

CAREERS

Curriculum Map: Year 9

We ensure students receive information from organizations, speakers, workshops, and visits in line with the government's Provider Access Legislation. Students are entitled to two mandatory career encounters in Key Phases 1 (Years 8-9) and 2 (Years 10-11), and two optional encounters in Key Phase 3 (Years 12-13). This legislation supports awareness of apprenticeships and technical education options like T-Levels and Higher Technical Qualifications.

UNIFROG

The platform provides career exploration tools for all year groups, with individual student accounts. It offers resources on workload management, CV writing, and career-related content, including quizzes, tests, and games. Students update profiles with activities like work experience and volunteering, reflecting each term on their learning's relevance to the workplace.

AUTUMN TERM



INSPIRE

In year 8 and 9 students take part in a 10-week Inspire programme facilitated by the Crystal Palace Football Foundation. This program focuses on building resilience and confidence as well as acquiring information about careers in the sports industry. On completion students have the opportunity to visit Selhurst Park stadium.

STEM workshops

NEW CHOICES EVENING

Students and their families can meet with various Further Education (FE) and specialist colleges, as well as multiple support professionals and agencies, to speak about FE, career choices and transitional routes available once they leave school.



SPRING TERM

Update Careers Action Plan with emphasis on Preparing for Adulthood outcomes

Careers Cross Curricular Day



LIFE SKILLS DAY

A whole day event where students take part in workshops with various emergency services (Fire Brigade, EMTs, Drug Awareness, Youth Services, Police etc.), looking at the different careers available within them



SUMMER TERM

Support with considering Option subject choices; looking at the importance of how subjects they choose relate to their future career destinations.

As well as compulsory core subjects, Options include more specialised choices such as Travel & Tourism or Astronomy.



Careers Review with Careers team, SENCO and family

Summer Fete

Trips to different working environments including cafés, cinema, churches/places of worship, theatre etc.

Students can make better subject and career choices when they understand the links between school learning and different occupational routes. Seeing real-world applications helps them take ownership of their education.

The Careers Team are always available to offer information and advice