



Monkseaton Middle School

Provider Access Policy

Introduction

This policy statement sets out the school's arrangements for managing the access of providers to pupils at the school for the purpose of giving them information about the provider's education or training offer. This complies with the school's legal obligations under Section 42B of the Education Act 1997.

Pupil entitlement

All pupils in years 8-13 (Y8 at Monkseaton Middle School) are entitled:

- to find out about technical education qualifications and apprenticeships opportunities, as part of a careers programme which provides information on the full range of education and training options available at each transition point;
- to hear from a range of local providers about the opportunities they offer, including technical education and apprenticeships – through options events, assemblies and group discussions and taster events;
- to understand how to make applications for the full range of academic and technical courses.

Management of provider access requests

Procedure

A provider wishing to request access should contact:

NAME: Mr. Simon White
ROLE: Assistant Headteacher
Telephone: 0191 253 2335
Email: admin@monkseatonmiddle.org

Opportunities for access

A number of events, integrated into the school careers programme, will offer providers an opportunity to come into school to speak to pupils and/or their parents/carers:

Year 5

Barclays Money Programme

Year 6

Tyne Together and 7 Billion ideas - team building and enterprise activity in competition with other middle schools.

Year 7

Team building activity – Marshmallow challenge

Future hopes and aspirations

Career Speed dating

Industry Spark - Enterprise initiative

Year 8

Interview Techniques

BIM Inspiration Day Innovative careers in the construction industry.

Premises and facilities

The school will make the main hall, classrooms or private meeting rooms available for discussions between the provider and students, as appropriate to the activity. The school will also make available Audio-Visual and other specialist equipment to support provider presentations. This will all be discussed and agreed in advance of the visit with the Careers Leader or a member of their team.

Providers are welcome to leave a copy of their prospectus or other relevant course literature at the Careers area in the school library. The school library is available to all students at lunch and break times.

Approval and review

Approved 24/09/18 by Governors at Students and Curriculum Committee

Next review: September 2019

Signed:

Chair of Governors: Anne Welsh

Headteacher: Kirsty Nichols-Mackay
