



**BEAT THE
2020
DEADLINE**

Keighley College's School Liaison team can help you and your school to achieve the Gatsby Benchmarks.

Our activities can be integrated within the framework for achieving Good Careers Guidance as recommended by the Department of Education. The benchmarks are an essential element of the *Careers Strategy: making the most of everyone's skills and talents*.

These activities are interchangeable and can refer to more than one area. Events and sessions can also be flexible to fit in with your desired learning outcomes and school development plans.

For the full details of the benchmarks please visit:

Gatsby benchmark handbook for all maintained secondary schools in England.

Amended version for colleges

We also offer support with transport, subject to availability and criteria. Contact us to find out more:

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A STABLE CAREERS PROGRAMME

Our progression workshops can be embedded into your career education programme. This can link in to your website page to show parents and families the type of sessions their children are experiencing.

PROGRESSION WORKSHOP

DURATION

1 hour

YEAR GROUPS

Year 7-11

DETAILS

Interactive and fun workshop. Students can find out about college, build confidence, prepare for life after GCSEs and take part in stress buster activities. Big focus on careers.



LEARNING FROM CAREER AND LABOUR MARKET INTELLIGENCE (LMI)

Our team give good quality information to students and parents to help them understand choices and opportunities. The following sessions help to explore up-to-date LMI:

PARENTS' EVENING

DURATION

15-30 mins

YEAR GROUPS

Year 10 and 11

DETAILS

Helping pupils make their decisions about career paths, be clear on labour information and impact on their study options. For parents, showing where they can access this information and what it really means!

TRANSITION TALK

DURATION

40 mins

YEAR GROUPS

Year 11 students who have applied and nervous about starting college

DETAILS

Interactive presentation about college life. Includes activities such as 'True or False' and 'Career Descriptions'.

OPEN EVENTS AT KEIGHLEY COLLEGE

DURATION

Book or drop in

YEAR GROUPS

Year 10, 11 and parents/carers

DETAILS

Presentation and information on current LMI, career opportunities and what courses will take them on the right path.

The liaison team can meet students on campus if required. Pre-visits, before official opening times, can be arranged.



ADDRESSING THE NEEDS OF EACH PUPIL

All of your students are unique. Depending on what stage they are at, we can tailor activities to ensure we can help embed equality and diversity considerations into the planning of our activities.

COLLEGE TOURS

DURATION

30-40 mins

YEAR GROUPS

Year 7-11

DETAILS

Explore our college, meet real students and tutors along the way and visit our amazing facilities.

Quizzes are included to challenge stereotypical thinking and raise aspirations.

TASTER SESSIONS PROGRESSION WORKSHOP

DURATION

Length to be pre-arranged – typically from 20 to 90 minute experiences

YEAR GROUPS

Year 9-11

DETAILS

The School Liaison team can run careers activities including CV workshops and mock interview sessions.



LINKING CURRICULUM LEARNING TO CAREERS

On request, our tutors can visit specific lessons in schools to link them with careers (for example, STEM subjects) to inspire students to be effective workers in a wide range of sectors. To help link learning and career paths for your school we can arrange the following:

CURRICULUM EXPERIENCE SESSIONS

DURATION
40 mins-1 hour

YEAR GROUPS
Year 10 and 11

DETAILS

Students can encounter life as a student in one of our curriculum sessions. Students will have an interest in this particular area.

DISCOVERY DAY

DURATION
1-2 hours

YEAR GROUPS
Year 9-11

DETAILS

Delivered on school training days. Students can explore our campuses, meet staff from different areas, find out about college and how to apply, and take part in fun activities.



ENCOUNTERS WITH EMPLOYERS AND EMPLOYEES

As part of your enrichment plan, Keighley College offers free off-site activities that your school can access throughout the year. Speak with the liaison team for opportunities or check on the **events section of our website**.

In 2019 we ran events with the following companies:

- GHCC
Cyber First Defenders 5 day non residential
- De Puy
How to Engineer a Human
- Leeds and Bradford Science and Technology Day Events
Challenge Day

For some schools we can even arrange guest speakers to come into school to talk about valuable skills relevant in the workplace.

ASSEMBLY

DURATION
10-15 mins

YEAR GROUPS
Year 11

DETAILS

Short presentation with information about our courses, student life and application journey.

ASSEMBLY

DURATION
10-15 mins

YEAR GROUPS
Year 7-10

DETAILS

Short presentation about skills in the workplace, our courses and student life.



EXPERIENCE OF WORKPLACES

Depending on how you arrange for your pupils to gain first-hand experience of the workplace, our team are on hand to support your needs.

For more information on this service, email the School Liaison team:
transitionteam@keighleycollege.ac.uk





ENCOUNTERS WITH FURTHER AND HIGHER EDUCATION

Our School Liaison team can work with you to enable your pupils to understand and learn about opportunities for vocational and academic routes. We can incorporate a visit to our Higher Education Centre at Keighley College to see how you could continue your learning journey with our degree offers.

We can attend the following events arranged by school such as:

Careers fairs, parents' evenings, apprenticeship sessions, GCSE and A level results days, curriculum taster days, mock interviews sessions.

We can be there to help support your evidence of careers activity provision in relation to the Gatsby Benchmarks (Provider Access Statements).

Discuss your requirements now with the team to secure bookings via:

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YEAR GROUPS

Year 11

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PERSONAL GUIDANCE

We can work with your school's careers expert to help support with students' course/career choices. The team can enhance any guidance interviews through small group work. The team have achieved qualifications in advice and guidance (IAG).

Advice and guidance for ESOL students, alternative provision, college opportunities and IAG in schools and at college are also available through the following activities and events.

ASSEMBLIES / BESPOKE GROUPS

DURATION
10-15 mins

YEAR GROUPS
11

DETAILS

Short presentation with info about our courses, student life and the application journey. Includes video.

ASSEMBLY

DURATION
10-15 mins

YEAR GROUPS
7-10

DETAILS

Short presentation about our courses and student life. Includes video.

HOLIDAY COLLEGE TOURS

At Keighley College

DURATION
1 hour

YEAR GROUPS
All year groups and parents/carers

DETAILS

Each school holiday (excluding Christmas) we open our doors to visitors to explore our college. Presentation about college and courses/how to apply. Q & A session.

