

CEIAG PROGRAMME 2023-2024

The following overview indicates how the CEIAG programme at OCA addresses each of the 8 Gatsby Benchmarks:

BENCHMARK	YEAR 7	YEAR 8	YEAR 9	YEAR 10	YEAR 11
1 – A stable careers programme	Comprehensive programme, bespoke to each year group accessing all Benchmarks, including National Careers Week				
2 – Learning from Labour market information	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Weekly Morning Enrichment ‘Careers Spotlight’ sessions - Friday PD ‘Dragons Den’ – self-employment and LMI (OCAER week) National Careers Week assembly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Weekly Morning Enrichment ‘Careers Spotlight’ sessions - Friday National Careers Week assembly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Weekly Morning Enrichment ‘Careers Spotlight’ sessions- Friday National Careers Week assembly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Weekly Morning Enrichment ‘Careers Spotlight’ sessions- Friday National Careers Week assembly KS4 Careers Evening Post-16 Assemblies from Cronton & Riverside College ASK Apprenticeships assembly Shaping Futures LMI assembly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Weekly Morning Enrichment ‘Careers Spotlight’ sessions - Thursday National Careers Week assembly KS4 Careers Evening ‘Futures’ curriculum – weekly (Mon) Futures Programme – jobs around the world ASK Apprenticeships assembly Shaping Futures LMI assembly
3 – Addressing the needs of each pupil	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Weekly Morning Enrichment careers sessions targeted through pupil voice Record of student aspirations monitored and updated to provide up to date CEIAG related advice. Small group sessions with Careers Connect 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Weekly Morning Enrichment careers sessions targeted through pupil voice Record of student aspirations monitored and updated to provide up to date CEIAG related advice. Small group sessions with Careers Connect Revision strategies Assembly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Weekly Morning Enrichment careers sessions targeted through pupil voice Record of student aspirations monitored and updated to provide up to date CEIAG related advice. 1:1 Careers Connect Appointment journey begins for specific cohorts 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Weekly Morning Enrichment careers sessions targeted through pupil voice KS4 Careers Evening (20.10.22) HA Event - Cronton College 1:1 Careers Connect Appointment Revision strategies Assembly KS4 Revision evening 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> KS4 Careers Evening (20.10.22) Apprenticeship Assembly 1:1 Careers Connect Appointment journey mastered Cronton College & Riverside College Assemblies Mock interview preparation & mock interviews

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Revision strategies Assembly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Employers Fair (25.01.24) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Revision strategies Workshops ○ Employers Fair (25.01.24) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Liverpool City Region Skills Show ○ National Apprenticeships Roadshow ○ Cronton & Riverside Sampling Day ○ Employers Fair (25.01.24) ○ PD: 'Managing Stress' lessons (Aut 1) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Revision strategies Assembly ○ 'Futures' curriculum – weekly (Mon) ○ Employers Fair (25.01.24) ○ Guided, individual work experience through Springpod ○ Futures Programme – bespoke programme of morning enrichment sessions based upon student voice (Money management, life skills, Springpod VWEX, CV/ applications, jobs around the world)
<p>4 – Linking curriculum learning to careers</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Careers checkpoint in every lesson ○ OCAER Week – aspiration ○ Employer talks linked to subject ○ Aspirations assembly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Careers checkpoint in every lesson ○ OCAER Week – aspiration ○ Employer talks presentations linked to subject ○ Aspirations assembly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Careers checkpoint in every lesson ○ OCAER Week – aspiration ○ Employer talks presentations linked to subject ○ Morning Enrichment (SUM 1) 'Pathways & Options' ○ STEM Event at Cronton College ○ Aspirations assembly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Careers checkpoint in every lesson ○ OCAER Week – aspiration ○ Employer talks presentations linked to subject ○ Trade Day at Riverside College (Engineering & Hair & Beauty pathways) ○ Aspirations assembly ○ Pre-sampling Assembly ○ Cronton & Riverside Sampling Day ○ Aspirations assembly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Careers checkpoint in every lesson ○ OCAER Week – aspiration ○ Employer talks presentations linked to subject ○ 'Futures' curriculum – weekly (Mon) ○ University of Chester Childcare sampling day ○ Aspirations assembly ○ Futures Programme – CVs/applications (English/literacy)

					- Money Management (Maths/numeracy)
5 - Encounters with employers & employees	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Employer Talks ○ Employers Fair (26.01.23) ○ Visit careers Q&A ○ Trips 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Employer Talk ○ Employers Fair (26.01.23) ○ Visit careers Q&A ○ Trips 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Employer Talks ○ Employers Fair (26.01.23) ○ Visit careers Q&A ○ Trips ○ In-house work experience 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ KS4 Careers Evening (10.10.23) ○ Employer Talks ○ Employers Fair (25.01.24) ○ National Apprenticeships Roadshow ○ Work Experience option self-placement ○ Visit careers Q&A 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ KS4 Careers Evening (19.10.23) ○ Employer Talks ○ Employers Fair (25.01.24) ○ OCAER week virtual work experience via Springpod ○ Mock interviews ○ Visit careers Q&A ○ Futures Programme - Springpod module (VWEX employer engagement via online work experience) - Life Skills (First aid)
6 - Experiences of the workplace	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Virtual Work Experience (SEND) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Virtual Work Experience (SEND) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ In-house 1-day work experience ○ Virtual Work Experience (SEND) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Work Experience option to self-place ○ Virtual Work Experience (SEND) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Guided, individual work experience through VWEX (Springpod) ○ OCAER week virtual work experience ○ Virtual Work Experience (SEND)
7 - Encounters with further and higher education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Aspiration Assembly 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Aspiration Assembly ○ Employers Fair (25.01.24) 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Aspiration Assembly ○ Employers Fair (25.01.24) ○ OCAER week ○ University visit ○ STEM Event at Cronton College 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Aspiration Assembly ○ Employers Fair (25.01.24) ○ OCAER week university visit ○ Cronton & Riverside Sampling Day ○ Trade Day at Riverside College 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Cronton sampling assembly ○ Riverside sampling assembly ○ Aspiration Assembly ○ Employers Fair (25.01.24) ○ Sixth form interviews

				(Engineering & Hair & Beauty pathways) ○ KS4 Careers Evening (19.10.23)	○ KS4 Post 16: Your Choice, Your Future Evening (19.10.23) ○ Cambridge University Critical thinking and study skills (7.02.24)
8 – Personal Guidance	○ Aspiration Assembly ○ Small group sessions with Careers Connect ○ Small aspiration focussed group sessions with Shaping Futures ○ Assembly ○ Parents Progress Evening	○ Aspiration Assembly ○ Small group sessions with Careers Connect ○ Small aspiration focussed group sessions with Shaping Futures ○ Revision strategies Assembly ○ Parents Progress Evening	○ Aspiration Assembly ○ Small group sessions with Careers Connect ○ Small aspiration focussed group sessions with Shaping Futures ○ Revision strategies Assembly ○ Parents Progress Evening ○ 1:1 Careers Connect Appointments for select cohorts	○ PD: ‘Managing Stress’ lessons (Aut 1) ○ Aspiration Assembly ○ Small group sessions with Careers Connect ○ Small aspiration focussed group sessions with Shaping Futures ○ Revision strategies Assembly ○ Parents Progress Evening ○ 1:1 Careers Connect Appointments for select cohorts ○ KS4 Careers Evening (19.10.23) ○ Cronton/Riverside College sampling day	○ Aspiration Assembly ○ Revision strategies Assembly ○ Y11 Revision Evening ○ Parents Progress Evening ○ 1:1 Personal Guidance Meetings (Careers Connect) Appointment x2 ○ KS4 Post 16: Your Choice, Your Future Evening (19.10.23) ○ Cronton/Riverside College sampling day