

# Activity of Careers



An award winning impartial service available to all throughout your journey at Hopwood Hall College. Working with colleagues and external providers to provide you with a range of opportunities to enhance and inform your career plans.

Accredited by the Matrix quality standard and delivering activities mapped against the 8 Gatsby Benchmarks our careers programme is designed to support your next steps and bring out the best in you!

## Careers Advice and Guidance

	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug
Careers advice available during open days and enrolment for applicants	✓					✓		✓		✓		✓
1-1 impartial careers information, advice and guidance bookable appointmentsx	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Designated Careers Zones on both campuses	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
National Careers Service (19+) 1-1 advice and guidance sessions	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Careers resources available in the Careers Zones and on college VLE	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Progression tutorials covering personal development, careers and work experience	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		
Key messages to parents at key times via our Parent Portal app	✓	✓		✓		✓		✓		✓		
1:1 Progression tutorials and appointments							✓	✓	✓			

## Progressing on to higher education

	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	June	July	Aug
Higher Education tutorials	✓	✓	✓						✓	✓		
Higher Education speakers and talks in college	✓	✓	✓				✓		✓	✓		
Higher Education visits - open days, taster sessions etc		✓	✓				✓			✓		
Comprehensive range of higher education resources on college VLE	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Support for current HE students regarding progression routes	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
Personal statement advice and UCAS application support inc clearing	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓					✓	✓	✓
Student finance advice and application support						✓	✓	✓	✓			

## Delivering Employer Encounters

	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	March	Apr	May	June	July	Aug
Work Experience opportunities												
Industry placements												
Guest speakers and talks in college												
Trips and visits to employers												
Employability skills embedded within curriculum												
Prepare for work - employability appointments and sessions												
Employer projects set within curriculum												

## Events to support your career journey

	Sept	Oct	Nov	Dec	Jan	Feb	March	Apr	May	June	July	Aug
Apprenticeships week												
National Careers week												
Talk Dont Walk campaign												
Progression - thinking about your next steps												
Higher education fair												
Fire up your futures												
Local and regional competitions including World Skills												

