

World of work vocational pathway

September 2021

Year group	What we will offer	What this will look like
6	Industry tours. Employer visits in school. Community Walks.	Class visits to various local businesses and employer visits in school developing pupil knowledge of the world of work around them. Preparing pupils to begin to make informed choices when profiling begins.
7	Vocational profiling begins. Industry visits. Employer visits in school.	Pupils are encouraged to identify personal traits, strengths and skills, develop confidence and have high expectations of themselves.
8	Work experience in school (6 weeks)	Planned learning outcomes from experiences of the world of work. Interview preparation and individual skill development for the role.
	Skill development	Pupils build on personal strengths and begin to link skills to specific careers enabling realistic and informed decisions at transition stages.
	Vocational profile reviewed.	Pupils are encouraged to reflect on own experiences and have the opportunity to express personal interests, make informed choices and be involved in the planning of future opportunities.
9	External work experience (12 weeks)	Pupils are offered opportunities to be inspired through real-life contact with the world of work supported by a school job coach.
	Food hygiene certificate Health and safety certificate	Virtual college level 1 certificated course can be accessed for pupils expressing

		interest in the relevant areas of work.
	Vocational profile reviewed	Pupils are encouraged to reflect on own experiences and personal interests through taking an active role in the planning of future opportunities.
	Industry visits	Pupils continue to have a wide range of opportunities to engage with local businesses.
10	External work experience (12 weeks)	Individual placements identified from pupil profile. Pupils supported on placement by school job coach.
	Enterprise	Pupils supported to plan and run an enterprise business within school minimum of twice a year.
	Vocational profile reviewed	Economic awareness is developed further and students are encouraged to think about employability, which careers appeal to them and to identify and set themselves realistic future goals
	Industry tours Employer visits in school	To further prepare pupils to make informed choices, gain confidence when interacting with different people in various settings and to be actively involved in the community.
11	College visits.	Pupils are encouraged to think about what they might like to achieve after school.
		Pupils explore post 16 pathways and attend open days.
	External work experience	Pupils continue to develop interview techniques and experience the world of work.

	Vocational profile reviewed	Pupils are encouraged to reassess personal strengths with a focus on transferable
12	External work experience (12 weeks)	skills. Pupils continue to experience a wide variety of workplaces, gaining confidence, engaging with employers and making informed choices regarding their future within the world of work.
	Renew food hygiene/ health and safety certificate	Where appropriate.
	Vocational Profile reviewed	Economic awareness is developed further and pupils are encouraged to think about employability, which careers appeal to them and to identify and set themselves realistic future goals
	Industry visits	To further prepare pupils to make informed choices, gain confidence when interacting with different people in various settings and to be actively involved in the community.
	College visits	Pupils to attend open days of local colleges supported by school staff.
13	External work experience (12 weeks)	Identified from vocational profile. Pupils to contribute to placement review to help develop an understanding of learning outcomes from the placement.
	Renew food hygiene/ health and safety certificate	Where appropriate.
	Industry visits	To further prepare pupils to make informed choices, gain confidence when interacting with a range of people in various settings and to be actively involved in the community.

	Vocational Profile reviewed	Pupils are encouraged to investigate different careers and what they mean in terms of lifestyle, budgeting and a good work/life balance and develop economic awareness.
14	External work experience (12 weeks)	To be led from vocational profile and reviewed every 6 weeks. Pupils to contribute to placement review to help develop an understanding of learning outcomes from the placement.
	Vocational Profile reviewed	Pupils are supported with post 19 choices and encouraged to consider all their options including further study and apprenticeships.
	Profile summary	Review placement experiences and skill development. Take an active role in 'My next steps' plan with support from parents/carers.

To be reviewed September 2022