

St Joseph's Careers Newsletter



Careers Learning Journey.

We spend time at St Joseph's planning a range of events; activities in subject areas, and enrichment to help students along their career journey.

Around the school we have displayed the careers journey to help students understand some of the different opportunities they will have in the future. This poster could also be used as a starting point for discussing careers at home.



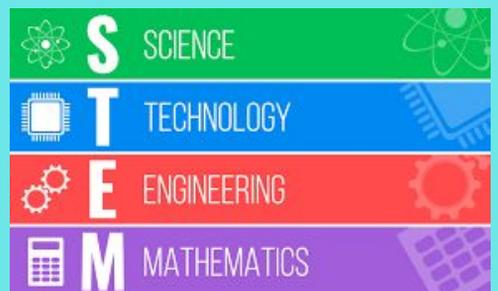
Experience of Universities



Meeting different employers



What different jobs are there in STEM?



Which subjects do I enjoy? What careers could link to them?



What different types of Apprenticeships are there?



St Joseph's Careers Learning Journey

We aim for students leave school resilient, confident and well rounded individuals with the knowledge to make informed future choice. Driven to success by clear goals, they are outward facing members of society, making positive contributions.



Continue your lifelong love of learning and personal development
CLIMB YOUR MOUNTAIN

Go to university to enhance your studies and get a degree

Start a degree level apprenticeship

Confirm and accept your future pathways offer

Employer Encounters

Attend your post 18 Interview

Personal Brand

Apply for University through UCAS or alternative post 18 courses

YEAR 13 SUCCEED

Take a gap year, travel the world and embrace new cultures

Consider summer internship and voluntary work to enhance your learning

Personal Finance

Develop your interview Skills

Attend the Careers' Convention

Visit a university and become inspired and informed

Visits to Jesus College Cambridge

Secure a part time job or work experience

YEAR 12 PROGRESS

Induction and Transition

University/ Employment Preparation

Core Values

A good Personal Statement cv/application MOOCs

Work Experience, Be inspired and reflect on your experience

Apply to be on the prefect team

Meet our Alumni - Visit website and watch the videos

College Taster Days

Careers Interviews

HE residential

Employer Encounters

Mock Interviews UCAS Convention

UCAS

NCW

National Careers week

Collect your GCSE results and enrol at 6th form, college or training provider

GCSE Exams

Training Provider assemblies

Careers Fair

Apprenticeships

6th form subject assemblies

Yr. 11 parents evening

Sign up for the NCS challenge

National Careers Week

YEAR 11 APPLY

St Josephs 6th form taster day

Apply for St Joseph's 6th form or apprenticeship

Talks from Cambridge and Oxford

Explore post 16 options through PSHE

Careers Interviews

Complete Y11 mock exams to get GCSE ready

Employer Talks

Write a CV and carry out a mock job application

Complete Y10 mock exams to get GCSE ready

Careers Subject Posters- What skills do you have?

Nissan Schools Engineering Event

NHS Work Discovery

National Careers Week

STEM workshop with Newcastle University

Careers Speed Dating

Work Experience

STEM workshop with local employer

Employer Talks

Complete Y10 mock exams to get GCSE ready

YEAR 10 DEVELOP

Options Evening

University Talk- St Annes Oxford

Careers PSHE- Aspire- Job roles and employability skills

Investigate post 16 options and opportunities in our local area (LMI)

Parent ambassadors- find out about different job roles

Sign up for the Duke of Edinburgh award

National Careers Week

Careers Fair

Visit a University

Talks from Cambridge and Oxford

YEAR 9 EXPLORE

Join St Joseph's Enrichment and extra curricular Programme

Develop skills for life and learning through PSHE

Assembly - introduction to the school's careers, advice and guidance programme

Identify your strengths

Why care?! Theatre performance that will raise awareness of the fascinating world of healthcare and discover the exciting variety of careers the NHS has to offer

Discover career pathways and explore your own ambitions

National Careers Week

STEM Day

The Event and Youth Village

Careers Subject Posters

YEAR 8 PREPARE

Foster friendships and develop key employability, leadership and interpersonal skills

Visit the Careers Library

How many House points do you have? Play to your strengths!

STRETCH 'Climbing Our Mountains'

National Careers Week

Transition days

Enjoy a range of lessons delivered by St Joseph's staff

Careers Subject Posters and Business Posters

CAFOD- Sustainable business event

YEAR 7 IDENTIFY

St Joseph's Transition Programme

Careers transition day

Liturgy

Sit SATS in Y6

Build a solid foundation in education

Apply for a place at St Joseph's

St Joseph's Yr. 5&6 Open Evening - meet our staff and students

Develop a lifelong love of learning

PRIMARY SCHOOL

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CAREERS ACROSS THE CURRICULUM WEEK

Each term we have a focused week where careers are explored across all the subjects in school. These are some of the ways we made links between what pupils learn in lessons and jobs...

SPANISH

HISTORY



Careers in the classroom



[The history of architecture | History – Proud To Be - YouTube](#)

Being an architect:

- What skills do you think you need to be an architect?
- What other careers might link to being an architect?
- How might learning about history link to a career in architecture?



Careers in the classroom



How might your History lessons equip you with the skills or knowledge needed to be a war correspondent?

[A tribute to a pioneering woman war correspondent - YouTube](#)
[A Private War Trailer #1 \(2018\) | Movieclips Trailers - YouTube](#)



#PowerOfWords #GCSEHistory



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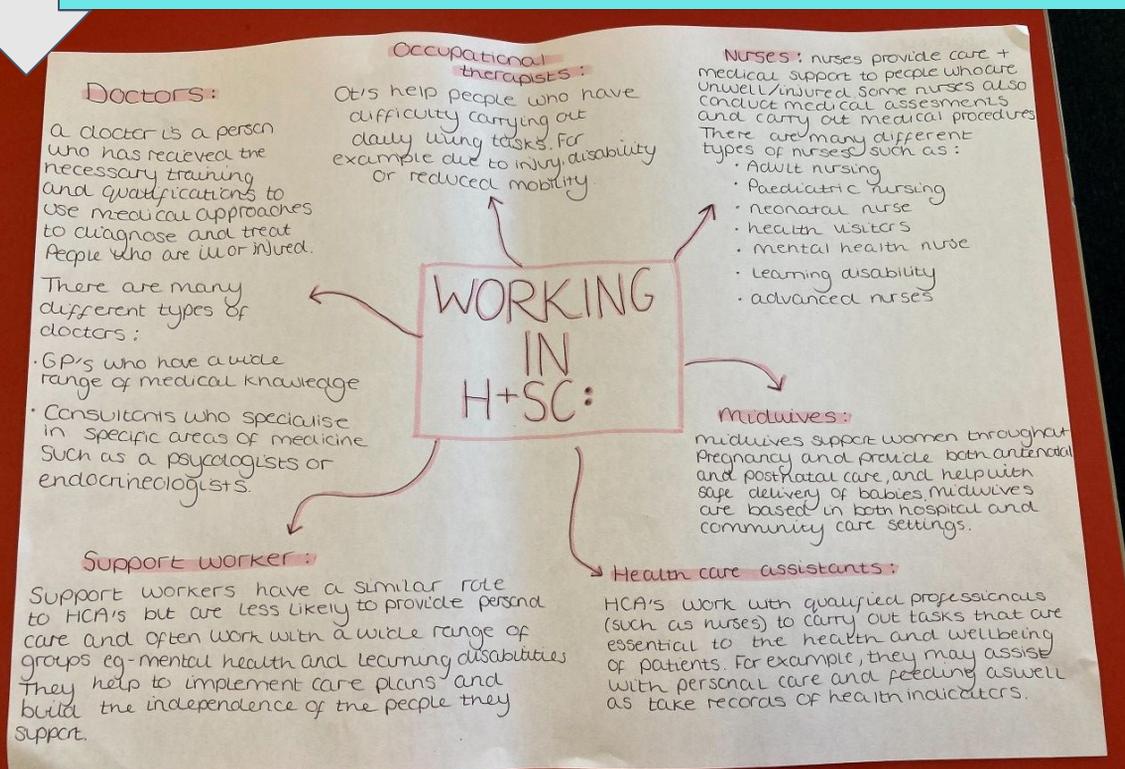
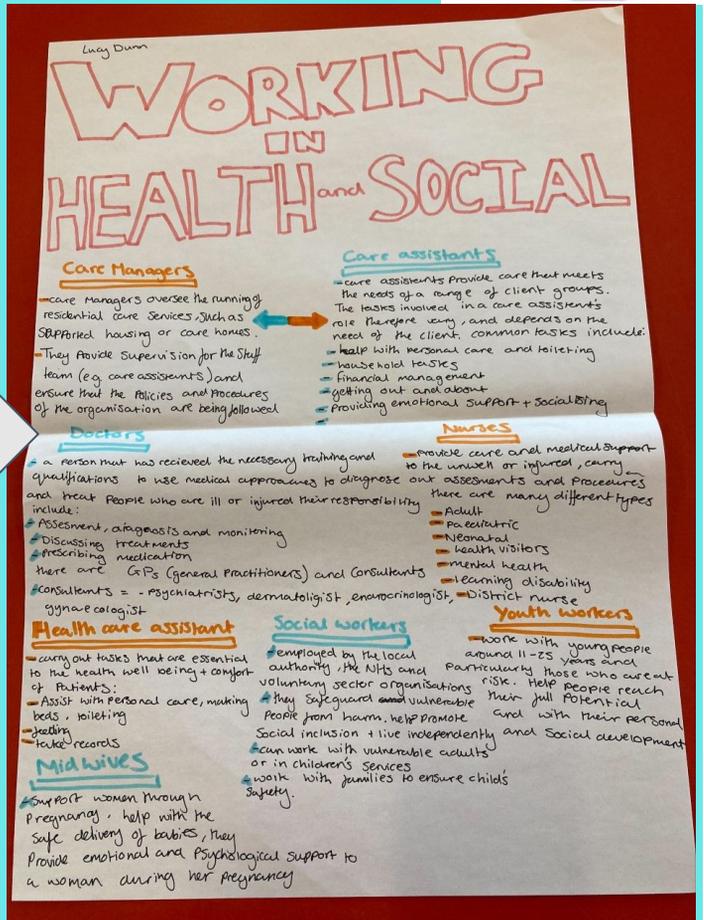


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HEALTH AND SOCIAL CARE



Each term we have a focused week where careers are explored across all the subjects in school. These are some examples of the work produced in Health and Social Care lessons.



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Careers Assembly

This term all students have had an assembly exploring the different routes into job, how to find your perfect job and looking at some of the routes our staff here took before teaching. Below are a couple of examples.

Mr McDuff

A Levels

Maths Physics
Chemistry
Electronics



University/college courses
1:3:1 Sponsored sandwich course – ran by Siemens power engineering (1st and 5th year industrial placements)
Company – sponsored so no university fees !



Post Degree Jobs
8 Years working with Siemens (Newcastle) Power stations – lots of overseas travel!
Paid to do MSc (masters course in Manufacturing)
Offered to do Phd if interested (said no!)
7 years working for Jonson Controls Automotive (Washington) Car interior manufacture (for Nissan UK) – even more overseas travel

Post Grad Courses
PGCE Newcastle university



Teaching Jobs
8 Years teaching Science – Astley Community High school
St Josephs



Mr Young

A Levels

History German
French



University/college courses
Theology and Religious Studies (International)



Other Jobs

British Council Language Assistant at a Vocational School in NRW Germany
Camp Counsellor at a Jewish Summer camp in Michigan America
Chinese Summer School Teacher in Qingandao near Beijing for 3 summers.

Post Grad Courses

Masters by Research in Theology of Religious Studies (University of Leeds)
PGCE Religious Studies (University of Durham)



Post Degree Jobs

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Year 9 Destination Success Theatre group show



“ It really made me think about different destinations and the courses I could do.”

“I feel like I have more ideas about my GCSE option choices now.”



Year 9 students all had the opportunity to watch a theatre production called Destination Success. The production exploring different careers and routes into further education including A Levels, apprenticeships and btecs. The also myth busted some of the finance concerns about University,



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Careers Displays across the school




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Careers Subject Posters

Problem solving

Negotiation and Conflict Resolution

Teamwork

Communication

CAREERS

Skill 1

Accurate Working

- Finance
- Science research
- Medical Research

Skill 2

Communication

- Teacher
- Stockbroker
- Estate agent

NORTH EAST AREAS OF GROWTH

Digital			Energy
Advanced Manufacturing			Health and Life Science

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WHAT COULD YOU DO WITH MATHS?

Skill 2

Problem Solving

- Architect
- Engineering
- Surveyor

Skill 4

Logical Thinking

- Logistics Thinking
- IT and Computer Coding
- Game Design

How do your subject skills link to careers?

The skills developed in different subjects will often link to possible careers. Employers will often call them soft skills. These posters are displayed around school. Being able to talk about the skills you have developed is a big focus area when we have asked employers what they want to see. Starting to think about three skills you have and where you have shown them is a good starting point to prepare for future careers...

The careers posters can give you some ideas.



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Alumni...Find out what some of our past students are up to now...

Name	Linda Mogie
Current occupation/job	Customs and International Trade Compliance Manager
When did you attend St Joseph's? (Years)	1987-1994
What did you do when you left St Joseph's?	Started working in the Civil Service
Have you been employed in other roles/professions?	Benefits Processor, Fraud Investigator, Customer Service Manager, Job/Career Coach
What is a typical day in your current job like?	Checking import and export compliance with large multi national companies, speaking with their Tax/Finance/Customs Teams, carrying out compliance checks, processing authorisation requests and visiting business premises nationally.
Which qualifications are needed for the job you do?	To apply for the role, GCSE Maths and English, the recruitment process is based on your experience and ability (competency based). I have completed a Level 4 apprenticeship in Tax whilst carrying out the role.



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Name	Mark Potter
Current occupation/job	Development team lead
When did you attend St Joseph's? (Years)	1997 - 2002
What did you do when you left St Joseph's?	Took a year out to help decide what I wanted to do then went to Northumbria university doing a software engineering degree.
Have you been employed in other roles/professions?	Yes- software engineer and project manager
What is a typical day in your current job like?	No day is ever the same. Writing code, testing and thinking about product architecture. I also need to manage a team of developers. It's not a 9-5 job and offers a lot of flexibility. I can be anywhere in the world and work which is a massive bonus under current circumstances.
Which qualifications are needed for the job you do?	It helps get a foot through any software company door if you have a software engineering degree but not necessary provided you have a portfolio of work and are willing to put the effort in.



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Year 11 Progression- Unifrog

Year 11 have been working with a virtual platform called Unifrog to help prepare for their next steps. Quote from a student.

If your child is in year 11 ask them to log on and show you the platform, you could even do a bit of careers research together.

There are links to webinars, online courses and University and Apprenticeship searches.

ACCESS ALL THE TOOLS BELOW
Exploring pathways

Interests profile
✕ Quiz not taken

Start >

Personality profile
✕ Quiz not taken

Start >

Careers library
✕ Careers favoured

Go to tool >

Subjects library
✕ Subjects favoured

Go to tool >

Know-how library
✕ Guides favoured

Go to tool >

MOOC
Make your first shortlist

Start >

Webinars
Hear directly from the experts

Go to tool >

Read, Watch, Listen
✕ Profiles favoured

Start >

unifrog

HOME FAVOURITES LOCKER APPLY HELP TEACHER >

1 Take the Quiz 2 Explore careers

Interests quiz

How much do you enjoy the activities described below?

It doesn't matter if you've never done them before, you think you're not the best at them, or that they wouldn't lead to a good career: the only thing that matters is how much you enjoy them!

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HOME FAVOURITES LOCKER APPLY HELP

Upcoming Webinars

Join live

Past Webinars

Watch on demand



Explore International Human Rights with the UN

The Holocaust showed the importance of citizenship or 'the right directly to today's international human rights. Even so, many people are discriminated and are deprived of their human rights. This talk...

> Thursday 4 November @ 16:30 UK time - 1hr - sign up >



Demystifying higher/degree apprenticeships

Part of Apprenticeships webinar series >

Do you want to earn a degree and get paid at the same time? If...



DISLIKE

Year 12 Mock Interviews with local Employers and Universities

All year 12 students had the opportunity to take part in a mock interview ran by local employers and universities. Talking through their skills and experience was a great change to prepare for life



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Updates to our website

Careers Programme

- Alumni and Employers
- Career Research Links
- Careers Policy
- Careers Presentations
- Careers Programme Overview
- Careers Statement
- Labour Market Information
- Preparing For Future Pathways

Check out the careers section on our website for lots of links to information which will help students to research different job roles.

Civil engineers		IT project and programme managers	
Weekly Pay £790	Annual Pay £41,080	Weekly Pay £1,040	Annual Pay £54,080
Hours/Week 38h	Hourly Pay £21	Hours/Week 37h	Hourly Pay £28
Workforce Change (projected)		Workforce Change (projected)	
Growth 5.1%	Replacement 39.9%	Growth 5.1%	Replacement 39.9%
<small>The workforce is projected to grow by 5.1% over the period to 2027, creating 4,400 jobs. In the same period, 39.9% of the workforce is projected to retire, creating 34,700 job openings.</small>		<small>The workforce is projected to grow by 5.1% over the period to 2027, creating 4,200 jobs. In the same period, 39.9% of the workforce is projected to retire, creating 33,200 job openings.</small>	
You might find this job in Architectural & related Civil engineering Construction Specialised construction Head offices, etc		You might find this job in Computer programming, etc Financial services Telecommunications Head offices, etc Specialised construction	
More info	Clear card	More info	Clear card

Powered by LMI For All

This is a useful tool that students can use to look at the average pay and jobs available in different areas, use our tool on the careers research page of the website to help.

Employer Videos:

For more information about different job roles have a look at the employer videos on our website. Each video is a quick peek into the roles and responsibilities of different jobs. They will tell you about routes into different careers; the qualifications needed and some of the day to day experiences involved. They are great resources for carrying out some careers research!

<http://www.stjosephs.uk.net/school-life/careers-programme/alumni/>

