

CAREERS PROVIDER ACCESS STATEMENT



Owner Fulwood Academy

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Key information

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Mission

To promote a culture of educational excellence, kindness and respect within our school and wider community. Where pupils and staff care about learning and each other, are committed to being their best and together confidently challenge barriers to learning. This is underpinned by our values; We Care, We Challenge, We Commit.

We Care – Being a responsible citizen in Fulwood and our wider community

- We are approachable, caring and inclusive
- We make the right choices even in difficult circumstances
- We speak politely and use our manners
- We are responsible for our own physical and mental well-being and support others
- We help other pupils, teachers and other adults where we can
- We speak up for causes (anti-bullying, equality, the environment)
- We take part in charity events and volunteering in our community

We Challenge – Working together for excellence

- We challenge ourselves to be the best we can be
- We take opportunities to help each other in our studies
- We take part in school campaigns and events
- We take time to find out about each other and our interests
- We own up to our mistakes and accept any consequences
- We show resilience when we find tasks hard
- We recognise that the actions of individuals and small groups can create great change
- We rise to a challenge

We Commit - Aspiring to be our best

- We are organised, efficient and set high expectations for ourselves and others
- We work hard and take pride in our work
- We have excellent attendance and punctuality
- We have the highest standards and always wear the right uniform
- We work hard in lessons and complete homework
- We participate in extra-curricular activities
- We read every day
- We follow all school rules



Introduction

1. This 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 providers education or training offer. This complies with the school's legal obligations under section 42B of the Education Act 1997.

Pupil entitlement

- 2. To provide pupils from Year 8 to Year 13 with the entitlement to:
 - Find out about technical education qualifications and apprenticeships opportunities, as part of a careers programme which provides information on the full range of education and training options available at each transition point
 - Hear from a range of local providers about the opportunities they offer, including technical education and apprenticeships – through options events, assemblies and group discussions and taster events
 - Understand how to make applications for the full range of academic and technical courses

Who is responsible for this statement?

- 3. The Trust has overall responsibility for the effective operation of this statement and for ensuring compliance with the relevant statutory or trust framework. The Trust has delegated day-to-day responsibility for operating the statement to the school, the Local Governing Body and the Principal of each trust secondary school.
- 4. The Local Governing Body and Senior Leadership Team at each Trust secondary school has a specific responsibility to ensure the fair application of this statement and all members of staff are responsible for supporting colleagues and ensuring its success.

Management of provider access requests

5. A provider wishing to request access should contact:

Name	Mr Keith Dudley Director of CEIAG & Evolve Co-ordinator		
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Opportunities for access

6. A number of events, integrated into the school careers programme, will offer providers an opportunity to come into school to speak to pupils and/or their parents/carers:

Year Group	Autumn	Spring	Summer
Year 8		1.Barclays Life Skills - Understanding jobs in finance and money management	Pathways College Assembly/Workshop. Enables pupils to further understand apprenticeships and colleges and the opportunities that are available to them in further education.
Year 9		1.Options Evening - Subject choice information and guidance in reference to future careers. 2.KPMG Workready workshop - Information, advice, guidance, raising aspiration, skill reflection and development, mentoring, networking and employer encounter opportunities	Pathways College Assembly/Workshop. Enables pupils to further understand apprenticeships and colleges and the opportunities that are available to them in further education.
Year 10	1.Personal Guidance - Experience and understand post 16 opportunities and courses that are available. 2. College Lunch time drop in - Ensuring that pupils are kept well informed on how to apply to college and what courses are available.	1.NHS Future ready workshop - To open up opportunities to pupils who are unaware of job roles in the NHS. To assist those pupils who are interest in a career in the medical profession and to inspire those pupils who had not thought about a career in this profession.	1.College taster day information sessions. 2.Careers Convention - Information, advice, guidance, raising aspiration, skill reflection and development, mentoring, networking and employer



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	Encounter with further and higher education. 3. Amazing Apprenticeships information session.	2.Lancaster University School of Maths – Course information and interactive sessions.	encounter opportunities. 3.College Drop in (Parents Evening) -To interact with pupils and parents to offer guidance.
Year 11	1.Personal Guidance - Experience and understand post 16 opportunities and courses that are available. 2. College Lunch time drop in - Ensuring that pupils are kept well informed on how to apply to college and what courses are available. Encounter with further and higher education. 3. College Drop in (Parents Evening) -To interact with pupils and parents to offer guidance. 4. College Assemblies — Lead by Local Colleges: Cardinal Newman College, Myerscough College, Runshaw College, Preston College	1. Preston College interviews.	1.Careers Convention - Information, advice, guidance, raising aspiration, skill reflection and development, mentoring, networking and employer encounter opportunities.

7. Please speak to our careers leader to identify the most suitable opportunity for you.



Premises and facilities

- 8. The school will make the main hall, classrooms or private meeting rooms available for discussions between the provider and pupils, as appropriate to the activity.
- 9. The school will also make available audio-visual and other specialist equipment to support provider presentations. This will all be discussed and agreed in advance of the visit with the careers leader or a member of their team.
- 10. Providers are welcome to leave a copy of their prospectus or other relevant course literature at the careers resource centre, which is managed by the school librarian. The resource centre is available to all pupils at lunch and break times.