Leigh Academy Strood

Careers Education: Spiral Curriculum

YEAR 7

- What are my skills?
- What does success mean to me?
- Challenges and rewards of work
- What are my interests?
- Who am I?
- Exploring possibilities: dream jobs
- What is a career?
- What is an entrepreneur?
- What is a work-life balance?

YEAR 8

- Careers and the future
- Job applications: superhero CVs
- Creating the life you want: making a vision board
- Careers and the climate
- Decision making: choosing what to study at KS4
- Taking control of your career journey
- What comes after school: the main learning pathways

YEAR 9

- Working and earning: managing your money
- Exploring employer profiles
- Preparing to go on work experience
- In person, hybrid, and remote: what works best?
- What are my employability skills?
- What is the labour market and why is it important?

YEAR 10

- Reflecting on my career journey: past, present and future
- What type of career is best for me?
- Wellbeing in the workplace
- Post 16 – Choices, Choices
- Researching volunteering and paid work
- Decision making: choosing your Post-16 pathway

YEAR 11

- Is AI a threat to our jobs?
- Money talks: apprenticeships vs. higher education
- Preparing for a personal guidance one-to-one
- Setting career goals
- Wellbeing: balancing life, learning and work
- Post 18 – Choices, Choices
- How to network and be enterprising
- What makes an employer 'good' to work for?

YEAR 12

- Should all employers adopt a four-day week?
- Being self-employed and working freelance
- Preparing for an employer assessment day
- The basics of interviews: in person and online
- Personal branding: your CV and online profile

YEAR 13

- Confidently managing transitions

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