

St James Career Plan 2024 - 2025

Year Group	Focus	PSHCE Lessons	Typical Activities 2024 - 2025
7	Dreams and Aspirations	Careers Unit in PSHCE (3 lessons) Jobs v careers Choosing a career Dream careers and working laws	CEW Careers Day (Employability Skills and Dragons Den Challenge) State Talking assembly
8	Skills that I have and need	Business Unit in PSHCE (1 lesson) Employee rights PSHCE Unit 12 Rights and Responsibilities Lesson 1 – Jobs and the law Careers Unit in PSHCE (3 lessons) Lesson 1 - Personal qualities and skills Lesson 2 – Personal branding Lesson 3 – Career options	State Talking assembly Careers Breakfasts CEW Careers Day (Employability Skills and Unite Session) Introduction to apprenticeships assembly
9	Options and choices	Careers Unit in PSHCE (2 lessons) Qualifications and pathways Advice and decisions PSHCE Unit 5 Enterprise Lesson 1 – What is an entrepreneur Lesson 2 – Entrepreneur case studies Lesson 3 – Future opportunities Lesson 4 – Personal statements	State Talking assembly Careers Cafe CEW Careers Day (Enterprise Challenge) Options Evening Cheadle College assembly
10	Work and Work Experience	PSHCE Unit 1 Business Lesson 1 – Self-employment and success in business Lesson 2 – Being your own boss and business planning Careers Unit in PSHCE (4 lessons) Motivations and goals Aspirations and qualifications Labour Market information Career skills	State Talking assembly Post 16 options assembly Mock Interviews (MPLOY) Work Experience Careers Convention Careers Interviews Aquinas taster visit Cheadle College taster visit CHHS Oxbridge visit Apprenticeship evening
11	Decisions/exams/preparing for next steps	Careers Unit in PSHCE (2 lessons) Employment sectors and Post 16 options PSHCE Unit 5 Enterprise Lesson 1 – CV's, application forms and job interviews Lesson 2 – Personal statements and job hunting Lesson 3 – Recessions and keeping a job PSHCE Unit 6 Workplace Safety Lesson 1 – Risks at work and rights and responsibilities Lesson 2 – Workplace bullying Lesson 3 – Sexual harassment and equal opportunities	State Talking assembly Careers Convention Careers Interviews 6 th form college assemblies (Aquinas, Loreto, Xaverian, Cheadle College, Manchester College, CHHS) Apprenticeship evening Apprenticeship assembly CHHS Oxbridge visit