

The Results

EBP South asked students to feedback on the impact of their career guidance interview(s) (Gatsby Benchmark 8).

Young People

307

CAREER GUIDANCE INTERVIEWS GIVEN TO YOUNG PEOPLE

WHAT THE YOUNG PEOPLE SAID

“ My career guidance interview has:

Given me more ideas on what apprenticeships I could get.

I know my options for when I leave school and have more info on what courses I would like to do.

Helped me view my possible career paths.



99% 99% said during their careers interview they felt they were able to ask questions and discuss topics of their choice.

80% 80% said they found the interview extremely useful.

60% 60% said the school referred them for an interview.

10% 10% said they or parents referred them for an interview.

WHAT THE SCHOOLS SAID

“ Being able to access an impartial and independent careers practitioner in schools is important for pupils.

The guidance interviews gives our pupils ‘the time out’ to explore their post 16 and post 18 options.

Having spoken to our pupils after their interviews, pupils say they feel more confident in accessing post 16 providers. In addition they say they have a greater awareness of all the pathways open to them for example apprenticeships.”

Rebecca Denford, Mayfield School.

HOW COULD YOUR CAREERS INTERVIEW HAVE BEEN IMPROVED?

15% 15% said more time for the interview was needed or they would benefit from the opportunity for more interviews.

9% 9% said having more notice for their interview so they could better prepare.

1% 1% said they would like the chance to do more profiling assessments.

No Improvement

75%

OF YOUNG PEOPLE SAID THAT NO IMPROVEMENT IS NEEDED TO THE CAREER INTERVIEWS

Eleanor Cameron

“ Student feedback is valued by the practitioner team. It helps us to work with our clients and improve services for them. Our practitioners have a duty of care to always act in the best interest of our clients. We are not here to ‘tell’ pupils what to do but encourage them to explore, research and look at the wide range of options and pathways open to them.

Evaluating our services is important to EBP South as it feeds into our

- Quality assurance process
- EBP outcomes for young people
- Matrix accreditation.”

Eleanor Cameron, Career and Quality Manager