

FORMBY HIGH SCHOOL

Determined to achieve



CAREERING AHEAD

Careers Education Information

Advice & Guidance

Careers Education, Information, Advice and Guidance (CEIAG) at Formby High School forms an essential aspect of every student's personal education and future well-being. From as early as Year 7 students begin to consider life skills and potential employability during their Careers Units in PSHEE. At Key Stage 4 Careers lessons work on a carousel basis alongside PSHEE with all students receiving around eight hours of guidance in both Years 10 and 11.



Our partner in the delivery of CEIAG is 'Career North', whose team of specialists conduct individual 'career conversations' with students regarding Key Stage 4, post-16 and university choices. Every student in Year 11 has the opportunity to attend a practice interview with a professional. Throughout the year, students have numerous opportunities to work with local employers and take part in activities which develop their long term employability skills.

As part of our Sixth Form Enrichment Programme, Year 12 and 13 students take part in Careers Education and Guidance activities over two years involving outside speakers from Universities and charities, the opportunity to participate in a one week 'Career Experience placement', Careers Workshops, National Apprenticeship Week, UCAS training, trips to Universities and much more.

OUR FHS CAREERS TEAM

Mrs A MacDunne	Careers Co-ordinator
Mr S Cook	Senior Assistant Headteacher (Teaching, Learning & Curriculum)
Mrs J Martin	Office Supervisor
Mrs J North	Career North Adviser
Mrs F Edwards	Career North Adviser

OUR CAREERS YEAR

MEET THE PROFESSIONALS

We kick-start our year with a more informal event for Year 13 students. Aimed at providing opportunities for small group conversations with volunteers, 'MTP' encourages students to consider routes in various professions with bespoke advice about post-18 education and pathways.

FORMBY HIGH SCHOOL SIXTH FORM



MEET THE PROFESSIONALS 2018

Wednesday 17 October
1.30pm – 3.30pm in the School Hall



INFORMAL Q/A SESSIONS
FIND OUT ABOUT
NEW PROFESSIONS
TALK TO THE EXPERTS
DISCUSS YOUR ASPIRATIONS
DISPEL THE MYTHS

TEST DRIVE YOUR FUTURE!

FORMBY HIGH SCHOOL CAREERS PROGRAMME
Test drive the future!

CAREERS 2018 FESTIVAL 2019



WEDNESDAY
24 JANUARY
9.30am – 3.20pm
CAREERS FAIR

Our most ambitious event continues to grow from strength to strength, with a bustling 'marketplace' involving individual professionals and further education institutions alongside local, regional and national organisations. Students from Year 9, 11 and 12 are involved in this exciting event.

CAREERS FAIR

PRACTICE INTERVIEWS

We offer all Year 11 students the opportunity to take part in a 1:1 practice interview with a volunteer 'professional'. Mock application forms provide background information on each student and a stimulus for formal interview-style questions and feedback at the end of the process.

FORMBY HIGH SCHOOL CAREERS PROGRAMME
Test drive the future!

CAREERS 2018 FESTIVAL 2019



TUESDAY 27 FEBRUARY
WEDNESDAY 28 FEBRUARY
9.00pm – 3.20pm
Y11 PRACTICE INTERVIEWS

FORMBY HIGH SCHOOL



WORK EXPERIENCE



Year 10
Spring 2019

TEST DRIVE YOUR FUTURE!

Students in Year 10 are offered the opportunity to engage in a one week work experience placement during the Spring term. This provides valuable skills and understanding about the world of work and real life expectations and responsibilities.

WORK EXPERIENCE

CAREER EXPERIENCE

At the end of Year 12, students are encouraged to engage in a one week 'career experience' to open their minds to possible pathways in the future. This may involve time in the workplace with local and national organisations and businesses, as well as university and academic tasters.

FORMBY HIGH SCHOOL SIXTH FORM



CAREER EXPERIENCE



SUMMER 2019
ALL YEAR 12 STUDENTS
SELF-DIRECTED
FOCUS ON OUR OWN PATHWAY
INTENSIVE, ONE WEEK PLACEMENT
IMMERSE YOURSELF IN THE WORLD OF WORK
FOR INFO, PLEASE SEE MRS HALTON

TEST DRIVE YOUR FUTURE!

FORMBY HIGH SCHOOL



CAREER CONVERSATIONS



OPEN REFERRALS
By students, by staff
or by parents

Book via the General Office



TEST DRIVE YOUR FUTURE!

Individual support and guidance is offered throughout the year by our colleagues at Career North. Students from across the school may self-refer for a 'career conversation' by booking a session with the General Office. Staff and parents may also refer students.

CAREER CONVERSATIONS

OTHER CAREERS ACTIVITIES

Students are introduced to the importance of CEIAG and the school identifies and facilitates opportunities that can support and assist them during their GCSEs. All lessons are designed to inform and coach students about career and educational opportunities and requirements. There are a variety of exciting resources used to deliver sessions on every issue from perfect interview techniques to positive thinking. Curriculum areas also integrate elements of subject-specific careers content into lessons across the school.

CONTACT US

If you or your organisation can offer further support in extending and enhancing our CEIAG provision across the school, please get in touch with us and begin your own 'career conversation' to inspire our students to brighter futures.

Email: a.macdunne@formbyhighschool.com

Telephone: 01704 873100

Formby High School, Freshfield Road, Formby, Liverpool, Merseyside L37 3HW