

Provider Access Policy for Wapping High School



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Introduction

This policy aims to set out our school's provision of impartial and informed careers guidance for our pupils. This includes the ways in which pupils, parents, teachers and employers can access information about our careers programme. This complies with the school's legal obligations under the Education Act 1997.

High-quality careers guidance is important for our pupils' futures, and our provision aims to:

- Help pupils prepare for the workplace, by building self-development and career management skills
- Provide experience and a clear understanding of the working world
- Develop pupils' awareness of the variety of education, training and careers opportunities available to them
- Help pupils to understand routes to careers that they're interested in, and to make informed choices about their next step in education or training
- Promote a culture of high aspirations and equality of opportunity

Management of provider access requests Procedure

A provider wishing to request access should contact: **Samiya Rahman** Career Lead Email: SamiyaRahman@wappinghigh.org and Tel: 0203 597 3670.

Opportunities for access

A number of events, including an annual Careers Fair and after school sessions, integrated into the school careers programme, will offer providers an opportunity to come into school to speak to pupils or their parents or carers. In addition, Academic Review Days will also enable pupils, parents and carers to focus on future pathways.

Premises and facilities

The school will make the hall, classrooms or private meeting rooms available for discussions between the provider and students as appropriate to the activity. The school will also make available AV and other specialist equipment to support provider presentations. The Careers coordinator will be available to discuss this with providers ahead of any visit.

Providers are encouraged to send any promotional material which will be disseminated to pupils. Open Day flyers will also be distributed through pastoral teams across the school.