

Careers - a Student's Typical Journey

Year 7

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
				PSHEE: Career Education lessons: Who am I and What am I good at?	Big Bang STEM Fair

Year 8

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
PSHEe Ages in Law including child employment legislation.		Assembly launch: What are options? Why are we choosing them now? National, local and personal contexts. Trip to Potter World to explore jobs in the Creative Arts.	Options' Fair and Parents' Information Evenings	Assembly: "The Law and Employment" from East Sussex Child Employment Officer. Assembly from Employment Officer.	ELD:Enterprise The Apprentice: (Entrepreneurial and Employability Skills)
		PSHEE: Options How do I learn? What are my skills, how do I best make choices? What are my post year 11 plans? 1:1 Guidance from tutors			

Year 9

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<p>PSHEe lessons: What is work? (WRL) Labour Market Information (what impact technology might have, projected changes in work in the UK and East Sussex)</p>	<p>Tutor sessions: Passport to Employability starts. Focus on how they can evidence the key employability skills of: communication, professional conduct, showing initiative, teamwork and leadership. ELD: English 'Dragons Den'</p>	<p>Assembly reminder about Employability Skills</p>	<p>Tutor sessions to continue with Passport to Employability. Support sessions offered to those who feel they struggle with the four standards</p>		

Year 10

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	<p>Presentation to gifted students from an Admissions Officer at a top UK university about what is looked for in applications</p>			<p>PSHEE: Careers Planning. Sources of Information. Introduction to the National Careers' Service.</p> <p>Big Futures Careers Fair.</p>	<p>ELD: a chance to meet an employer. Introduction to UCAS Progress to search for and apply to FE Colleges. Introduction to College website signposting impartial careers websites. Presentations on apprenticeships and from local FE College. What is RPA?(Raising of the age of Participation)</p>
				<p>1:1 Careers Guidance interviews.</p>	

Year 11

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Reminder lesson in PSHEE about UCASProgress, opportunity to populate their application with information, write their personal statement and choose courses. Optional talk on Uniformed Public Services.	PSHEE: What does the RPA mean? Presentations on A levels and alternatives. Session on UCAS Progress: searching for courses and applying. Presentation to gifted students from an Admissions Officer at a top UK university about what is looked for in applications	1:1 support for those who want an apprenticeship from YES (Youth Employability Service)	YES (Youth Employability Service) Impartial Information Advice and Guidance for potential NEETs (Not in Employment, Education or Training)		
1:1 interviews with British Army and local Agricultural College.					
1:1 Careers Guidance interviews.					
Head of Year writes references for College applications					

Sixth Form

Term 1	Term 2	Term 3	Term 4	Term 5	Term 6
<p>Year 13 PSHEE: sessions on UCAS and alternative routes</p> <p>Assemblies on Apprenticeships, GAP Years, volunteering, Local Businesses. All impartial</p> <p>1:1 Careers' interviews available</p>	<p>Year 12/13: Coaching from impartial personal coaches for those not planning university</p> <p>Those not planning to attend university go the The Wealden Careers' Fair</p> <p>Y13 Interview Day: all students are prepared in PSHEe, are interviewed by an employer, and then are given written feedback on their performance</p>	<p>ELD for Y12: volunteering, work experience, the realities of university all delivered by external providers ranging from The University of Sussex, Inspiring the Future to Careers' Guidance experts and the National Volunteering Service.</p> <p>Final deadline for UCAS applications</p>	<p>Universities Fair for Year 12 at Sussex.</p> <p>Focussed intervention in PSHEe lessons for those with non university and uncertain post A Level destinations. Support ranges from CV construction, to job and apprenticeship searching and mock panel interviews.</p>		<p>Year 12: PSHEE UCAS and alternative routes. Assembly on UCAS personal statements from external lecturer.</p> <p>Year 12: Support with writing personal statements for university applications, Head of Sixth and coaches write academic references.</p> <p>Alumni Day</p>
<p>Year 13: Support with writing personal statements for university applications, Head of Sixth and coaches write academic references</p>					
<p>Wealden Works! Impartial IAG, for those uncertain about staying in the Sixth Form.</p>					
<p>Visits from alumni to share their experience of university/ work</p>					
<p>1:1 Careers' interviews available</p>					