



Churchill Park Academy Provider Access Policy

Each child, regardless of background, will receive a world-class education and be nurtured, challenged and inspired to aim high.

Purpose and background

This policy statement sets out Churchill Park Academy's arrangements for managing the access of providers to students at the school for the purposes of giving them information about the provider's education offer. This complies with our legal obligations under Section 42B of the Education Act 1997.

Management of policy

This policy is implemented and managed by the Headteacher, in consultation with the Learning & Teaching whole school responsibility leader and the School Council

The Governors' Assessment Committee approves and reviews this policy Approved by Churchill Park Academy - April 2021.

Associated policies

- Curriculum statement
- Equal opportunities
- School careers programme
- Special Educational Needs and Disability

Students in years 8-14 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 afternoons, 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 the Assistant Headteacher.

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:

Year 8

Life Skills – is taught as part of the CPA of curriculum. Opportunities include: Life skill lessons including opportunities to learn about the world of work, TITAN (road and community safety) and through 'Dynamic Days'

In school work experience opportunities advertised on board

Year 9

In addition to the above...

KS4 options event- students to choose a preferred BTEC to participate in years 10&11

Year 10 &11

World of Work Day



In addition to the above:

Duke of Edinburgh award- students have the opportunity to take part in a range of work experience and volunteering opportunities throughout the year.

In addition to in house work experience- suitable external work experience opportunities may be sought

Assembly's on the world of work and post 16 opportunities

Work experience morning

Post 16 parents evening (school Sixth Form and the Local college)

Post 16 taster sessions

Please speak to our named Careers Leader (Sophie Finney) to identify the most suitable opportunity for you.

The school policy on safeguarding sets out the school's approach to allowing providers into school as visitors to talk to our students.

Years 12, 13 14

In addition to the above

Curriculum has been designed to promote independence and work-related skills.

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 AV 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 school. The Careers Leader will ensure that students have access to these materials at suitable times and upon request.