



Careers Education

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CAREERS STATUTORY GUIDANCE

Hopewell is committed to providing a planned programme of careers education for all our students in years 7 – 13. We are also committed to providing access to impartial and independent careers advice through our Careers Advisors in our Local Authorities and via the National Careers Service telephone helpline. Impartial careers information and advice is also so available through our programme of:

ENTITLEMENT

All students are entitled to careers education and guidance that meets professional standards of practice and is person-centred, impartial and confidential. It is integrated into the students' experience of the whole curriculum. The programme aims to challenge stereotyping, promote equality of opportunity, inclusion and anti-racism. The careers programme is planned according to the learning outcomes of the CDI National framework.

Hopewell Career Plan and Programme

PROVIDER ACCESS

This policy statement sets out the school's arrangements for managing the access of providers to pupils at the school for the purpose of giving them information about the provider's education or training offer. This complies with the school's legal obligations under Section 42B of the Education Act 1997.

Provider Access Policy

VISITING SPEAKERS

We often invite speakers from our wider community to give talks to enrich our pupils' experience of school, providing them with information that helps them make decisions at different phases of their education, widening their understanding of world and global issues and providing motivational inspiration through the sharing of a speaker's experience.

Our responsibility to our students is to ensure that they can critically assess the information they receive as to its value to themselves, and that the information is aligned to the ethos and values of the School and British Values of democracy, the rule of law, individual liberty and mutual respect and tolerance of those with different faiths and beliefs.

The purpose of this policy is to set out the School's legal obligations when using Visiting Speakers and to set out the standards of behaviour expected from Visiting Speakers. This policy was therefore drawn up having had regard to the Government's Prevent Duty guidance and the School's wider safeguarding obligations.

The "Prevent" statutory guidance (The Prevent Duty: Departmental advice for schools and childcare providers", DfE, June 2015) (<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/prevent-duty-guidance>) requires schools to have clear protocols for ensuring that any visiting speakers whether invited by staff or pupils, are suitable and appropriately supervised.

Visiting Speaker Policy and Guidelines

CAREER RELATED ACTIVITIES

Pupils at Hopewell are given the opportunity to take part in a range of career related activities including Career and Apprenticeship fairs, STEM and LMI workshops College visits and Apprenticeship registration workshops,