As soon as our students join HFCS in Year 7, we encourage them to start thinking about their future careers and the steps needed to follow the correct route. Whilst some students already have a definite career dream, others need time to explore the options that are ahead of them.

Careers and Work related extra- curricular enrichment

A wide range of careers and work related learning activities are planned to be embedded into the school life. We aim to allow for as many opportunities as possible for learners to have contact with employees through guest speakers in lessons and assemblies or special work shop activities delivered by external partners and business organisations.

All guest speakers to school are encouraged to share their own career path history with learners to give an insight as to how they came to be in their current career along with any encouraging career planning advice.

Frequent visits to external organisations are organised to incorporate a careers dimension in subjects where possible.

	Activity	Delivery and dates	Learning Outcomes	Gatsby Benchmarks
	• Future Goals assembly	Spring/Summer term	To provide the very best careers guidance to enable students to achieve their career aspirations and improve social mobility	1,2,3,5
Year 7	• Access to Start profile (careers online)	• Autumn term and ongoing	To encourage all students to recognise and value their own skills and abilities and to appreciate their relationships with, and responsibilities towards, other people, the community and environment.	1,2,3,4,8
	• Careers in the curriculum	 Ongoing FLs / NCW week 	To develop the skills, including communication, which will help them to make informed and realistic choices for their future by linking curriculum learning to careers	4, 3
	 Bradford Manufacturing 	• wc 6 th Oct	• To enable students and parents to be aware of the alternatives and opportunities open to them at different stages of their life and to raise aspirations	6
	weeksNational careers week	• wc 7 th March	• To encourage understanding and experience of the world of work through work place visits and enterprise activities	2,3,4,5

	• Encounters with employers	ongoing when covid restrictions allow		5
Year 8	• Future Goals assembly	Spring/summer term	To provide the very best careers guidance to enable students to achieve their career aspirations and improve social mobility	1,2,3 5
	• Access to Start profile (careers online)	• Autumn term and ongoing	To encourage all students to recognise and value their own skills and abilities and to appreciate their relationships with, and responsibilities towards, other people, the community and environment.	1,2,3,4,8
	• Careers in the curriculum	 Ongoing – FLs, NCW week 	• To develop the skills, including communication, which will help them to make informed and realistic choices for their future by linking curriculum learning to careers	4, 3
	 Bradford manufacturing weeks 	• wc 6 th Oct	• To enable students and parents to be aware of the alternatives and opportunities open to them at different stages of their life and to raise aspirations	6
	 National careers week 	• wc 7 th March	• To encourage understanding and experience of the world of work through work place visits and enterprise activities (when Covid 19 safe)	2,3,4,5
	• Encounters with employers	ongoing as Covid restrictions allow		5

Year 9	• Future Goals assembly	• Spring/ summer term	To provide the very best careers guidance to enable students to achieve their career aspirations and improve social mobility	1,2,3,5
1 Cal 9	• Access to Start profile (careers online)	• Spring term and ongoing	• To encourage all students to recognise and value their own skills and abilities and to appreciate their relationships with, and responsibilities towards, other people, the community and environment.	1,2,3,4,8
	• Careers in the curriculum	Ongoing- FLs, NCW week	• To develop the skills, including communication, which will help them to make informed and realistic choices for their future by linking curriculum learning to careers	4,3
	 Bradford Manufacturing weeks 	• Wc 6 th Oct	• To enable students and parents to be aware of the alternatives and opportunities open to them at different stages of their life and to raise	6
	• National careers week	• wc 7th March	 aspirations To encourage understanding and experience of the world of work through work place visits and enterprise activities 	
	 National apprenticeship week 	• wc 7 th Feb		2,3,4,5
	• DWP options info	9 th March		5.0
	• Encounters with employers	Ongoing as Covis restrictions allow		5,8 5
Year 10	Access to Start profile(careers online)	• Spring term and ongoing	To provide the very best careers guidance to enable students to achieve their career aspirations and improve social mobility	1,2,3,4,8
	• Work experience	• July 2022	• To encourage all students to recognise and value their own skills and abilities and to appreciate their relationships with, and responsibilities towards, other people, the community and environment.	6
	• Future Goals assembly	• Spring/summer term		1,2,3,5

	• Careers in the curriculum	• Ongoing – FLs, NCW week	• To develop the skills, including communication, which will help them to make informed and realistic choices for their future by linking curriculum learning to careers	4,3
	• Keighley College Bradford College (plus others where available)	• Virtual talks ongoing	• To enable students and parents to be aware of the alternatives and opportunities open to them at different stages of their life and to raise aspirations	2,3,5,6,7,
	 Bradford Manufacturing weeks 	• Wc 6 th Oct	• To encourage understanding and experience of the world of work through work place visits and enterprise activities	6
	 National careers week 	Wc 7 th March		2,3,4,5
	 National apprenticeship week 	Wc 7 th Feb		2,3,5
	• Encounters with Employers	Ongoing as Covid restrictions allow		5
Year 11	• Access to Start profile (careers online)	• Spring term and ongoing	To provide the very best careers guidance to enable students to achieve their career aspirations and improve social mobility	1,2,3,4,8
	• Future Goals assembly	• Spring term	• To encourage all students to recognise and value their own skills and abilities and to appreciate their relationships with, and responsibilities towards, other people the community and environment	1,2,3,5
	• Personal career guidance	• Nov 2021 and ongoing	people, the community and environment.To develop the skills, including communication, which will help them to make	1,4, 8
	• Careers in the		informed and realistic choices for their future by linking curriculum learning to careers	4,3
	curriculum	 Ongoing FLs / NCW Week 		

Keighley College/ Bradford College (plus others where available)	Virtual or live talks	• To enable students and parents to be aware of the alternatives and opportunities open to them at different stages of their life and to raise aspirations	2,3,5,6,7
National careers week	ongoing Wc 7 th March	• To encourage understanding and experience of the world of work through work place visits and enterprise activities	2,3,4,5
• National apprenticeship week	Wc 7 th Feb		2,3,5
• Encounters with Employers	Ongoing as Covid restrictions allow		5