

The Cowplain School Careers Programme

Careers Education, Information, Advice & Guidance (CEIAG)



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The Gatsby Benchmarks: The Cowplain School Careers Programme has been developed in line with the Gatsby Benchmarks

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A stable careers programme	Learning from career and labour market information	Addressing the needs of each pupil	Linking curriculum to careers	Encounters with employers and employees	Experiences of workplaces	Encounters with further and higher education	Personal Guidance

The Cowplain School Website/Social Media/Google Classroom:

The school's careers programme is published on The Cowplain School website, with links to a wide range of useful resources for parents, staff, and students.

Students are encouraged to join the 'Your Future' Google Classroom which provides a library of resources: career guidance tools, information on specific careers, further & higher education pathways, apprenticeships information, and online careers tools.

Opportunities and information are promoted to parents and students via Google Classroom, social media (Facebook/Twitter), email and Reflection Time.

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Gatsby Benchmark	Year 7	Year 8	Year 9	Year 10	Year 11
GB1	The Cowplain School Careers Programme supports all students from Year 7 to Year 11 and is carefully planned to introduce students to the world of work and careers; promote aspirations by introducing students to a wide range of career and education opportunities and pathways; develop employability skills; provide encounters with employers; and enable students to prepare for and make choices for their future.				
GB2	Reflection Time Activities Careers LMI Workshops	Reflection Time Activities Careers LMI Workshops	Reflection Time Activities Careers LMI Workshops	Reflection Time Activities Work Experience Workshops	Reflection Time Activities Apprenticeships Workshops
GB3	The Cowplain School website and 'Your Future' Google Classroom provide careers resources available to all students & parents. Ongoing review and evaluation ensure that Careers Education, Information, Advice and Guidance is tailored to meet the needs of all students.				
GB4	Careers Lessons in RSHE: Dreams & Goals	Careers Lessons in RSHE: Employability Skills Tech Truck (STEM)	Careers Lessons in RSHE: Career Pathways	Careers Lessons in RSHE: Experiencing Work	Careers Lessons in RSHE: Preparing for the Future
	Curriculum learning is linked to careers in all subjects				
GB5	Summer Careers Fair	Summer Careers Fair	Summer Careers Fair Unloc Mock Interview Skills day	Summer Careers Fair Unloc Enterprise and Employability day	ASK Apprenticeships - Mock Interview Workshop
GB6				Work Experience	
GB7	University of Portsmouth Taster Day City of Portsmouth College assembly	HSDC Assembly University Taster Day City of Portsmouth College assembly	University of Portsmouth Taster Day City of Portsmouth College assembly	HSDC Taster Day City of Portsmouth College assembly Peta Ltd Assembly Sparsholt College Assembly	Further Education College Assemblies University of Portsmouth Assembly Apprenticeships Assembly and Search and apply workshop Universities of Oxford & Cambridge Conference
GB8	Careers Guidance Interviews (EHCP & CiC)	Careers Guidance Interviews (EHCP & CiC)	Careers Guidance Interviews (EHCP & CiC)	Careers Guidance Interviews	Careers Guidance Interviews Job Centre Plus