

BROADSTONE MIDDLE SCHOOL - CAREERS EDUCATION YEAR 5 - 8

Introduction

This policy statement sets out our school's arrangements for managing the access of providers to pupils at the school for the purpose of giving them information about the provider's education or training offer. This complies with the school's legal obligations under Section 42B of the Education Act 1997.

At Broadstone Middle School we believe that all students should be provided with a planned, impartial programme of career education and guidance that provides them with the skills and knowledge to make appropriate decisions for their future career routes.

We aim to help young people develop the knowledge and skills they need to make successful life choices, manage transitions in learning and move on into work. We wish to provide the guidance to enable young people to use the knowledge and skills they develop to make responsible and informed choices about learning and work that are right for them. Parents will also be informed about careers through our weekly Snapshot.

Pupil Entitlement

Year 5	Year 6	Year 7	Year 8
Autumn 1	Autumn 1	Autumn 1	Autumn 1
		Arts University visit	STEM Maritime Activity Day,
		Dorset Coding Day - Barclays	Poole Harbour Commissioner
Autumn 2	Autumn 2	Autumn 2	Autumn 2
Career Champions selections	Career Champions selections	Career Champions selections	Career Champions selections
and introductions to role	and introductions to role	and introductions to role	and introductions to role
	STEM Activity Event – AECC	Work stereotypes, behaviour	
		and reasons	
Spring 1	Spring 1	Spring 1	Spring 1
Careers Week activity	Careers Week activity	Careers Week activity	Careers Week activity
planning and implementation	planning and implementation	planning and implementation	planning and implementation
Careers assembly organized	Careers assembly organized		
by BCP	by BCP		
Spring 2	Spring 2	Spring 2	Spring 2
Careers Fair planning and	Careers Fair planning and	Careers Fair planning and	Careers Fair planning and
employer engagement	employer engagement	employer engagement	employer engagement
			STEM Activity Event – AECC
			University College
Summer 1	Summer 1	Summer 1	Summer 1
Careers Fair planning and		Careers Fair planning and	Careers Fair planning and
employer engagement	employer engagement	employer engagement	employer engagement
		New careers.	
Summer 2	Summer 2	Summer 2	Summer 2
Running the Careers Fair	Running the Careers Fair	Running the Careers Fair	Running the Careers Fair
		Business Apprentice Project	University Taster Day
			Business Apprentice Project

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Curriculum learning links to Careers

In PSHE we are providing careers content, where we have set clear career learning outcomes, e.g. skills such as teamwork, communication and negotiation will help with future jobs, there are a range of careers that people can have, career paths can change based on circumstances and opportunities, there are different routes into employment – apprenticeships, sixth form qualifications, studying for a degree.

Premises and facilities

The school will make the main hall, classrooms or private meeting rooms available for discussions between the provider and students, as appropriate to the activity. The school will also make available AV and other specialist equipment to support provider presentations. This will all be discussed and agreed in advance of the visit with the Careers Leader or a member of Senior Leadership team.

Management of provider access requests Procedure

A provider wishing to request access should contact *Susanne Penwarden, Careers Lead,* Telephone: 01202 696121; Email: <u>s.penwarden.st@bmsweb.co.uk</u>

We review our careers education regularly to ensure we provide a relevant, robust and enriching programme. At BMS we recognise that many future careers our pupils will experience do not yet exist and we must equip them with the skills to be exceptional individuals.