## Careers

Curriculum cycle - Year 1 (2024-2025)

## Oak pathway





## Subject specific curriculum

		Autumn	Spring		Summer	
Sunflower	I am Special!	We're not scared!	The Egyptians	Nature Detectives	How can I travel?	Splish, splash, splosh into the sea

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Daffodil	Look at Me!	Winter Wonderland	China	Extreme Earth	Local History – Warrington	Adventures
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	Centre			local park		
Visits	Space		Warrington Museum	bug hunt at	Airport, Liverpool Docks	Sealife
Trips and	Preston	Delamere Forest	Arley Hall, Northwich,	Pond dipping,	Manchester/Liverpool	Beach,

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Visits	Space		Manchester	Science and	Wonderland, Beatrix Potter	Ice-Cream
	Centre,			Industry,	@ Daresbury, Cenotaph	Farm,
	Woolston			Planetarium		Childrens
	Sensory					<b>AdventureFar</b>
	Centre					m
			Rabbit, Badger, Fox			
	Context	independent o  Every  Every  encounter	ear 8 upwards are to be provadvice and guidance relating to school should be working to year, from the age of 11, pur with an employer.  14, every pupil should have hear subjects.	to careers and the Gatsby be pils should pai	d moving on. enchmarks. rticipate in at least one mear	ningful
Focus of Weekly Careers Session  KS3:  The focus throughout Key Stage 3 will be development of essential employability skil be arranged ad-hoc throughout the year.  Careers linked to STEM subjects will be cross-curricular and embedded through class other subjects and through assemblies.						
Deve	lopment of s	termly Skills	velop key employability skills Builder Projects.	throughout Ke	ey Stage 3 through the comp	oletion of
Communicatio	Creat	Projects will	Projects will be delivered through weekly timetabled sessions across Key Stage 3.			
Self-Manageme	ent	Resources an	Resources and planning are available through the Skills Builder hub and will be appropriately			
	differentiated by the teacher where necessary to enable all pupils to access the conte meaningful and engaging way.				ntent in a	
FARINERSHIP			skill development will be track relevant Skills Builder tags.	ked using Evid	ence for Learning and evider	nce will be

			oriate, pupils will complete diary logs of th pupil workbooks for these sessions.	heir progress towards each project. These
	Impact		each year in Key Stage 3, pupils will have will have worked towards developing each	·
	Fabulous Fas	hion	Trash to Treasure	Dream Space
Overview	Learners will explore to fashion including design manufacture and retail Learners will design and fashion item. Learners will review and their work and present to peers.  Skills Builder focus skook in Listening in Problem solving in Teamwork  During this term learn complete a Christmas in project.  Year 9 learners will be careers and moving on start to understand for	in, I.	Learners will explore the waste and recycling industries, find out about different roles and their own responsibilities.  Learners will work in teams to research and design a game then build a prototype using recycled and waste materials.  Learners will develop a dragons den style pitch for their game and deliver a presentation.  Skills Builder focus skills:  Speaking  Creativity  Leadership  Learners will participate in careers related learning opportunities including assemblies and employer visits.	Learners will explore the design industry, finding out about different trades that contribute to the success of a refurbishment process.  Learners will work in teams to research and design an improvement to our internal or external school space. They will create a model of their ideas and present it to an audience.  Skills Builder focus skills:  Creativity Staying positive Aiming high  During this term, learners will complete an art exhibition enterprise project.  Learners will participate in careers

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Key Vocabulary	Fashion, design, manufacture Problem, solution	Waste, rubbish, recycling Collaboration, pitch, prototype	Design, trades,
Fox - Key Learning	<ul> <li>To understand the different roles in the fashion industry</li> <li>To design and create a fashion item.</li> <li>To evaluate our individual work and present to our peers.</li> <li>To participate in games and activities to explore</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>To understand the different roles in the waste and recycling industry and our own responsibilities.</li> <li>To work in a small team to design a game and make it from recycled materials.</li> <li>To work in a small team to produce and deliver a pitch for our game.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>To understand the design process and the different roles and trades that a required to deliver a project.</li> <li>To work in a small team to identify an improvement to our school internally or externally.</li> <li>To produce a proposal explaining the idea and why its needed.</li> </ul>

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	CREATIVITY (STENING)	GREATIVITY GREAKING ENDERSHIS	CHEATIVITY OF THE POSTITE PHING HIGH
Trips and Visits	Charity shops – virtual, visit from Oakwood Community shop, or visit to local charity shop.	<ul> <li>Local Recycling Centre – virtual, guest speaker or in- person visit.</li> </ul>	<ul> <li>For ideas: Sensory Centre, LiveWire Leisure Centres, Cafes, Warrington Youth Zone</li> </ul>
Key Support Sessions K53	<ul> <li>Initial College visits will begin where</li> </ul>	appropriate (Woolston College, Reasehea or Supported Internship providers (Willo	
		Woodpecker / Hawk	
Employabili ty	Bungalow - As a group learners will develop order forms, skills che ingredient they will need and sh understanding of Health and Sa food. Learners will ensure that foo adhered to. Learners will develop	ecklists, jobs checklists. Learners op for ingredients in person and o fety in the kitchen and refine and od is cooked and Health and Safet op appropriate packaging and ensu	red across the school. Learners will will calculate how much of each online. Learners will develop their develop their skill set preparing by procedures and requirements are

Learners will seek feedback from staff in verbal and written forms, making adaptations and improvements as required.				
External work experience - Learners will take part in a range of workplace and employer encounters throughout Key Stage 4. This will be undertaken throughout the year. Where appropriate, learners will access extended placement opportunities with employers and voluntary services.  Transition - Learners will take part in visits to sixth form colleges, apprenticeship and supported internship providers, further education colleges and independent training providers to support with next steps Post-16.				
All pupils in Year 11 take part in a 1:1 inc	•	nce session with a L6		
Communicating with others at Work	Rights and Responsibilities in the Workplace	Tackling Problems at Work		

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•	Pupils will know how to communicate with others in	Pupils will understand that employees	Pupils will be able to
	the workplace through identifying ways that people	have rights in the workplace through	recognise workplace
	communicate with each other in places of work,	listing the main rights all employees have	problems through
Entry 3	identifying communication methods they use,	at work, giving an example of a law that	describing problems they
Award	themselves, and state why they are appropriate and	helps to protect employees at work and	might meet in a place of
	identifying who they need to communicate with in	identifying who could help with problems	work and explaining the
	their own workplace.	at work to do with employee rights.	importance of taking
			prompt action to deal with a
	Pupils will be able to communicate appropriately with	Pupils will understand that employees	problem in the workplace
	others at work through having opportunities to	have responsibilities in the workplace	
	communicate clearly in ways that suit different	through listing the main responsibilities	Pupils will be able to follow
	situations, provide relevant information in response	an employee has at work, stating how an	a given procedure in
	to requests from others and ask questions, as	employee gets information about their	response to a problem by
	needed, to complete work tasks.	responsibilities in the workplace and	identifying signs of a
		identifying a source of advice an	problem, taking appropriate
		employee could use if they were faced	and prompt action when
		with disciplinary procedures at work.	they meet a problem and
			tackling a problem following
			a given procedure.
Woodpecker	Customer	Legislation	Problem
Key	Colleague	Rights	Solution
Vocabulary			
	Communication	Contract of Employment	Procedure
	Workplace	Code of Practice	
	Employer	Staff Handbook	
		Employment Law	
Mandanakan	To enable learners to show they understand how	To enable learners to show they have an	To enable learners to show
woodpecker	To chable real hers to show they ander stand now		

show they can communicate effectively with others in the workplace.	responsibilities in the workplace and of sources of information and support relating to rights and responsibilities	problems they might meet in a place of work and that they can tackle a problem following a given procedure.
identify communication needs in the workplace e.g. with colleagues, with customers. Pupils will take part	Pupils will take part in workshops with Employers and the DWP to support with research into employee rights in the workplace.	Pupils will take part in a range of activities to identify common workplace problems. They will role play scenarios and demonstrate problem solving.  Through internal and external work placements, pupils will demonstrate appropriate problem solving.
	E3.1 Understand that employees have rights in the workplace	E3.1 Be able to recognise workplace problems
<ul><li>1.1 Identify ways that people communicate with each other in places of work</li><li>1.2 Identify communication methods they use, themselves, and state why they are</li></ul>	1.1 List the main rights all employees have at work  1.2 Give an example of a law that helps to protect employees at	1.1 Describe problems they might meet in a place of work
appropriate 1.3 Identify who they need to communicate with in their own workplace	work	1.2 Explain the importance of taking prompt action to deal with a

	E3.2 Be able to communicate appropriately with	1.3 Identify who could help with	problem in the
	others at work	problems at work to do with employee rights	workplace
	2.1 Communicate clearly in ways that suit		E3.2 Be able to follow a
	different situations	, ,	given procedure in response to a problem
	2.2 Provide relevant information in response		
	to requests from others	2.1 List the main responsibilities an employee has at work	2.1 Identify signs of a problem
	2.3 Ask questions, as needed, to complete		
	work	2.2 State how an employee gets information about their responsibilities in the workplace	2.2 Take appropriate and prompt action when
		2.3 Identify a source of advice an employee could use if they were faced with disciplinary	they meet a problem
		procedures at work	2.3 Tackle a problem following a given procedure
Hawk Key	' '	1 ·	Pupils will recognise the
Learning	1	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	sort of problems they
	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·		might meet in a place of
Entry 2 Award	communicate in the workplace.	· •	work and that they can tackle a problem following a given procedure.
	Pupils will take an active part in exchanges about		
	, · · ·	Pupils will understand that employees	
	<u> </u>	have responsibilities in the workplace	
	explanations/instructions, make clear and appropriate		
	,	an employee has at work and stating how	
	,	an employee gets information about their responsibilities in the workplace.	

Hawk - Key	Customer Colleague	Legislation	Problem
Vocabulary		Rights	Solution
	•	Contract of Employment	Procedure
		Code of Practice	
		Staff Handbook	
		Employment Law	
	understanding of workplace communication and to show they can take part in workplace exchanges about familiar topics.	To enable learners to show they have an understanding that employees have rights and responsibilities in the workplace and that they know about sources of information and support relating to rights and responsibilities.	To enable learners to show they recognise the sort of problems they might meet in a place of work and that they can tackle a problem following a given procedure
	communication.	Pupils will take part in workshops with Employers and the DWP to support with research into employee rights in the workplace.	Pupils will take part in a range of activities to identify common workplace problems. They will role play scenarios and demonstrate problem solving.  Through internal and external work placements, pupils will demonstrate

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Assessment	E2.1 Understand how people communicate in the	E2.1 Understand that employees have	E2.1 Be able to follow a		
	workplace	,	given procedure in response to a problem		
	1.1 Give examples of the sorts of information	1.1 Give examples of the rights an			
	people communicate in the workplace	employee has at work	1.1 Identify a straightforward		
	1.2 Give examples of the ways that people	1.2 Identify who could help with	problem that they		
	communicate in the workplace	problems at work to do with employee rights	might meet at work.		
	E2.2 Be able to take an active part in exchanges		1.2 State why the		
	,	E2.2 Understand that employees have responsibilities in the workplace	problem needs to be tackled.		
	2.1 Identify the main points of short				
	explanations/instructions	2.1 List the main responsibilities an employee has at work	1.3 Tackle the problem using a		
	2.2 Make clear and appropriate contributions		given procedure		
	to exchanges	2.2 State how an employee gets information about their			
	2.3 Ask relevant questions	responsibilities in the workplace			
	2.4 Respond to straightforward questions appropriately				
Trips and Visits	Workplace encounters with link employers such as Hummingbird, Network Rail, Jacobs Engineering, Park Royal Hotel (Q Hotels), MAD Digital Media and Changing Lives Carrington. These take place throughout the academic year and include employer-led workshops, workplace visits, bespoke work experience placements and employer				
	<ul> <li>engagement within our curriculum.</li> <li>Workshops with the DWP take place to support 'Rights and Responsibilities in the Workplace' (Spring Term).</li> </ul>				
	<ul> <li>Internal work placement in the Bungalow Cafe for a half term to support 'Communicating with Others at Work' and 'Tackling Problems at Work'.</li> </ul>				

- Job roles to be highlighted to pupils on any external visit e.g. staff working in a supermarket, staff working in a cafe etc.
- Trips for Year 10/11 will take place to various colleges to support students in selecting a college of their choice Post-16. These include Warrington Vale Royal College, Carmel College, Riverside College, Reaseheath College, Myerscough College, Woolston 6<sup>th</sup> Form College and independent training providers where appropriate.
- Warrington and Cheshire Careers Fair at Warrington Youth Zone.
- Warrington Apprenticeships Fair at Birchwood Engine Rooms.