Year 12 Careers Programme - 2023-2024



Activity	Title	Description	Gatsby	Month / Term
Google form questionnaire	Work experience and Careers questionnaire	All year 12 students asked to complete google questionniare on their career goals and to inform who they have contacted for work placement	3	Autumn/ Winter Term
Google form	Record of attendance at work placement	All year 12 students asked to complete google form every time they attend their work placement, recording the hours attended and what they learnt.	3	Throughout academic year
Talks / Demonstrations	External Speakers	Year 12 students will hear from a minimum of 10 speakers from a variety of Medical and Healthcare professions about their job roles, pay, qualifications required and workforce demand etc. In addition to this alumni are invited back to speak to year 12 students on their journey so far.	2, 4, 5, 6, 7	Throughout academic year
Assembly Talks	Assembly	Every week there is a 20 minute assembly the topic will vary every week to include sexual health, friendships, careers, revision, mindfulness and guest speakers when appropriate.	2, 4, 5, 6, 7	Throughout academic year
Tutor programme	Tutorial	There is a tutor programme that all Year 12 students follow covering; personal trackers, unifrog, medicine in the news, UCAS preparation and individual careers support and guidance. Personal, Social, Health and Economic curriculum is embedded within the tutor programme throughout the year.	2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	Academic Year
Tutor programme	Workshops / Talks	In addition to the set tutorial programme, Next Steps South West will provide 4 talks/workshops to Year 12 students on UCAS Applications, Personal Statements, Student Life and Student Finance and Budgeting. And also provide UCAS personal statment workshops for Yr 13s during Autumn term	2, 3, 7, 8	November
Training workshop	Ongoing use of Unifrog	Unifrog is an online platform to enable students to access all information relating to higher education both UK and abroad, apprenticeships, careers and all resources relating to careers and also MOOCs (massive open online course). They have access to live information and can download and keep unlimited information in the cloud storage, useful when sending information to prospective employers or FE / HEIs.	2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7	All year
Workshops, talks and support	Peninsula Pathways Programme	Year 12 A Level students only - invited to join Peninusla Pathways programme run by University of Plymouth's Faculty of Medicine and Dentistry to provide support and guidance for students interested in applying to Medicine and Dentistry, includes revision sessions on UKCAT exam, study skills, reflective writing and ethics, mock interviews and taster day opportunities.	1	Academic Year
UCAS workshop	UCAS Personal Statement workshop	All Year 12 students will have workshops provided by NSSW on writing their personal statements in readiness for UCAS applications.	3, 7	July
HE Visits	UCAS exhibition	All year 12 students are taken to attend the UCAS exhibition at <i>Westpoint, Exeter</i> where they have contact with all HE providers and can attend seminars on particular topics	2, 3, 7,8	March
UKCAT training	UKCAT training	Peer led training by year 13 students for year 12 students interested in Medicine and Dentistry.	3, 7	Academic year
Training	UKCAT training	Course offered via Medic Portal - for students applying for medicine and dentistry only	3, 7	Summer term
HE Visits	HE visits	All Year 12 students are encouraged to visit a number of universities prior to applying to UCAS. NSSW target students are eligible for £40 voucher to contribute towards cost of attending open days/events at HE.	2, 3, 7	Academic year
Training	Restart a Heart	All year 12 students are trained by our trainer in CPR	4,	November
Training / Demonstration	Occupational Therapy	All year 12 students are given demonstration of specialist hoist and lifting equipment and techniques by trained OTs	3, 4, 5	Academic year
Work Placement	Work Placement	All year 12 students are required to undertake one day a week of meaningful work placement as part of their course at Scott College. This is done through the Work Placement Coordinator using the CSW group database for Health and Safety checks.	2, 3, 5, 6	Academic Year

Masterclass	Operating Theatre Live	All year 12 students take part in this simulated operating theatre having hands on experience of surgery	4,	?
Career Interview	1:1 Careers Interview	All Year 12 students have access to impartial careers advice and guidance with qualified member of staff to discuss their career pathways	3, 8	Academic Year
Health Showcase	Health Showcase	All year 12 students attended the University of Plymouth's Health Showcase where they could talk to lecturers and Health professionals on their subject specialism	2, 3, 4, 7	Autumn/ Winter Term
Cross curricula lessons	All lessons	All subject teachers will, as appropriate, relate their teaching to specific careers, especially those relating to medicine and healthcare	4	ongoing
Masterclasses	Masterclasses	There is a structured programme of masterclasses delivered by a variety industry professionals, such as Occupatonal Therapists	2, 3, 4, 5	Ongoing
Talks	Apprenticeship Talk	Delivered by external company (ASK) who have the contract to work with schools	2, 3, 5,	Spring term
Workshop	MMI workshop	Workshops are offered via the UoP Peninsula Pathways Programme for those students interested in applying for Medicine or Dentistry to give students a taste of the medical Mini Mock Interviews. Extensive constructive and personal feedback is given at the end.	3, 7, 8	Academic Year
Ineractive sessions	Practical Skills Day	A number of external visitors contribute to the day where students will have the opportunity of experiencing interactive workshops within medicine and healthcare e.g. infection prevention and control, manual handling, paramedics, midwives, optometry	2,5,7	July