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CAREERS ACCESS POLICY STATEMENT

2025-2026

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INTRODUCTION

This policy statement sets out the school's arrangements to ensure all pupils, during school years 8 to 13, have at least 6 opportunities to meet a range of providers of approved technical education qualifications and apprenticeships and to secure independent careers guidance for pupils from years 7 to 13. See [careers statutory guidance](#) which sets out what is expected under the new requirements.

ALL STUDENTS IN YEARS 8 – 11 AT EGGAR'S SCHOOL ARE ENTITLED TO:

- find out about technical education qualifications and apprenticeship opportunities, as part of a careers programme which provides information on the full range of education and training options available at each transition point;
- 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;
- understand how to make applications for the full range of academic and technical courses.

MANAGEMENT OF PROVIDER ACCESS REQUESTS

A provider wishing to request access should contact Nicola Jones, Careers Lead 01420 541194, enquiries@eggars.hants.sch.uk

CAREERS GUIDANCE ACCESS:

Independent careers guidance for pupils from years 7 to 11 will be supported, at least, by the following organisations.

- Education Business Partnership (EBP) South
- Enterprise M3 – Careers and Enterprise Company
- Apprenticeship Skills and Knowledge (ASK)
- BCOT (Basingstoke College of Technology)
- FCOT (Farnborough College of Technology and Aldershot College)
- SUN (Southern Universities Network)
- Farnham College, HSDC Alton College, Peter Symonds College and Sparsholt.
- British Army, Royal Navy and Royal Airforce.

OPPORTUNITIES FOR ACCESS

Many events, integrated into the school careers programme, will provide an opportunity for Apprenticeship and Technical Level Providers to come into school to speak to students and/or their parents/carer including:

Year Group	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
7	PSHE Curriculum – Careers and Your future confidence	National Careers and Apprenticeship Weeks Linking Curriculum to Careers for all Careers Linked to Subject learning – Labour Market Information	
8	PSHE Curriculum Proud to be me: Including a focus on employability skills,	Assembly, curriculum and tutor group opportunities PSHE research on Post 16 opportunities and careers.	Assembly and tutor group opportunities from employers.

	career interests and self-esteem and the media	KS4 options event Parent / Teacher Events	
9	Southern Universities Network workshops in careers and labour market information	Parent / Teacher Events Careers Fayre visit	Assemblies on opportunities post 16 including technical qualifications and apprenticeships.
10	Assemblies on opportunities Post 16 for HSDC, BCoT, Farnham College, FCoT, Peter Symonds, Sparsholt, FSC including technical qualifications and apprenticeships. Southern Universities Network workshops in careers and labour market information	PSHE – Writing personal statements and use of Career Pilot. 1-1 Career Appointments with EBP South	1 weeks 'OWN PLACEMENT' Work Experience Assembly and tutor group opportunities for HSDC, BCoT, Farnham College, FCoT, Peter Symonds, Sparsholt Yr10 visit for 30 to PSC Yr10 visit to HSDC for all Yr10 visit for 30 to BCOT Yr10 visit Sparsholt for 15 1-1 Career Appointments with EBP South
11	Assemblies on opportunities Post 16 for HSDC, BCoT, Farnham College, FCoT, Peter Symonds, Sparsholt, FSC Parent / Teacher Events 1-2 Career Appointments with EBP South Southern Universities Network	Assemblies on opportunities post 16 including T-Levels Apprenticeship Assemblies with ASK	Yr11 visit for 30 to PSC Yr11 visit to HSDC for all Yr11 visit for 15 to BCOT Yr11 visit Sparsholt for 15

We also have our ongoing Aspire Programme run by our Aspire (MAT) lead, which allows pupils to attend presentations and workshops with employers from a wide range of industries. These are open to everyone.

There are ongoing activities via Eggar's Experience including Lecture Club, Farnham and Alton College Masterclasses, Debate Club. Please speak to our Careers Leader to identify the most suitable opportunity for you.

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 suitable 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 Careers Resources are managed by the Careers Leader.

OPPORTUNITIES TO PROMOTE AND ADVERTISE TO OUR COMMUNITY

We use MS Teams to promote all events relevant to Careers Information, Education, Advice and Guidance and would be happy to do this for you. Please contact us enquiries@eggars.hants.sch.uk

FURTHER INFORMATION

Our school website Careers page has full access to all our documents please visit <https://www.eggars.net/eggarscareers-and-post16>

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