CEIAG Programme 2024-25

Aim: At Parklands High School we believe that every child should leave school prepared for life in modern Britain. Alongside ensuring academic rigour we ensure your students have opportunities to develop the values, skills and behaviours they need to get on in life. All children should receive a rich provision of classroom and extra-curricular activities that develop a range of character attributes, which underpin success in education and employment. High quality, independent careers guidance is also crucial in helping pupils emerge from school more fully rounded and ready for the world of work. Young people want and need to be well-informed when making subject and career decisions particularly at key points of transition, e.g. when selecting subject specialisms in year 9 and when moving onto further education, training and apprenticeships .

Year	Programme	Information	Calendar
7	Careers program	Aspire project - Careers	Spring 1
	Careers in the curriculum	National careers week - careers learning opportunities in lessons	3 rd - 8 th March 2025
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	STEM Day	Respect Day - looking at STEM careers	Summer 1
	Access to Career News	Link on website and weekly bulletin with opportunities for open days, apprenticeships, etc.	All year
9	Subject specialism choice process - CEIAG in Aspire and in Tutor Time	Introduced in February	Spring 1
	Attend parents' evening - Year 9 specialisms	Y9 specialisms evening	Spring 2
	Students receive 1:1 advice from SLT/HALs	Respect day - specialism choices and Careers Fair	Spring 2
	Careers in the curriculum	National Career Weeks - career learning opportunities in lessons	3 rd - 8 th March 2025
	Access to Career News	Link on website and weekly bulletin with opportunities for open days, apprenticeships, etc.	All year
	Careers Fair	External employers and colleges	Spring 1
	Lunchtime drop in sessions	Visits from colleges, employers and training providers to answer queries, advertise events, etc	All year

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10	Careers and Employability	Aspire unit	Summer
	Careers in the curriculum	National careers week - careers learning opportunities in lessons	3 rd - 8 th March 2025
	Careers Fair	External employers and colleges Penultimate week of term.	Spring 2
	Work Experience	One week self-sourced placements.	Summer 2
	Access to Career News	Link on website and weekly bulletin with opportunities for open days, apprenticeships, etc.	All year
	College assemblies and sampling days	Whole of Year 10 visit 2 colleges	Summer 2
	Lunchtime drop in sessions	Visits from colleges, employers and training providers to answer queries, advertise events, etc	All year
11	Careers interviews	Conducted by P Berry	Autumn 1/2
	Mock Interviews	Respect day - delivered by external employers with college support	Spring 1
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	Careers Fair	External employers and colleges	Spring 2
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	College interviews	Colleges conduct interviews in school (Preston, W&L, Runshaw)	Spring 1
Other opportunities to develop Career Capital through volunteering, taking responsibility and developing a range of transferable employability skills.		Macmillan Coffee morning DofE Y9&10 Prefects and student leadership team Y9-11 STEM Competitions and challenges College masterclasses Range of other student led charity focused events	