

PCS Careers Activity Plan 2025 - 2026																								
Year Group	Term 1				Term 2				Term 3				Term 4				Term 5				Term 6			
Year 7	What	Facilitator	When	Gatsby Benchmark	What	Facilitator	When	Gatsby Benchmark	What	Facilitator	When	Gatsby Benchmark	What	Facilitator	When	Gatsby Benchmark	What	Facilitator	When	Gatsby Benchmark	What	Facilitator	When	Gatsby Benchmark
	Audit Future Aspirations and Careers	Mentors/ Google Classroom	Wb 26/09/25	GB3	Developing skills and aspirations	PSHE teacher	Weekly throughout Term 2	GB3	National Apprenticeship week activities	Local EA links plus online providers	Wb 9/2/26	GB2 GB3 GB4 GB5 GB8	National Careers Week Activities	TBC	Wb 2/3/26	GB2 GB3 GB4 GB5 GB6	PD What's my career?	External Employers	tbc	GB3	Financial Decision related to the world of work of work	PSHE teachers	Weekly throughout term 6	
	Brighton and Hove Albion Open Doors Visit	JNE	14/10/25	GB3 GB5	Introduction to careers team	JNE Onsite careers advisor	Term 2	GB8					National Careers Drop Down Day	All staff	6/3/26	GB2 GB3 GB4 GB5 GB6								
	An introduction to University workshops	University of Brighton	10/10/25 & 13/10/25	GB7	Introduction to Green Careers week	JTU - PDI sessions - tutors	Wb 3/11/25	GB8					University Campus visit	University of Brighton	17/3/26	GB7					Volunteers week	The local community	1/6/26-7/6/26	GB6
In addition - the Widening Participation 5 year Schools Partnership (University of Sussex) will be providing transition/mecacognition activites to year 7 in terms 1 & 2 GB7																								
Year 8	Audit Future Aspirations and Careers	Mentors/ Google Classroom	Wb 26/09/25	GB3	Community and careers	PSHE teacher	Weekly throughout Term 2	GB3	National Apprenticeship week activities	Local EA links plus online providers	Wb 9/2/26	GB2 GB3 GB4 GB5 GB8	National Careers Week Activities	TBC	Wb 2/3/26	GB2 GB3 GB4 GB5 GB6	PD What's my career?	External Employers	tbc	GB3	Volunteers week	The local community	1/6/26-7/6/26	GB6
					Introduction to Green Careers week	JTU - PDI sessions - tutors	Wb 3/11/25	GB8					Take your child to work day	Parents/carers	4/3/26	GB5	University Campus visit	University of Brighton	23/4/26		Q & A Sessions with Alumni Day 3	PCS Alumni		GB3 GB5 GB8
					An introduction to University workshops	University of Brighton	14/11/25 & 17/10/25						National Careers Drop Down Day	All staff	6/3/26	GB2 GB3 GB4 GB5 GB6								
					Introduction to careers team	JNE Onsite careers advisor	Term 2	GB8																
In addition - the Widening Participation 5 year Schools Partnership (University of Sussex) will be providing assemblies and workshops as well as a series of academic subject-led workshopsin terms 3-6 (including Engineering, Chemistry, Maths) GB2 GB7 GB4																								
Year 9	Audit Future Aspirations and Careers	Mentors/ Google Classroom	Wb 26/09/25	GB3	Introduction to Green Careers week	JTU - PDI sessions - tutors	Wb 3/11/25	GB8	Where will different subjects take me?	All curriculum areas	Month of January	GB2 GB3 GB4	National Careers Week Activities	TBC	4/3/24- 8/3/24	GB2 GB3 GB4 GB5 GB6	PD What's my career?	External Employers	tbc	GB3	Employability Skills	PSHE teachers	Weekly throughout term 6	GB3
	Launch of DoE	PCS DoE team	25/9/25	GB7	Open Doors Events	Local Businesses	November 2025 - December 2025	GB5 GB6	Choosing options workshops	University of Brighton	9/1/26	GB7	KS4 Choices Evening	All curriculum areas	February date tbc	GB2 GB3 GB4	University Campus visit	University of Brighton	23/4/26		Campus Visit University of Sussex	University of Brighton		GB7
	Inspire 3 programme launch	University of Sussex	7/10/25	GB7	Introduction to careers team	JNE/ELOnsite careers advisors	Term 2	GB8	Inspire 3 visits	University of Sussex	15/1/26 22/1/26	GB7	National Careers Drop Down Day	All staff	6/3/26	GB2 GB3 GB4 GB5 GB6					Armed Forces Team building day		tbc	GB5
					Q & A Sessions with Alumni Day 1	JTU/JNE Alumni		GB3	How to make informed choices	Mentors	PD lessons date tbc	GB2 GB3 GB4												
									National Apprenticeship week activities	Local EA links plus online providers	Wb 9/2/26	GB2 GB3 GB4 GB5 GB8												
In addition - the Widening Participation 5 year Schools Partnership (University of Sussex) will be providing assemblies and workshops as well as a series of academic subject -led workshopsin terms 3-6 (including Engineering, Chemistry, Maths) GB2 GB7 GB4 Students in year 9 will also have the opportunity to participate in Open Doors visits																								
Year 10	Audit Future Aspirations and Careers	Mentors/ Google Classroom	Wb 26/09/25	GB3	Introduction to Work Experience	PDI mentors/assem bley	Weekly throughout term 2	GB6	National Apprenticeship week activities	Local EA links plus online providers	3/2/25 -7 /2/25	GB2 GB3 GB4 GB5 GB8	National Careers Week Activities	TBC	Wb 26/09/25	GB2 GB3 GB4 GB5 GB6	Work Experience final preparation	Mentors	wb 1/6/26	GB6	Work experience	External and local providers	6/7/26- 10/7/26	GB2 GB3 GB5 GB6
	Am I work ready?	Tutors in PDI	Wb 4/9/25	GB6	Introduction to careers team	JNE Onsite careers advisor	Term 2	GB8	Study Skills workshops x 4	University of Brighton	30/1/26 6/2/26 25/2/26 4/3/26		Q & A Sessions with Alumni Day 2	PCS Alumni		GB3 GB5 GB8					Sixth Form College Visits	Local sixth form providers	July 2026	GB7 GB8
					Introduction to Green Careers week	JTU - PDI sessions - tutors	Wb 3/11/25	GB8					National Careers Drop Down Day	All staff	6/3/26	GB2 GB3 GB4 GB5 GB6	What Next? PCS futures information Event	JTU/Post 16 providers	16/4/26	GB7				
					ican careers event (SEND)	East sussex	10/11/25																	
					Inspire 3	University of Sussex	17/12/25														College Fair	Local post 16 providers	June 1	
In addition the Widening Participation 5 year Schools Partnership (University of Sussex) will be providing aKS4 targetted attainment support in terms 3 - 5 plus the opportunity of an Easter sports camp. GB4 GB7 Every year 10 student will have had at least one guidance interview with our trained Independent Careers Practitioner and a complete Careers Action Plan added to theirstudent file and shared with mentors, parents/carers and the students GB8 rgetted groups of students will attend workshops across the year delivered by our Careers enterprise advisors GB5 Additional assemblies will be delivered to inform about the different post 16 routes, addressing the Baker Clause, by external providers - Seaford Head Sixth Form, East Sussex College, MET etc																								
Year 11	Audit Future Aspirations and Careers	Mentors/ Google Classroom	Wb 30/9/24	GB3	Mock interviews with Employers	External employer links	3/12 & 4/12	GB5 GB8	PD Gathering portfolios Preparing for college interviews	Mentors	FortnightlyTerm 3	GB8	National Careers Week Activities	TBC	Wb 26/09/25	GB2 GB3 GB4 GB5 GB6	GCSE exams -transition to sixth form college activities	Post 16 providers	May 2026	GB7 GB8				
	Year 11 Uni Study Day	Uiversity of Sussex	16/9/25	GB7	i can careers event SEND	East Sussex	10/11/25		National Apprenticeship week activities	Local EA links plus online providers	Wb 9/2/26	GB2 GB3 GB4 GB5 GB8	National Careers Drop Down Day	All staff	6/3/26	GB2 GB3 GB4 GB5 GB6	Additional support for identified students who may struggle with transition to post 16	tbc	July 2026	GB7 GB8				
	What Next - planning for Post 16	PSHE Lessons	Weekly throughout term 1	GB3 GB4	Introduction to careers team	JNE Onsite careers advisor	Term 2	GB8					Q & A Sessions with Alumni	PCS Alumni		GB3 GB5 GB8								
	SEND students 1-1 with parents and careers advisor re: post 16 opportunities	CHO	September and October	GB3 GB7	Introduction to NCS	NCS	Term 2	GB7																
	Post 16 choices evening	Post 16 providers	1/10/25	GB7	An introduction to T levels	Assembly with external providers	Term 2	GB7																
	PD - Writing personal statements	PSHE teachers	November 1	GB8	College open evenings/days	Post 16 providers/ parents & carers	Term 2	GB7																
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