Whytrig Middle School

Careers Information for Pupils

Whether you are just beginning your time at Whytrig Middle School or in Key Stage 3 preparing to move on to high school, we believe it is important for you to understand the fast-changing world of work. Our aim is to provide the right support at the right time, offering personalised guidance to help you make informed choices that suit you. You are unique, and taking ownership of your future is an important responsibility.

At Whytrig Middle School, you will take part in a range of activities that introduce you to the world of work. From Year 5 to Year 8, you will experience encounters with different employers and key career sectors. We expect you to engage fully in these opportunities so you can gain a better understanding of life beyond school.

Some pupils may not yet know what they want to do in the future, while others may already have an idea based on their interests or experiences. We encourage you to keep an open mind, challenge assumptions, and question stereotypes in the workplace. At Whytrig, we will support you in exploring a wide range of possible career paths.

To learn more about our careers programme, you can click the link on the school website or in Google Classroom. Please remember that this programme may change over time due to new opportunities or external providers may no longer be available.

In addition, during lessons, our staff will give you careers information. Where relevant, teachers highlight how their subjects link to key industrial sectors that are expected to grow and offer significant career opportunities.

Labour Market Information (LMI)

We want you to become familiar with the wide range of careers available and understand how they continue to evolve. To help you learn more about labour market information, we encourage you to watch the following video: Our Region, Your Future

MYPATH

If you would like to explore different career roles and learn more about their related labour market information, you can use MYPATH to access a range of informative videos, listen to careers based podcasts or understand how your in school learning links to your future career. Each week we will share the 'Job of the Week' in form time and in Google Classroom. This is shared with all year groups because we believe it is important for every pupil to learn about a variety of job roles from an early age.

Whether you're curious about careers in healthcare, public services, creative industries, technology, or any other field, you can find key information by clicking this link: MYPATH

Career Guidance and Advice

- www.how2Become.com
- www.inspiringthefuture.org
- www.nationalcareersservice.direct.gov.uk
- www.prospects.ac.uk
- www.myworldofwork.co.uk

Learn about University

- www.ucas.com
- www.prospects.ac.uk/applying-for-university/getting-into-university/how-to-apply-for-university

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Learn about Apprenticeships

- www.apprenticeships.gov.uk/
- www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship
- www.apprenticeshipguide.co.uk