	PE Y5&6	•	Safety guidelines (continuous) set out at the start of every activity
			•	PHSEE Y5&6	•	Spr 1 Human Rights
			•	Science	•	Throughout- safe practices in the lab

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				•	DT	•	We always talk about industry and signposting and how we can get help with this future education, apprenticeships, life skills
				•	English Y5 English Y6	•	Spr – Angel of Nitshill Road Spring – Wonder Aut – Wild World Summer – Crime and Equality
	10	Be aware of the help that is	You can identify when	•	Maths	•	Self-evaluation with FMU grids, half termly
		there for you and how to make good use of it	you may need help or assistance and who can		PHSEE	•	Ongoing in all year groups
			provide it whilst at school	•	RE	•	Signposting of support
				•	English Y5	•	Sum – Kensuke's Kingdom Spr- Angel of Nitshill Road
				•	Art Y5&6	•	Aut 2 Christmas card competition from Staffs County Council. (extra-curricular)
Developing your career management	11	Children write a job description for a babysitter and hold mock interviews	You can identify the skills and qualities needed for this job using personal experiences	•	DT		Making bake sales etc, ice cream making raising funds. DT have head technicians they are learning to take control of disseminating jobs, interviewing others, accountability, all looking at the qualities needed for the role.
and employability skills	12	Show that you can use your initiative and be enterprising	You can show how to work in a team and bring your talents to complete a challenge	•	English	•	Extra-curricular opportunity – Ingestre Hall residential week English lunchtime clubs
ortino		Citterprising		•	French	•	Interhouse competition where they work in a mixed KS team.
				• • •	Hums Hums Y6 Hums Y5 Maths	•	House Competitions Sum 2 -Storyteller day Various group work challenges: Sum 1 -Taj Mahal and Mount Everest task Group work + Reasoning tasks – varied
				•		•	timings Aut Storyline Compositions (8 lessons) – Performing compositions at the end of the lesson to peers

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	statement	WOR		Aut Animals Compositions (8 lessons) –     Performing compositions at the end of the     lesson to peers
			• PE Y5&6	How to contribute positively to a team is a focus throughout the year.
			• DT Y6	<ul> <li>when making choices about cooking, cheaper ingredients. Team cuisine.</li> <li>Aut 1 Yr7-8 business team activities where students take ownership of the project and adopt roles explain how they have achieved their goals.</li> </ul>
13	Show that you can make considered decisions about saving, spending and giving	You can show how to make an informed decision based on	Maths	Throughout the Key Stage, mainly as reasoning and enrichment tasks (Particularly Autumn, with place value and 4 operations)
	saving, spending and giving	looking at a range of saving products	<ul><li>PHSEE Y5</li><li>PHSEE Y6</li><li>PSHCEE Y8</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Spr 2 "Citizenship – money, wants and needs"</li> <li>Spr 2 "Citizenship - money, debt and savings"</li> <li>Salaries within specific jobs</li> </ul>
			Science	• Each topic has a specific career focus where pupils go into more detail on what is involved and pathways into it.
			• Art Y5&6	<ul> <li>All terms – decisions on how to display work in books and planning for final pieces</li> </ul>
14	Know how to make good use of information about post-primary options for you	You can identify who are the next providers of education in your area	Computing	Initial planning for programming activities
and decisions carefully will need to do different	You can say what you will need to do differently when taking on a new	Science	Planning investigations and reviewing/evaluating how successful they were and sources of potential error.	
		challenge	DT YR7	Planning projects, design solutions clock project
			English	KS2 – planning lessons for writing, editing and drafting

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			Hums Y5&6     Throughout all topics, self-evaluation     plenaries. Many lessons where we analyse     sources and come to a conclusion
			Hums Yr 6     Sum 2 -Henry VII decision lesson
			<ul> <li>PE Y5&amp;6</li> <li>(Invasion games) Plan and deliver a warmup and small drills to a small group.</li> <li>(Invasion games) Tactical awareness during games.</li> </ul>
			Computing     E Safety
			French     Pupil voice during QA cycles
1	16 Know how to make a good impression when you want people to choose you	You can say what you need to do to impress people in a given situation	<ul> <li>English Y5</li> <li>Sum – Kensuke's kingdom</li> <li>Spr – Angel of Nitshill Road</li> <li>Sum – Crime and Equality</li> <li>English</li> <li>Extra-curricular opportunity – Ingestre Hall residential week</li> </ul>
			<ul> <li>Art Y5</li> <li>Art Y6</li> <li>Art Y6</li> <li>Art Y6</li> <li>Art Y6</li> <li>Art Y6</li> <li>Sum 2 – given independent tasks to prepare for KS3 double lessons.</li> </ul>
			<ul> <li>English Y5</li> <li>English</li> <li>Spr – Angel of Nitshill Road</li> <li>Aspiring to meet end-of-year targets and responding to feedback (weekly)</li> </ul>
			PE     Feam selection try outs.
1	17 Know how to handle transitions including those that are challenging	You can set yourself realistic goals in making the next transition	Hums Y6     Hums     Sum 2, Discuss expectations for Key Stage 3     Each year group has the following year's I     can statements in their book.     Solf evoluation following SAT approx and
			Maths     Self-evaluation following SAT scores and moving to new Key Stage
			PE Y6     Transitioning to the next age version of Games e.g., 7-aside netball

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		PSHCEE Y8     Sum 2 – Transition to high school – looking at their new school and change.	
		DT Y8 and YR7     Transition unit Transition into KS3	

#### Key Stage 3

As a middle school, our main focus at Key Stage 3 is on Self-Development and Careers Exploration as many of the outcomes under the heading of 'Developing your career management and employability skills' are more applicable to older learners. . However, we work closely with our feeder High School to ensure that students receive a well-rounded careers education programme over the course of KS3 and beyond.

		Self-Developmen	t		
Outcome	Rationale	Learning Outcome	Learning Activities/Opportunities		
Self- awareness	Individuals who realistically appraise their qualities and skills, roles and responsibilities, values and attitudes, needs and interests, aptitudes and achievements are better able to understand themselves, make informed choices and relate well to others. Self-awareness is	Describe yourself, your strengths and your preferences with reference to the Skills Competency Framework, Employability Skills and careers readiness	<ul> <li>Art Y8</li> <li>DT Y7&amp;8</li> <li>English</li> <li>French</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Spr 2 – self-portraits 6 lessons</li> <li>Awareness of your own strengths and weaknesses, make informed design decisions work with others and identify areas for development from class feedback.</li> <li>Peer assessment (identify strengths and areas for development)</li> <li>Self-evaluation forms done after every unit of work and evaluations done within the</li> </ul>	
	essential for nurturing self- esteem, identity and mental well- being.	-	Hums Y7&8     Maths	<ul> <li>Many self-evaluation below the within the course of lessons.</li> <li>Many self-evaluative plenaries throughout all topics</li> <li>Self-evaluation half termly</li> </ul>	
			Music Y7&8	<ul> <li>Aut (8 lessons) At the end of each alternative lesson, students will perform their work to their peers and self-assess, understanding what each member of the group's strength is</li> </ul>	
			<ul><li>PHSEE Y7</li><li>PHSEE Y8</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Aut 1 Personal values and choices</li> <li>Aut 1 Self-confidence and self esteem</li> <li>Sum 2 – Careers – job quiz</li> </ul>	

			<ul> <li>PE Y7&amp;8</li> <li>Science</li> <li>RE</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>(Team games – understanding your own strengths and how to utilise these within a team. Self – evaluation is prominent in these SOWs.</li> <li>Aut 1 - Application process for roles within the PE Departments Leadership Program</li> <li>Dissuasion of the ethics and morals surrounding scientific practices and treatments.</li> <li>Work on characteristics of God</li> </ul>
Self- determination	Self-determination or self- regulation promotes personal autonomy, self-efficacy and personal agency. It boosts hope,	Be able to focus on the positive aspects of your well-being, progress and achievements.	House Compe     DT	Perseverance in new topics and learning new skills and techniques; reflection and
	optimism, adaptability and resilience. Self-determination empowers individuals to aspire and achieve.		English	<ul> <li>determination.</li> <li>Improve engagement time in accelerated reader</li> <li>Taking responsibility for choosing where to guiz on their books</li> </ul>
			French Y8	Focus during transfer tests for high school.
			<ul><li>Hums Y7&amp;8</li><li>Hums Y7</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Self-tracking assessment grids</li> <li>Aut 1 –Neolithic Revolution -self- assessment and peer assessment against success criteria</li> </ul>
			Maths	Self-evaluation half termly + Flight Paths
			Music Y7&8	<ul> <li>Aut (8 lessons) At the end of each alternative lesson, students will perform their work to their peers and self-assess, understanding what each member of the group's strength is</li> </ul>
			<ul><li>PHSEE Y7</li><li>PHSEE Y8</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Aut 1 Personal values and choices</li> <li>Sum 2 – Mental health</li> <li>Aut 1 Self-confidence and self esteem</li> <li>Sum 2 Mental health</li> </ul>
			• PE Y7&8	Fitness (continuous). Students set themselves targets and review progress.

. Self- improvement as a learner	Self-improvement sustains positive attitudes to learning throughout life. It fosters the skills of planning, review and reflection. Understanding what they have learned, what they need to learn next and how they learn best enables individuals to develop their potential.	Explain how you have benefitted as a learner from career, employability and enterprise learning activities and experiences.	<ul> <li>Art Y7</li> <li>DT Y8</li> <li>Hums Y7&amp;8</li> <li>Hums Y7</li> <li>Maths</li> <li>PHSEE all</li> <li>PHSEE Y7</li> <li>PHSEE Y8</li> <li>PE</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Spr – Pop Art module looking at brand promotion through pop art</li> <li>Dimensions project careers and industry link. Smith of Derby link.</li> <li>Many self-evaluative plenaries throughout all topics</li> <li>Neolithic Revolution project task</li> <li>Bank links (AJH)</li> <li>Behaviour for learning – maximising learning potential</li> <li>Aut 1 Personal values and choices</li> <li>Aut 1 Self-confidence and self esteem</li> <li>Sum 2 Mental health</li> <li>Evaluation process (games, dance, fitness and gym)</li> </ul>
		Careers Explorat	ion	
Exploring careers and career development	Career exploration expands individuals' horizons for actions and opportunities. An understanding of career processes and structures	Describe different explanations of what careers are and how they can be developed.		<ul> <li>Dimensions</li> <li>Smith of Derby clock projects and competitions</li> <li>DT jobs contracts and work expectations, meetings and writing job descriptions.</li> </ul>
	enables individuals to make sense of their own careers, understand the careers		English Y8	<ul> <li>Aut – Sherlock Holmes: careers in law enforcement and medicine</li> <li>Spr – careers week</li> </ul>
	experiences of others and contribute in important ways to the career wellbeing of others.		<ul><li>French</li><li>Y7 &amp;8</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Display specifically on careers in languages Sept 20</li> <li>Why learn a language discrete lesson which also touches on pathways with languages.</li> </ul>
			<ul><li>Hums</li><li>Hums Yr 7&amp;8</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Display of famous people and careers</li> <li>Aut 1 -Lesson on careers – top trumps Geography careers, links to individuals discussing how studying History has helped their career.</li> </ul>
			Maths	Bank links (AJH)
			PHSEE Y8	Sum 2 Careers
			Science	<ul><li>Spr 2 Big bang NEC</li><li>Careers notice board</li></ul>

				• Each topic has a specific career focus where pupils go into more detail on what is involved and pathways into it.
Investigating work and working life	Investigating people's changing experiences of work enables individuals to understand the	Give examples of different kinds of work and why people's	English Y8	<ul> <li>Aut – Sherlock Holmes: careers in law enforcement and medicine</li> <li>Spr – careers week</li> </ul>
	meaning and purpose of work in peoples' lives. They learn what constitutes good or decent work and how to find it for themselves.	satisfaction with their working lives can change.	<ul><li>Hums Y8</li><li>Hums Y7&amp;8</li></ul>	experiences of work and how studying History has helped them.
			PHSEE Y8	Sum 2 Careers
			• RE	Buddhism and life choices (1 lesson).
			Science	Careers notice board
Understanding business and industry	Understanding sizes and types of business and business, why they are organised as they are and how they view success enables individuals to prepare for	Give examples of different business organisational structures.	PHSEE Y8	Sum 2 Careers
	employment and to appraise the contribution of business and industry to community, social and economic life.		• PE Y8	Standon Bowers residential trip
Investigating jobs and labour	Individuals need to know how to access, analyse and act on	Be aware of what job and labour market information	English Y8	Spr – careers week
market information	relevant, objective and up-to- date job and labour market information when thinking about	is and how it can be useful to you.	French Y8	<ul> <li>Y8 Diversity Day workshop – migration/work, contribution of China globally/</li> </ul>
	careers, employability and enterprise. They also need to know how to protect themselves		• Hums Y7&8	<ul> <li>Throughout all topics, interpretation and source analyse skills, Year 7, Spring – China economic growth (2 lessons)</li> </ul>
	from subjective and biased information.		Maths     Computing	+ • costings, budgeting + wages
			PHSEE	Y8 Sum 2 Careers
			Science	Spr 2 Big bang NEC

Valuing equality, diversity and	Individuals need to share the commitment to equality, diversity and inclusion as a British and	Identify how to stand up to stereotyping and discrimination that is	Art Y7	<ul> <li>Aut – collaborative art, working individually and creating final pieces from controversial artists and icons</li> </ul>
inclusion	international value. By countering stereotyping,	damaging to you and those around you.	• DT	Ethical manufacturing, upcycling and waste Diversity in food.
	discrimination and prejudice,		English Y7	Summer – Can You See Me?
	individuals can realise their own		French Y8	Spr Diversity Day
	ambitions and help others to do so.		Hums Y8	<ul> <li>Spr 2, Diversity Day</li> <li>Spr 2 Who are we module – looking at immigration and population changes (whole half term)</li> <li>Sum 1 – Slavery today – Human rights act</li> </ul>
			Music Y8	<ul> <li>Aut (8 lessons) Songwriting: Students are writing songs about what is important to them and presenting their current work to their peers at the end of the class</li> </ul>
			PHSEE Y7	<ul><li>Sum 1 British diversity</li><li>Ongoing in year 8</li></ul>
			• RE	Throughout the whole curriculum
			Science	Careers display items chosen to counter stereotyping
			• PE 7&8	<ul> <li>Playing a number of sports from around the world. Valuing each member of the team or opponent. Promote gender equality in the sporting world.</li> </ul>
Learning about safe working	Learning about safe working practices and environments	Be aware of the laws and byelaws relating to young	<ul> <li>Art Y7&amp;8</li> </ul>	All terms – health and safety before new skills and final pieces. Art room rules
practices and environments	helps individuals to keep themselves and others healthy and safe at work.	people's permitted hours and types of employment; and know how to	• DT	• Lessons throughout all the learning experiences health and safety in industry type practice
		minimise health and	Hums Y8	Sum 1, Modern Day Slavery (1 lesson)
		safety risks to you and those around you.	• PE Y7&8	Safety guidelines (continuous) set out at the start of every activity
			Science	Throughout talking about health and safety in the lab/comparison to working practices
		Career Manageme	ent	

Making the most of careers information, advice and guidance	Individuals need to learn how to recognise, access and make effective use of trustworthy sources of information, advice and guidance which are offered on a one to one or small group	Identify your personal networks of support, including how to access and make the most of impartial face to face and digital careers	<ul><li>English Y8</li><li>Hums Y7&amp;8</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Spr – careers week</li> <li>Throughout all topics, source analysis and interpretation skills</li> </ul>
	basis, both online and in person. This includes being actively involved in identifying their needs and how they can be met.	information, advice and guidance.	PHSEE Y8	Summer 2 Careers
Preparing for employability	Preparing for employability is about enabling individuals to gain the skills and experiences	Recognise the qualities and skills you have demonstrated both in and	<ul> <li>English Y7 &amp; 8</li> <li>French Y8</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Spr – careers week</li> <li>All year – opportunity to develop oracy skills</li> <li>Y8 Paris trip</li> </ul>
	they need to get, maintain and make progress in employment or self-employment including networking, negotiation, self-	out of school that will help to make you employable.	Hums Y7&8	<ul> <li>Constantly reminding them every lesson what purpose is of the content and skills being developed.</li> </ul>
	advocacy and staying healthy.		<ul> <li>Maths</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>how to apply skills to a particular challenge and identify appropriate strategies</li> </ul>
			Music Y7&8	<ul> <li>Aut (8 lessons) – when reflecting on compositions students will be recognising their strengths and how develop them in future lessons</li> </ul>
			• PE Y8	Leadership in PE program
			• DT Y8	<ul> <li>Understanding food and nutrition.</li> <li>Aut 1 Yr7-8 business team activities where students take ownership of the project and adopt roles, make business plans, explain how they have achieved their goal, receive table points and DT dollars.</li> </ul>
			PHSEE Y8	Sum 2 Careers
			Science	<ul> <li>Spr 2 Big bang NEC</li> <li>Aut 2 / Spr 1 Y8 health and fitness topic.</li> </ul>
Showing initiative and	Showing initiative and enterprise is about helping individuals to	Recognise when you are using the qualities and	House compe	
enterprise	make the most of their opportunities, manage risk-	skills that entrepreneurs demonstrate		g for leavers event terprise Challenge

	taking and demonstrate drive and determination, especially in a business sense.		Hums Y7	<ul> <li>Eden Project – sustainability tasks</li> </ul>
			• DT	Team cuisine chef competition
			•	<ul> <li>PE Sports leaders taking ownership of clubs.</li> </ul>
Developing personal financial capability	Being able to calculate and compare costs and benefits of living, education, training and employment options, considering any financial support that might be available, is an increasingly important skill for individuals to	Show that you can manage a personal budget and contribute to household and school budgets.	Maths	Bank links (AJH), Money questions, used as enrichment and reasoning to apply skills across the Key Stage
	develop. They need to know how to make budgeting and financial planning decisions about spending, borrowing, saving and investing to safeguard their economic well-being now and in the future.		<ul><li>PSHCEE Y5</li><li>PSHCEE Y6</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Spr 2 "Citizenship – money, wants and needs" – discuss why we have to work and what jobs we want</li> <li>Spr 2 "Citizenship - money, debt and savings" – visit from bank and discuss what salaries different jobs have.</li> </ul>
			RE French Y8	<ul> <li>Christian Aid 'Oranges game' (two lessons)</li> <li>Y8 Paris trip managing their own spending/budgeting over the week</li> </ul>
			• DT YR 8	Cooking and budgeting

Identifying	Individuals need to be able to	Know how to identify and	English Y8	Spr – careers week
choices and opportunities	research and recognise suitable progression pathways and	systematically explore the options open to you at	• Hums Y7&8	Throughout -research skills and evaluative skills to make a conclusion
	qualifications. Using networking, negotiation, information and evaluation skills enables	a decision point.	Maths	Reasoning questions and challenge used as enrichment and reasoning to apply skills across the Key Stage
	individuals to maximise their choices and opportunities, including those that are		<ul><li>PHSEE Y7</li><li>PHSEE Y8</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Aut 1 Personal values and choices</li> <li>Aut 1 Self-confidence and self esteem</li> <li>Sum 2 Careers</li> </ul>
	unforeseen or unplanned.		Science	<ul> <li>Spr 2 Big bang NEC</li> <li>Each topic has a specific career focus where pupils go into more detail on what is involved and pathways into it.</li> </ul>
Planning and deciding	Individuals need to know how make and carry out carefully considered and negotiated decisions and plans. This	Know how to negotiate and make plans and decisions carefully to help you get the qualifications,	• DT	<ul> <li>In all projects research and reflection along with development and adaptation take place, through input and trial and error skills are gained to equip students</li> </ul>
	includes being able to respond effectively to unforeseen or	skills and experience you need.	English Y7 & 8	<ul> <li>Spr – careers week</li> <li>Aut – applying for position of librarian</li> </ul>
	unplanned choices and opportunities.		Hums Y7&8	Throughout topics debate issues and come to a conclusion after analysing evidence.
			<ul><li>Hums Yr 8</li><li>Maths</li></ul>	<ul> <li>Sum 1- Earthquake proof buildings task</li> <li>Team challenges + enrichment activities</li> </ul>
			Science	<ul> <li>Planning investigations and reviewing/evaluating how successful they were and sources of potential error.</li> </ul>
			PSHEE Y7	Aut 1 Personal values and choices
			• PE Y7&8	Games (continuous) – making plans and decisions to changing circumstances
Handling	Promoting themselves in a way	Know how to prepare and	SSLT	
applications and interviews	that attracts the attention of selectors and recruiters as well	present yourself when going through a selection	• Art	<ul> <li>All terms – art dept Instagram account to promote art dept.</li> </ul>
	as managing the applications process requires individuals to	process	English Y8	<ul> <li>Spr – careers week</li> <li>Aut – applying for position of librarian</li> </ul>
	develop a range of self- presentation and marketing skills		Music	Ongoing throughout the year. Students will be demonstrating their abilities (developing their confidence) whenever they are

	including the use of digital and social media. This also requires that they develop strategies to cope with set-backs and disappointments.		<ul><li>PHSEE Y8</li><li>PE Y8</li></ul>	<ul> <li>performing. Prepares them for difficult situations and how to be resilient</li> <li>Sum 2 Careers</li> <li>Leadership in PE program - written application</li> </ul>
			DT Year 7/8	DT technician's roles. Leadership, applications and interviews.
Managing changes and	changes and preparedness help individuals to positive, flexible transitions make successful moves such as prepared at t	Show that you can be positive, flexible and well	English Y8	Transfer test and transition module with TAHS
transitions		prepared at transition points in your life.	Maths	Extra transition visits to TAHS, preparation and individual work prior to transition testing
			French Y8	- Spr/Summer transfer tests and preparation of grammar booklet to take to TAHS
			Hums Yr 8	Sum 2 - Transition tests and GCSE example questions.
			PHSEE Y8	Sum 2 transition to high school
			• PE Y7&8	Attending sporting events and fixtures supported by TAHS and their Young Leaders
			• RE	Work on hopes and aspirations

# Careers Curriculum Map

## **Department: Maths**

Autumn term	Spring term	Summer Term	Gatsby Benchmarks
All years study Number, including calculations, with an emphasis on	Renewing of 'Careers in maths' display board.	Selected Year 8s to work with Bank on real life banking module.	4, 5, 7, 3
money and transactions that will be useful in the world of work.	NSPCC Number Day – enterprise and fund raising. Explaining the work of charities.	Girls' careers in maths Day at TAHS.	

Maths on Merseyside competition and winner to the university to look at maths options	Problem Solving investigations linked to enterprise. JCB STEM G&T careers and enterprise day.	
Selected year 8s to St Mary's for maths transition work to experience working in a school.		

# Department: English

Autumn term	Spring term	Summer Term	Gatsby Benchmarks
Year 5 – When students arrive at school, we will be asking them to write about what their interests are etc.	Year 8 – Students to research careers/FE/HE areas of interest. Create job profiles.	Year 6 – Careers research at the end of the unit. Year 7 – Career Profile on chosen	4, 5
Year 6 – Create a fact file about how to look after themselves/survive in the wild.		'everyday hero' during war time. Write a personal statement outlining the skills and aspirations of their hero.	
Research and write a biography/fact file for their chosen explorer with a focus on their chosen career progression.		Year 8 – Write a personal CV (focussing on the skills necessary for their chosen career (s) using job profiles from the Autumn term) with a personal statement.	
Year 6 – Ingestre trip			
Year 8 – reading focus on how Sherlock Holmes' skills enable him to be successful in his chosen career			

# Department: Science

Autumn term	Spring term	Summer Term	Gatsby Benchmarks
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All SOW are linked to appropriate career paths which are shared with students.	All SOW are linked to appropriate career paths which are shared with students.	All SOW are linked to appropriate career paths which are shared with students.	4, 5, 6
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STEM careers display in the department is regularly updated.	STEM careers display in the department is regularly updated.	STEM careers display in the department is regularly updated.	
	Big Bang at the NEC		
	Eden Project		

# Department: Art

Autumn term	Spring term	Summer Term	Gatsby Benchmarks
KS3 – lesson on "What is art good for?" looking at the Ken Robinson Education debate. Year 6 – Ingestre Hall arts centre trip.	KS2 – lesson on "What jobs can you do through pursuing art?" Year 7 – Eden Project artist workshop including a discussion on life as an artist.	Year 8 – TAHS art exhibition. Year 8 – Options discussions about GCSE and A-Level art.	4, 5, 6

# Department: DT

Autumn term	Spring term	Summer Term	Gatsby Benchmarks
Year 6 – Bridge Project civil engineering (tarmac)	Food hygiene in a professional kitchen.	Ethical manufacturing Corporate company links – Team	4, 5
Year 7 – Industrial Skills Textiles sourcing sustainably	Food – Tesco ethical/cultural foods.	Cuisine	
Year 8 – Dimensions industrial link project. Industrial data use	Food – Tesco (sponsored coordinator) impact of sugar	Industrial skills using plastic manufacturing	
anthropometrics/ ergonomics	Food miles – costing	Jaguar Landrover careers engineer team challenge	
		Learning to use professional drawing orthographic design grids – cafeque	

## **Department: French**

Autumn term	Spring term	Summer Term	Gatsby Benchmarks
KS3 'why learn a language?' stand- alone lesson which focusses on the types of careers that linguists can follow. From 2020 KS2 will have a differentiated approach to meet the same aim as KS3 discrete lessons – it's not simply communication, there are other benefits of learning a language.	Classroom displays updated with applications/opportunities for those with language skills. Y8 Paris trip Diversity Day	Year 8 – discussion around MFL benefits and value of GCSE. Year 8 workshop at TAHS for selected pupils – includes how languages can benefit your future job/career.	4

## **Department: Humanities**

Year 5 – Where in the world are we? Year 6 – Fantastic places – planning and costing Year 8 – Discussion of History and 4, 5, Geography at GCSE.	
Focus on where you would like to live.Year 7 - China - job market - how it affects us now and could affect us in the future depending on our career choices.KS3 - Discussion of the value of History and Geography degrees in the job market.KS3 - Why study history and geography? One off lessons looking at careers from studying both subjects including top trumps games and clips of people from different industries discussing how studying History and Geography has helped their career.Year 7 - Eden ProjectKS3 - Discussion of the value of History and Geography degrees in the job market.Careers display, linking jobs to Humanities learning.Interest of the value of affects us now and could affect us in the future depending on our career choices.KS3 - Discussion of the value of History and Geography degrees in the job market.	5, 6

# Department: ICT

Autumn term	Spring term	Summer Term	Gatsby Benchmarks
Year 7 - E-Safety. Home-globally wider community.	Coding/programming linked to industry use.	Engineering dissembly	4, 5

Year 8 – CAD use, costing, Gantt charts for project management, spreadsheet costings, and budget projections. Year 8 – A-Level style study project • Referencing • GANNT charts • Research • Dissertation writing	Computer networking locally and globally Computer engineering building/dissembly Computer development-based systems Careers aspirations.	
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# Department: L4L

Autumn term	Spring term	Summer Term	Gatsby Benchmarks
Year 5 – Human rights and war 'The role of rescue workers' Year 6 – Police cadets All Years – Child Line (counselling service) 'What does it mean to be a counsellor?' The role of the police force – linked to bullying and cyber bullying and Crime in year 7 and 8.	All years – the role of MPs and what happens in Parliament. Year 6 – Human rights and war 'The role of rescue workers' Year 5 and 6 – banking and money –	Year 8 – Careers education explicit module. Looking at jobs, salaries, cost of living and aspirations.	4, 6, 5, 3, 2

# Department: Music

Autumn term	Spring term	Summer Term	Gatsby Benchmarks
Year 5 Young Voices – team work, presentation skills	Year 5 the orchestra – team work	Year 5 Journey into Space	4, 2,
Young 6 Carnival of the animals – group work	Year 6 Year 7 Folk Music	Year 6 Music and Art Year 7 Writing Music	
Year 7 film music and careers in performing arts	Year 8 Scales	Year 8 Composition	
Year 8 Song Writing and career pathways			

# Department: PE

Autumn term	Spring term	Summer Term	Gatsby
			Benchmarks
			4, 5
Exposure to and engagement with professional sports coaches during extra-curricular clubs and lessons.	Exposure to and engagement with professional sports coaches during extra-curricular clubs and lessons.	Exposure to and engagement with professional sports coaches during extra-curricular clubs and lessons.	
Leadership in PE Program	Leadership in PE Program	National School Sports Week utilising local professional sports people	
Y8 Standon Bowers Residential	Y8 Careers in Sport lessons.		
		Leadership in PE Program	

# Department: RE

Autumn term	Spring term	Summer Term	Gatsby
			Benchmarks

What's in a name lesson on Sikhism, talk about CV's and discrimination (Year 8)	Impact of Christian beliefs on the choices Christians make in their lives. (Year 5)	Hinduism topic – caste system (1 lesson, Year 5) Explain ways in which some Christians put their beliefs into practice by trying to bring freedom to others. (year 6)	4
Trinity –Roles and responsibilities (Year	Lesson on Street Pastors (Year 8)		
7)		Jesus' teaching challenges Christians to	
		embody this transformation in their	
		individual	
Explain the concepts of Creation and		lives, church communities, and in	
stewardship in Christianity.(Year 8)		the wider world. (Year 7)	
		The call for social justice (including peace-	
		making and care of the Earth) as an	
		indicator of	
		how far they are living as the People of God	
		(Year 8)	

#### Assemblies

	Gatsby Benchmarks
Assemblies by speakers from a variety of backgrounds, jobs, careers, education providers, employers and employees throughout the year.	2, 5

## **Other Provision linked to Careers**

Autumn term	Spring term	Summer Term	Gatsby
			Benchmarks
<ul> <li>Principal from TAHS addresses year 8 parents and students re options at year 9 and beyond.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Carers Fair at TAHS</li> <li>Careers Week w/b 19<sup>th</sup> February</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>Summer Fayre – enterprise</li> <li>Year 8 visit from DBC training (apprenticeship training provider)</li> </ul>	<u>2, 3, 5, 7</u>