

Tollbar Sixth Form College Careers Programme 2019/20

Tollbar MAT Sixth Form College provides every student with a comprehensive and stable careers programme, supporting all aspects of their decision making and ensuring they are well informed about potential careers. We carefully plan our provision using the Gatsby Benchmarks of excellence which are:

The eight Gatsby benchmarks of Good Career Guidance are:

1. A stable careers programme
2. Learning from career and labour market information
3. Addressing the needs of each pupil
4. Linking curriculum learning to careers
5. Encounters with employers and employees
6. Experiences of workplaces
7. Encounters with further and higher education
8. Personal guidance

The table below demonstrates how we meet each of the Gatsby Benchmarks.

Higher Education	Gatsby Benchmark	Year 12	Year 13
Results Day Support	3, 4, 7, 8		/
Oxbridge assembly and follow up visit	3,7		/
UCAS applications/support	3, 7, 8	/	/
Personal Statement Workshops	3, 8	/	/
Mock Medical and early entry and Oxbridge Interviews	3, 4, 5		/
Student Finance Presentation	3, 7		/
SFLT Personal Statement individual guidance	7, 8	/	/
UCAS Convention	5, 7,8	/	
Lincoln University assembly	3, 4, 5, 7	/	/
Student ambassador assemblies and tutorial visitors	3, 4, 7,		
Bishop Grosseteste University assembly	3, 4, 5, 7	/	/
Next steps to York assembly delivered by York University	3, 4, 5, 7	/	
HYMS assembly delivered by University of Hull	3, 4, 5, 7	/	
Subject University trips	3,4,5,7	/	/
Carousel of Masterclasses at the University Centre Grimsby	3,4,5,7	/	/
University of Leeds: access and pathways programmes presentation	3,4,5,7	/	
Careers and courses in Health: Leeds university	3,4,5,7	/	
Webinar sessions: subject/course specific	2,3,4,7,8	/	/
Access to START online careers software	1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8	/	/

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One to one guidance delivered by an independent advisor: weekly availability	1, 2, 3, 4, 8	/	/
CV assembly (lead by Hull University) and tutorial sessions	1, 3, 4, 7, 8		/
Interview success assembly: lead by University of Lincoln	1,3,4,7,8		/
Mock Interviews	1, 2, 3, 4, 5		/
Apprenticeship assembly delivered by an external agency	1, 2, 3, 4, 8		/
Gap year opportunities	1, 3,8		
Career focus tutorial unit: including sessions on life goals, personality matching, essential and desirable requirements, making yourself marketable	1, 3, 4	/	/
Visit from the University of Law	1, 2, 4, 5, 7	/	
District Judge presentation and follow up court visit			
Forrester Boyd tutorial meeting			
Visit from engineering	1, 2,4,5,6	/	
Careers in Education and Teaching assembly: Bishop Grosseteste	1, 2, 4, 5, 7	/	
Assembly delivered by Forrester Boyd	1, 2, 4, 5, 6	/	
Subject specific career focus delivering within schemes of work	1, 2,3,4,8	/	/
Career trends and labour market assembly	1, 2,3,4		/

Encounters with the world of work enrichment monitoring	1, 2,3,5,6	/	/
Women's Aid presentation: voluntary options and career links	1, 3,5,	/	
Careers at sea assembly and discussion	1, 2,3,4,5	/	/
Careers in the forces: and supporting discussions (army)	1, 2,3,4,5		/
Parliament visit and workshop	1, 3,4,5	/	
Voluntary as an adult: Post Sixth Form: NE Lincs council	1,2,3,4,5		/
Webinar session: career based	1,2,3,4,5	/	/
Access to START online careers software	1,2,3,4,5,6,7,8	/	/