

## Year 9 Careers Programme - 2022-2023



Activity	Title	Description	Gatsby Benchmark	Month / Term
Questionnaire	Careers questionnaire - Class of 2023	All year 9 students asked to complete google questionnaire on their career goals and to work through suggested career quizzes.	3,	Autumn Term
Careers exercise	Map my career - Buzz Quiz	All Year 9 students to complete the icould Buzz Quiz to determine their personality type, areas of work they are suited to and then explore an area of work that interests them in more detail, can do this on Unifrog. (from Spring term)	2, 3,	Autumn Term
Competition	Step into the NHS	National competition for Year 9 students to work in groups of 4 to explore an NHS job role, capturing the key responsibilities, creating their JD and Person Spec and presenting to their peers.	2, 4, 5	January - April
Talks / Demonstrations	External Speakers (virtual)	Year 9 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.	2, 5, 7	Academic Year
HE Visit	Science and Engineering Showcase	The University of Plymouth are hosting Science and Engineering workshop for all year groups to explore the world of science and technology and highlighting their new £50 million engineering and design facility on campus.	2, 4, 5,7	January
Medical, Ethics and Careers Programme	The Futures Curriculum	In Year 9 and 10 students will have a twenty minute tutor session four times a week dedicated to investigating the healthcare industry, look at advancements in technology, focus on medical ethics and look in detail at some of the hundreds of possible careers in healthcare. Also includes guest speakers on curriculum collapse days and visits such as Eden Project, We the Curious, Operating Theatre Live, Welcome Centre London, etc.	1,2, 3, 4, 5, 7	Academic Year
HE Visit	HE Visit	Students will visit a University at least once in Year 9 (part of Futures Curriculum)	3, 7	TBC
Educational Visit	We the curious	"We the Curious" is an interactive, state-of-the-art museum, offering an amazing world of hands-on discovery. This includes feeling what it is like to be inside a womb, being able to see how the organs of the body fit inside the thorax and many other educational experiences.	3	March
Educational Visit	Eden Project	All year 9 students to visit the Eden Project to look at medicinal properties in plants.	3, 4	TBC
Workshops	Widening Horizons (subject to covid restrictions)	Students will lead primary age students and introduce them to healthcare careers through the widening horizons project.	2, 5	June / July
Training workshop	Launching 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 / HE providers.	2, 3, 5, 6, 7	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