

## **KEY Stage 3**

### **Years 7, 8 and 9. Entitlement to Careers Education, Information and Guidance**

#### **2024-25**

Key Stage 3 Careers Entitlement Years 7,8 and 9 Career learning and development at Key stage 3 aims to equip students with the necessary information and skills to manage their own career portfolio and support progression to GCSE/BTEC study from Year 9 and on to the next stage of their learning after Year 11. Independent, impartial and up to date careers advice and guidance is available to all students to support their choices.

#### Careers Education- Skills and Knowledge development

In Years 7, 8 and 9, students are taught Careers Education, Entrepreneurship and Financial studies as part of the SPHE programme which is taught fortnightly by form tutors and through subject areas such as Mathematics.

The careers focus for this programme at key stage 3 is.

- Investigating work and working life-why people work, types of job, future of work and pathways to work, links to curriculum subjects.
- How organisations work-types of businesses.
- Skills needed at work- personal skills and interest and matching to work.

#### **2024-5 programme- further careers inputs**

##### Year 7- – Further Careers Inputs- Events and Guidance

- Understanding the learning journey throughout school.
- Familiarise pupils with the Careers area- Careers Adviser visits all Year 7 group.

##### Year 8 – Further careers Inputs- Events and Guidance

Some students may have an early Careers meeting with the Careers Adviser.

Year Assembly on Technical Qualifications such as T Levels, BTECs, NVQs, Apprenticeships and application procedures.

##### Year 9 – Further Careers Inputs- Events and Guidance

- Year Assembly on Technical Qualifications such as T Levels, BTECs, NVQs, Apprenticeships and application procedures.
- Morrisby Careers session – Students create a Morrisby Careers Interest guide account in an IT Lesson. Students investigate career interest, find out more about jobs that they are interested in. This is then linked to subject option choice for Key stage 4.
- Careers Discussion – Some students may have an early career interview.