

CAREERS AND ENTERPRISE PROGRAMME

Eden Girls' School Coventry



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Key information

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YEAR 7 CAREERS AND ENTERPRISE PROGRAMME

ACTIVITY	TITLE	DESCRIPTION	GATSBY BENCHMARK	TIMESCALE
PSHE sessions	Personal skills and budgeting.	Focus on the identifying and development of own skills and reflections. Pupils will also look at making financial decisions and budgeting.	Gatsby 3 and 4	September
Pupil visit	Raising awareness day	Pupils visit to a University to learn about degree level study and life at University.	Gatsby 7	February
Week Focus	British Science week	Pupils will be taking part in a variety of activities which highlight the importance of science, challenging stereotypes and raising aspirations.	Gatsby 4	March
Week Focus/Visitor	National Engineers Week	Pupils will be set a challenge by a local engineering company to engage with and explore the idea of a career in engineering.	Gatsby 4 and 5	Feb
Pupil Visit	The Big Bang Fair	Pupils attend STEM fair for hands on experience of science and engineering.	Gatsby 4	June
Experience Day	Planetarium Visit	Pupils to get the opportunity to see learning in the classroom linked to the wider world and see the careers opportunities it can lead to.	Gatsby 4	July
Form Time Activities	Planning for the future. What do I do next? Employability Skills	Pupils are given opportunities and activities to develop skills to support them in further education and the work place. Including, building confidence, communication, leadership skills and goal setting. Sessions also include information on career paths, the workplace, challenging stereotypes and the labour market.	Gatsby 2,3, and 7	Year long





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Assembly	Insights into the work place	Pupils will have the opportunity to hear from and ask questions of individuals and employers about their career paths and experiences of the work place.	Gatsby 2, 3, 5 and 7	Year long
Classroom Learning	Careers in the curriculum	Pupils will be given the opportunity in all curriculum areas to link the learning in the classroom to the real world of work. This will include external people speaking about their career, focused learning of a skill, a trip to a work place and project work.	Gatsby 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7	Year long



YEAR 8 CAREERS AND ENTERPRISE PROGRAMME

ACTIVITY	TITLE	DESCRIPTION	GATSBY BENCHMARK	TIMESCALE
PSHE sessions	Planning for the future- Careers	Looking at opportunities and options for future careers and the development of employability skills. Pupils will also look at the different types of business and how to start a business.	Gatsby 3 and 4	October
Pupils Visit	Tyseley Energy Point	Pupils to learn about the science topic energy by visiting Tyseley Energy Park and seeing how the learning in the classroom relates to the real world.	Gatsby 4 and 5	January
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YEAR 9 CAREERS AND ENTERPRISE PROGRAMME

ACTIVITY	TITLE	DESCRIPTION	GATSBY BENCHMARK	TIMESCALE
PSHE	Post 16 and further education	Pupils will learn about the post 16 opportunities open to them and what these can lead to post 18, including university, degree apprenticeships and employment.	Gatsby 4	November
Pupil visit	Raising awareness day	Pupils visit a University to learn about degree level study and life at University.	Gatsby 7	December
Pupils Visit	Tyseley Energy Point	Pupils to learn about the science topic energy by visiting Tyseley Energy Park and seeing how the learning in the classroom relates to the real world.	Gatsby 4 and 5	January
Visitor	Small Piece Trust	Pupils to be visited by the charity and engage in activities relating to science and engineering which look to challenge stereotypes and inspire young people.	Gatsby 4 and 5	February
Employer Engagement	Careers Carousel	Pupils will get the opportunity to find out from professionals directly, about careers they may not have heard of or even knew existed.	Gatsby 2,5, 7	April
Drop Down Day	Enterprise event	Pupils challenged to develop enterprise skills in groups to produce a final product in lie with the brief of the day.	Gatsby 4 and 5	July
Pupil presentation	KS 4 Options	Talk to pupils regarding the range of pathways and courses available at KS4.	Gatsby 2 and 3	March
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ACTIVITY	TITLE	DESCRIPTION	GATSBY BENCHMARK	TIMESCALE
Pupil Visit	Gifted and Talented – Oxford University	Selected students will be able to visit Oxford University and see what it would be like to study there.	Gatsby 7	October
Presentation	What is an apprenticeship?	All students receive information regarding the Apprenticeship pathway for post-16 or post-18 study.	Gatsby 2 and 7	February
Pupil visit	Careers fair including Apprenticeship pathways	Opportunity for pupils to speak to a wide variety of employers about career opportunities. Pupils speak to a range of providers about apprenticeships that are available in the local area.	Gatsby 5 and 7	March
Pupil interviews	Careers interview	One-to-one interview with the Careers Advisor and a personalised action plan.	Gatsby 8	January - April
Work Experience	Work Experience	Pupils will be given support in finding and attending in person work experience, learning value skills and information about the work place.	Gatsby 6	July
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ACTIVITY	TITLE	DESCRIPTION	GATSBY BENCHMARK	TIMESCALE
Presentation	Prospects provide presentation on the post 16 options	Application timeline and process for post 16 education and apprenticeships shared.	Gatsby 3	October
Interviews	Mock Interviews	Pupils have experience of applying and interviewing for a job of choice.	Gatsby 5	December
Week Focus	National Apprenticeship Week	Pupils to take park in activities, workshops and to hear from apprenticeship providers to hear about the benefits of the pathway.	Gatsby 2 and 7	February
Parents' evening	Y11 parents' evening	Opportunity for parents to learn about and ask questions to local post-16 providers, including sixth forms, colleges and apprenticeship providers.	Gatsby 2	November February
Pre-Destination Register	Tracking of proposed destinations	A database of destinations for pupils is compiled and those who are at risk of being NEET receive intensive support to find a placement.	Gatsby 1	April
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Initial Destinations	Year 11 Destinations Update	Pupils are tracked by the school regarding their college, apprenticeship or work destination.	Gatsby 1	August – October (Following academic year)