



Careerpilot and the offer to WIN students: careerpilot.org.uk

Careerpilot is a one stop, free, impartial, website that helps 13—19 year olds make informed decisions about their future by providing information on all choices and on job sectors/jobs.

It is an integral part of the offer to targeted WIN students in our WIN schools.

WIN target students (from target wards with the potential for 5 GCSEs grade 4-9) in Yr 10, 11, 12 and 13, will be able to benefit from a one hour, individual or paired session with an experienced Adviser, from the Careerpilot Central Team, every year of the WIN project (each school receives an allocated amount of sessions).

All WIN students will register on Careerpilot and be supported to complete the interactive Career Tools, which include:

- My Qualifications
- My Job sectors and jobs
- My Providers
- Pre 16 Skills Map
- HE Skills Map
- My Next Steps

Which leads to an individual report the students can view/download or schools/colleges can view from the Reporting Zone

The Careerpilot Adviser will record the discussion they have with young people and create an action plan. This will be added to the student's report. Reports can be accessed by the student and tutor/careers adviser .

Year 10

Explore Future Options

Paired session. 2 students each with a computer, (for one hour), using Careerpilot.

Year 11

Detailed Planning for post 16

One to one session at a computer, (for one hour), using Careerpilot

What the Careerpilot Adviser will do:

In a paired session the adviser will take the WIN student through Careerpilot and the Career Tools so they can explore options for post 16 and post 18. They can start thinking about and recording their post 16 option choices and the pathways of interest, job sectors, qualifications, Pre 16 Skills Map.

By the end of the session they will have a report with action points.

What the Careerpilot Adviser will do:

Students will be able to explore job sectors and jobs in detail to help when planning which qualifications to do and post 16 destinations.

Students will be able to add to the Pre 16 Skills Map to identify the skills they have. Students will start to identify their first choice and back-up options and explore where these could lead in the future including exploring the many higher education pathways. They will have a detailed report with action points plan.

Year 12

Explore post 18 options

One to one session at a computer, (of one hour), using Careerpivot

What the Careerpivot Adviser will do:

Help the students start investigating post 18 options including the many routes and courses in higher education and help them record their preferences through the Career Tools activities.

Provide support to start more detailed exploration of job sectors/courses of interest or how to 'stay broad' if not sure.

Support the student in using HE Skills Map and help them evidence the skills they already have that will be useful in studying in HE and in the work place. This process will support writing the personal statement for UCAS applications.

Year 13

Prepare for progression

One to one session at a computer, (of one hour), using Careerpivot

What the Careerpivot Adviser will do:

Help students to plan for progressing to their post 18 options. This could include:

Review of current qualifications, options and plan for post 18.

Address any barriers or challenges to the career plan and discuss a plan B. Signpost the students to help with personal statements, open days, funding, etc.

Update of HE Skills Map based on any new experiences. This could include a focus on which specific skills may be required in a specific job/course.

Signposting funding/ sponsorship/ scholarships.

"Would highly recommend this to friends and family members looking to go through the same process."

"Amazing. This site makes you understand so much more about your options and a better understanding of higher education. Extremely useful."

Additional Careerpivot offer to WIN schools

Workshop Sessions for year groups: Each school will receive an allocation of time for the Central Careerpivot Team to run workshop sessions in an IT room with a whole year group, on a carousel.

Parents Y10 - 13: Each school will receive an allocation so the Central Careerpivot Team can work with parents of targeted WIN students, which could include:

- A hands on session so parents become familiar with Careerpivot and all the options for students, including funding, etc.
- Provide slides for use as part of a bigger presentation.
- Small group or individual sessions for parents of NCOP students following 1:1 sessions.

Staff Training: Each WIN school can access free Careerpivot training for teachers/tutors

- Sessions must be in an IT suite, be at least 45 minutes long for at least 5 staff and can be designed for a specific Key Stage or the whole staff team.

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