

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> September 2023**

Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of the Government's careers strategy for schools and colleges, Stockport Council is committed to ensuring every young person receives high-quality career guidance to make informed decisions about their future.

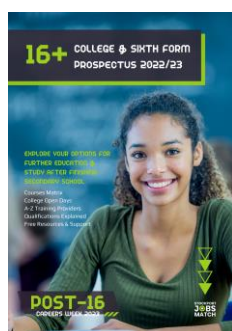
This year we are providing schools and colleges with a range of live events and resources for **Post-16 Careers Week 2023**. This will take place Monday 9<sup>th</sup> – Friday 13<sup>th</sup> October and will feature sixth forms, colleges, training providers, universities and support services to help students, parents and carers understand the choices available at 16+ and 18+.

Please see the full details of the events and resources available below for students to access directly, as well as parents and carers, teachers and careers advisors. We strongly encourage you to take advantage of these and to speak to your school or college to find out how they will be accessing the events and resources as part of their own curriculum and careers provision.



## **16+ Careers Week | Monday 9<sup>th</sup> – Friday 13<sup>th</sup> October 2023**

<https://stockport-jobsmatch.co.uk/post-16-careers-week-2023>



## **16+ College & Sixth Form Prospectus 2023/24**

Download our complete guide to qualifications and training routes from 16+, covering levels, courses, and subjects, where to study them and what they could lead on to. Our 16+ Digital College & Sixth Form Prospectus for this academic year brings you everything you need to know in one place.

It can be downloaded and viewed online using the link above and will be regularly updated with new information throughout the year.

## Open Evening Q&A Webinars

Book your free tickets to both events via Eventbrite.



### **What's next after GCSEs? An introduction to 16+ Choices** **Tuesday 10th October 7.00pm-8.30pm**

An introduction to A-Levels, T-Levels, BTECs, NQs & Apprenticeships, including presentations from Aquinas Sixth Form, Stockport College, Loreto College, Xaverian College, The Manchester College, Hazel Grove High School and more.



### **What's next after college? An introduction to 18+ Choices** **Thursday 12th October 7.00pm-8.30pm**

An introduction to HE study from Degrees to Degree Apprenticeships with presentations from local Universities and HE providers including University of Manchester, Manchester Metropolitan University, Liverpool Hope, Liverpool John Moores, University of Salford, The Prince's Trust, Stockport HE College and more.

## Free Student Resources



### **Videos, Worksheets & Activities**

Access our range of free student resources to help you spark ideas and start conversations at home. From career pathway planning tools to practice college application forms, bitesize guide to A-Levels to sample budget worksheets and CV templates.



Regular updates will be posted on our dedicated Instagram account **@post16careers**

If you have any further questions about the events or resources for 16+ Careers Week, please contact us on 0161 808 0400 or email [info@stockport-jobsmatch.co.uk](mailto:info@stockport-jobsmatch.co.uk)

Kind regards,

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