

Vision Statement

Woodhouse aims to help students reach their full potential and have aspirational goals for their future career paths. Our careers programme has been designed to ensure all students are aware of opportunities available to them as they move into adult life.

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Milestones and Learning Outcomes

Year 5

- To identify personal strengths, skills, achievements and interest.
- How to manage setbacks/perceived failures, including how to re-frame unhelpful thinking

Year 6

- To understand that there is a broad range of different jobs/careers that people can have; that people often have more than one career/type of job during their life
- Stereotypes in the workplace and how a person's career aspirations should not be limited by them

Year 7

- To understand what apprenticeships are and how they can benefit them.
- To raise aspirations and begin students thinking about their future career paths.

Year 8

- To begin thinking about their future career path and what subjects may help them to achieve this.
- To have meaningful encounters with a range of employers to be introduced to different careers.

Key Events and Experiences

Year 5

- Talk from a paramedic.
- PSHE lessons looking at employability skills.
- Black Friday maths event.

Year 6

- PSHE lessons about the world of work and career pathways.
- PSHE lessons about stereotypes in the workplace.
- Black Friday maths event.

Year 7

- Bank of England talk.
- Parliament talk.
- Talk from a scientist at Astrazeneca.
- Future Focus Fridays.

Year 8

- Dragon's Den experience.
- Assembly from Reaseheath College.
- Talk from an ex-pupil about the university experience.
- Drop-in careers sessions.
- Future Focus Fridays.

Inspiring and preparing young people for the world of work.