

Oasis Academy Coulsdon: Provider Access Arrangements

Introduction

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

Student entitlement

All students in years 8-11 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 Jordan Kenison, Careers Coordinator.

Telephone: 01737 551161; Email: jordan.kenison@oasiscoulsdon.org

Academy Leadership Team Careers Lead – Ben Hodges (Assistant Principal)

Opportunities for access

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

We are particularly keen to connect with businesses and organisations who can provide support, to ensure that our disadvantaged students can benefit from additional bespoke programmes to support their individual needs:

- Work experience opportunities
- Workplace visits



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- Interview preparation support
- Mock interviews
- Public speaking and personal communication
- Provide one-2-one coaching to unlock individual students' why and help students build resilience.

Please speak to our Careers Coordinator, Jordan Kenison, to identify the most suitable opportunity for you.

	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
Year 7	<p>Assembly and Mentor Time opportunities</p> <p>Apprenticeship and Vocational Parent Information Evening</p>	<p>Assembly and Mentor Time opportunities</p> <p>Aspire to Inspire (<i>PSHE lessons</i>)</p>	<p>Assembly and Mentor Time opportunities</p>
Year 8	<p>Assembly and Mentor Time opportunities</p> <p>Apprenticeship and Vocational Parent Information Evening</p>	<p>Assembly and Mentor Time opportunities</p> <p>Aspire to Inspire (<i>PSHE lessons</i>)</p>	<p>Assembly and Mentor Time opportunities</p>
Year 9	<p>Assembly and Mentor Time opportunities</p> <p>Apprenticeship and Vocational Parent Information Evening</p>	<p>Assembly and Mentor Time opportunities</p> <p>Options Evening- talk to parents and students.</p> <p>Each student has a 1-1 interview with senior staff on options.</p>	<p>Assembly and Mentor Time opportunities</p> <p>Year 9. Speed Networking Event</p>

		Aspire to Inspire (<i>PSHE lessons</i>)	
Year 10	<p>Assembly and Mentor Time opportunities</p> <p>Apprenticeship and Vocational Parent Information Evening</p> <p>First Give Programme</p>	<p>Assembly and Mentor Time opportunities</p> <p>Aspire to Inspire (<i>PSHE lessons</i>)</p>	<p>Assembly and Mentor Time opportunities</p> <p>Post-16 College Taster Day(s)</p> <p>University Trip (All)</p> <p>Year 10 Work Experience</p>
Year 11	<p>Assembly and Mentor Time opportunities including <i>Post 16 Provider Assemblies</i></p> <p>'<i>Next Step to Success</i>' Careers Day</p> <p>1:1 Careers meetings with Careers advisor</p> <p>Apprenticeship and Vocational Parent Information Evening</p>	<p>Assembly and Mentor Time opportunities</p> <p>1:1 Careers meetings with Careers advisor</p>	<p>Assembly and Mentor Time opportunities</p> <p>1:1 Careers meetings with Careers advisor</p>



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Premises and facilities

The Academy will make the Agora, classrooms, or private meeting rooms available for discussions between the provider and students, as appropriate to the activity. The Academy will also make available AV and other specialist equipment to support provider presentations. This will all be discussed and agreed in advance of the visit with the Careers Coordinator or a member of their team.

Providers are welcome to leave a copy of their prospectus or other relevant course literature at the Careers Resource Centre, which is managed by the school librarian. The Resource Centre is available to all students at lunch and break times, as well as after school.

Approval and review

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Signed by: Catrin Green, **Principal**



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