

Derby Cathedral School Careers Programme 2024-2025

Year	Learning Outcome	Activity/Experience	Description	Getty Benchmark(s)
7	I will begin to explore possibilities	Careers education units in PSHE lessons using Linking Careers	Introducing students to the Linking Careers Library as well as learning around managing behaviour, target setting, self-confidence, taking control of your future, developing and progressing aspirations and employability skills	GB1, GB2
		Access to Linking Careers Library	Offering students a range of sources of Labour Market Information for independent access	GB1
		National Careers Week tutor time session	Doing of students the opportunity to reflect on their career ambitions and make a 'pledge' for the future as part of NCW	GB1, GB6
		Career of the Month! Tutor time session	Doing the profile of career conversations across the whole school through a regular tutor time slot introducing and exploring a particular career	GB1, GB2
		University of Derby (University Experience) day (9/10)	Doing of students the opportunity to experience a university campus for the day and learn about how Higher Education could be a possibility for them	GB7
		Apprenticeship: talk	Doing students the opportunity to hear from an apprenticeship provider/employer	GB1, GB7
		Higher Education talk	Raising awareness and aspirations for the university pathway	GB7
		Annual STEM day	Opportunity for students to interact with a range of STEM employers, employees and higher education providers	GB4, GB5, GB7
		Workshop: careers learning	Embedding careers learning into subject lessons, for example the whole school STEM day, Maths National Careers Week activities and Geography 7 am a Geographer! lessons	GB1, GB4
		Continuing to explore LAM through the Linking Careers Library and develop personally profile	Continuing to explore LAM through the Linking Careers Library and develop personally profile	GB1, GB2
8	I will understand how my personality, skills, qualities and interests link to my future career options	Access to Linking Careers Library	Offering students a range of sources of Labour Market Information for independent access	GB1, GB2
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		Continuing to explore LAM through the Linking Careers Library, continue working on personality profile, and on vocational and technical education routes, and on GCSE options and future pathways, explore career paths using the Linking Careers Library	Continuing to explore LAM through the Linking Careers Library, continue working on personality profile, and on vocational and technical education routes, and on GCSE options and future pathways, explore career paths using the Linking Careers Library	GB1, GB2
		Access to Linking Careers Library	Offering students a range of sources of Labour Market Information for independent access	GB1, GB2
		Careers 'Drop In'	Providing a space for career-related queries, information and signposting, including 1-1 appointment booking	GB1, GB5, GB6
9	I will understand the relevance of my school subjects to future career options.	National Careers Week tutor time session	Doing of students the opportunity to reflect on their career ambitions and make a 'pledge' for the future as part of NCW	GB1, GB6
		University of Derby 'Progression Pathways' assembly	Doing of students the opportunity to hear from representatives from higher education on how their subject learning now relates to future choice	GB1, GB4, GB7
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		Apprenticeship: talk	Doing students the opportunity to hear from an apprenticeship provider/employer	GB1, GB7
		Higher Education talk	Raising awareness and aspirations for the university pathway	GB7
		Further Education talk	Talk with a local further education provider to understand the post-16 options available	GB7
		Annual STEM day	Opportunity for students to interact with a range of STEM employers, employees and higher education providers	GB4, GB5, GB7
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		Careers education units in PSHE using Linking Careers	Careers education units including 'Which Career is Best for Me', My Career Journey and reviewing Employer Profiles	GB1, GB2
10	I will develop my 'career readiness' skills and begin to prepare for the world of work.	Careers 'Drop In'	Providing a space for career-related queries, information and signposting, including 1-1 appointment booking	GB1, GB5, GB6
		National Careers Week tutor time session	Doing of students the opportunity to reflect on their career ambitions and make a 'pledge' for the future as part of NCW	GB1, GB6
		Workshop: careers learning	Embedding careers learning into subject lessons, for example the whole school STEM day, Maths National Careers Week activities and Geography 7 am a Geographer! lessons	GB1, GB4
		Year 10 Work Experience Week	Developing students' knowledge of the world of work and their career readiness skills through a hands-on 5-day placement with an employer, with dedicated preliminary tutor time	GB1, GB6
		Enterprise Day with The Apprentice star and entrepreneurial Adam Carlisle	Students develop key career readiness skills through their development of a business idea. The day is designed to broaden horizons, motivate and raise aspirations	GB1, GB6
		1-1 Career guidance interviews	Providing 1-1 impartial careers advice and guidance by a LT qualified Careers Advisor	GB1, GB8
		Mock interview day	Allowing students to practice essential interview skills whilst meeting a range of local employers	GB1
		Further Education talk	Talk with a local further education provider to understand the post-16 options available	GB7
		Higher Education talk	Raising awareness and aspirations for the university pathway	GB7
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11	I will identify how to make informed decisions and apply this to my Post-16 pathway.	University of Derby trip	Raising awareness and aspirations for students eligible to progress to Challenge in the future	GB7
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		1-1 Career guidance interviews	Providing 1-1 impartial careers advice and guidance by a LT qualified Careers Advisor. Includes decisions form completed. Follow up support identified for students in need	GB1, GB8
		Post-16 Pathways Training	An opportunity for all year 11 students to hear from employers and training providers, including further and higher education	GB1, GB7
		Careers Fair	Opportunity for students to engage with employers, apprenticeship providers, further education providers and universities	GB4, GB5, GB7
		Why go to University? Assembly	Doing students an overview of higher education, university life, subject choice and student finance to inform future decision making	GB7
		Access to Linking Careers Library	Offering students a range of sources of Labour Market Information for independent access	GB1, GB2
		Maths Term PSHE programme including units using Linking Careers	Exploring a range of post-16 options including university and apprenticeships, UCAS applications, personal statements, interviews and more	GB1, GB4
12	I will build upon the wider skills needed for my next steps after Sixth Form.	Maths Term Careers 'Drop In'	Providing a space for career-related queries, information and signposting, including 1-1 appointment booking	GB1, GB5, GB6
		Year 12 Work Experience Week	Developing students' knowledge of the world of work and their career readiness skills through a hands-on 5-day placement with an employer, with dedicated preliminary tutor time	GB1, GB6
		Enterprise Programme opportunities, e.g. Volunteering	Doing from students can address some of their professional time to extra-curricular involvement activities, for example volunteering at a school library or in a primary school	GB1, GB4
		Apprenticeship talks	Doing students the opportunity to hear from representatives from apprenticeships including Higher and Degree level	GB1, GB7
		Workshop: widening participation and high achievement focus	Support students to engage with widening participation and outreach initiatives including Finding Opportunities, Ambition, Action Trail and Access Sheffield. Support for high achieving students including Challenge, Medicine, Dentistry, Veterinary Medicine and Conservation opportunities	GB1, GB5, GB8
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13	I will reflect on my experiences and knowledge and understand how these relate to making my Post-18 choices	Maths Term PSHE programme including units using Linking Careers	Exploring a range of post-18 options including university and apprenticeships, UCAS applications, personal statements, interviews and more	GB1, GB4
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