

Provider Access Statement

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Introduction

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

Pupil entitlement

All pupils in years 8 to 13 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 our careers leader Robert Wood. He can be contacted on 07522 358953 or robert.wood@thebridgetrust.academy

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 or their parents or carers:

	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
Year 7	<i>Enhancing pupils' knowledge and understanding of the world of work through PSHE</i>	<i>Enhancing pupils' knowledge and understanding of the world of work through PSHE</i>	<i>Enhancing pupils' knowledge and understanding of the world of work through PSHE</i>
Year 8	<i>Enhancing pupils' knowledge and understanding of the world of work through PSHE</i>	<i>Overview of key stage 4 and post 16 options for students and parents</i>	<i>Meetings with careers adviser</i>
Year 9	<i>Enhancing pupils' knowledge and understanding of the world of work through PSHE</i> <i>Meetings with careers adviser</i>	<i>Event for providers of technical education and apprenticeships</i>	<i>Bespoke support to transition to KS4, including introduction to the provision's careers programme.</i>

Please speak to our careers leader to identify the most suitable opportunity for you.

Premises and facilities

The school will make the 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 with the head of school.

Approval and review

Approved 16.11.21 by local governors

For further information on the Policy, please contact via email

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Next review: 16.11.22

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Chair of Governors

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