

Abbey Grange C of E Academy

# Careers Policy & Guidance

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## **Careers Education, Information, Advice and Guidance**

### **Mission Statement**

At Abbey Grange Academy, our aim is to ensure that all students are given the information, advice and guidance they require in order for them to make well informed and realistic decisions about their future. We seek to 'educate, nurture and empower' our students so they are ready to make the next step in their lives as ambitious, motivated and dedicated learners who will continue to flourish in education or employment.

### **Vision**

We believe in developing the student in and out of the classroom so they can make educated and measured choices about their future. Our students recognise that education and fostering a positive attitude prepares them for the world of work and we ensure they are confident in making the correct decisions and understand what they need to do to achieve their goal. Students have an abundance of opportunities to develop their understanding and refine their career and future aspirations. This can be through independent one to one meeting with our Careers Adviser, through PSHCE days, Assemblies, taster days at local colleges and universities and subject based career sessions.

### **Entitlement**

In response to the updated requirements and expectations of school published by the DfE in January 2018, below is a link to our Provider Access Statement providing information on all the events and further opportunities available for education and training providers to access all pupils in year 8 to year 13 to provide them with information around qualifications (including technical education), employment or apprenticeships.

Please see the Policy Statement on Access to Providers 2023-24

### **Impact**

At Abbey Grange Academy, we are currently working towards QiC Careers Award. We believe our careers provision is outstanding and achieving this award and the ongoing monitoring of the provision will allow this to be recognised.

Internally, our careers provision is measured and reviewed by staff, pupils and parents annually to ensure we continue to provide the best careers education. We work closely with employers and governors to ensure our offer is robust and provides a service fit for 2023-24.