

Calendar of Careers Education in Brentford School for Girls

All students have access to up-to-date careers information and resources via Google classroom, Unifrog, careers talks and an annual Careers and HE fair which takes place in the autumn term (Gatsby Benchmarks: 1, 2, 5, 7)

The eight benchmarks are a framework for good career guidance developed to support schools in providing the students with the best possible careers education, information, advice and guidance.



	Autumn term	Spring term	Summer term
Year 7	Careers Google Classroom Launch Y7 Careers Day	Optional lunch-time visit to in-house Careers & HE fair National Apprenticeship Week: Tutor Activities	BLOSSOM lessons with dedicated CEIAG modules: • Job vs Career • Children and the Law • Budgeting • Equality • Gender Stereotyping Drop-down careers morning including introduction to Unifrog
Gatsby Benchmarks	5, 7	2	2, 3
Year 8	Work-related learning: Duty Pupil Careers Google Classroom Launch Optional lunch-time visit to in-house Careers & HE fair	Work-related learning: Duty Pupil Optional lunch-time visit to in-house Careers & HE fair BLOSSOM lessons with dedicated CEIAG modules • Skills and Qualities • Enterprise	Work-related learning: Duty Pupil

		• the Changing World • Learning Styles • Sources of Information • Careers Research Y8 Careers Day Options support including subject specific assemblies, options evening, meeting with member of senior staff National Apprenticeship Week: Tutor Activities	
Gatsby Benchmarks	5, 6, 7	1, 2, 5, 6	5, 6
Year 9	PAL talk - Post 16 Options Careers Google Classroom Launch	Optional lunch-time visit to in-house Careers & HE fair National Apprenticeship Week: Tutor Activities BLOSSOM lessons with dedicated CEIAG modules: qualities, skills and qualifications needed to be successful in the workplace	St Marys Summer residential (with selected students) Activities Week: University visit
Gatsby Benchmarks	2, 5, 7	2, 5	5, 7
Year 10	Careers Google Classroom Launch KickStart Programme (selected students) St Marys Summer residential follow up (with selected students) Cambridge University Outreach Bus	National Apprenticeship Week: Tutor Activities Jack Petchey 'Speak Out' Challenge CV writing lesson (in English curriculum)	BLOSSOM lessons with dedicated CEIAG modules Year 10 Careers Day Mock interview with local employer 1-to-1 careers guidance interviews with Advisor Spark! Pilot (selected students)
Gatsby Benchmarks	2, 5, 7	4, 5	2, 8
Year 11	1-to-1 careers guidance interviews with Advisor BLOSSOM lessons with dedicated CEIAG modules on: Unifrog and post-16 options PAL talk - Post 16 Options Attendance at in-house Careers & HE fair	1-to-1 careers guidance interviews with Advisor British Science Week: Alumni talks	'Brentford Futures' day: talks on academic study, alumni destinations

	Support for students with additional needs (external CEIAG)		
Gatsby Benchmarks	1, 2, 3, 5, 7, 8	5, 8	5