

Your Aspirational Future

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CAREERS



raising **A**spirations

Broadening choice

inspiring **C**uriosity

Scholars Club

Symposiums

University Visits

Careers Support

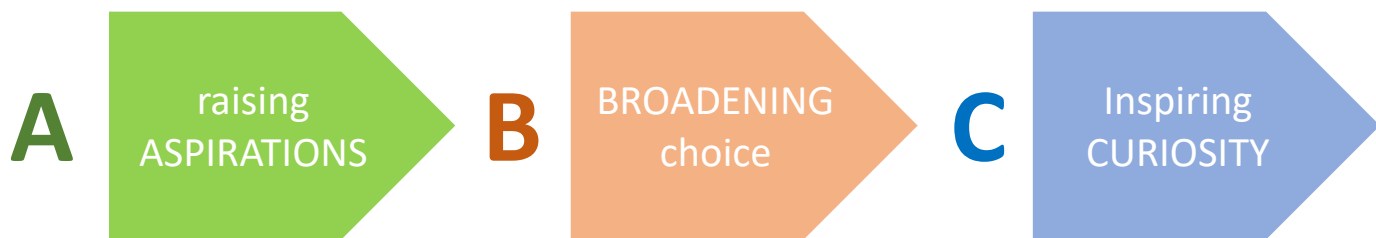
Employability Skills

Student Leadership

Enrichment Trips & Clubs

Careers Speakers, Fairs and Workshops

Key Stage 3 Booklet - for years 7, 8 & 9



A Coordinated Approach to Careers:

At NOA, we offer a coordinated approach to careers that allows for progression, year on year, in terms of raising aspirations, broadening choice and inspiring curiosity. Careers is about equipping each and every student with the necessary aspirations, motivation and skills to make informed choices that enable successful outcomes into viable quality employment.

<p>What is on offer?</p>	<p>As well as a KS3 tutor PSHE Careers programme, there is a wide range of enrichment clubs; careers workshops; careers activities; and careers trips that encompass latest advice, information and guidance on all pathways from apprenticeships to university. For those students with aspirations to top universities, we meet this need with scholars clubs, symposiums and targeted university programmes. NOA work with specialist organisations such as Study Higher and Into University and have many ongoing outreach programmes with universities such as Oxford, Cambridge, Warwick, Reading and Oxford Brookes. Running a successful Apprenticeship Fair for the past 6 years and working closely with RSA Driving Ambition, we also have a wealth of key contacts from business and apprenticeship providers that we can draw on for talks and workshops.</p>
<p>Why are we doing it?</p>	<p>Making informed choices is important for every single student, whether that is GCSE choices at year 9 or choices at post 16/18. For KS3 students this is about providing the platform for them so that it inspires their curiosity in their subjects at a deeper level and to enable them to seek out information so that it broadens their choices.</p>
<p>How will it be useful going forward?</p>	<p>There are key milestones at KS3, 4 and 5 where students need to make choices for their future career pathway. The more connected students can be, between their curriculum subjects and the career choices that are available, skills and qualifications needed and where these will lead will them, the better the outcomes. Lots of opportunities are made available to students throughout their time at NOA but it can take confidence or motivation to apply for them. Raising aspirations and inspiring curiosity will help broaden the choices that are made within and outside of the school experience.</p>

Measuring Impact:

Student & Parent Voice - We will be asking students to complete various surveys throughout their time with us: at the beginning of the year in order to provide baseline data and then at the end of each year to chart changes in aspirations and motivation. Likewise, parental voice will be important in helping us understand these changes, as well as in order to make any amendments to the careers programme.

Attendance, Behaviour & Attainment Data - We will also use this data to help chart any ongoing trends so we can assess the success of the various careers programmes.

RESULTS WILL BE SHARED YEARLY – FIRST REPORT JULY 2020.

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What are my dreams? What types of things do I like doing?

What careers can I choose from? What skills do I have?

		Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term		
		T1	T2	T3	T4	T5	T6	
Year 7							Oxford Uni Workshop: Is HE for me?	
							Link the Skills: Careers Fair	
							Inspirational Speaker	
	After School Enrichment Clubs: Sports/Art/Hospitality							
		Student Leadership: Library assistants / Diversity and Anti-bullying						
		Tutor PSHE: Careers & Enterprise Skills					Tutor PSHE: Careers	
	Mini Work Experience: Student Services Reception							
				Tutor: Symposiums			Tutor: Symposiums	
		Scholars Club			Scholars Club			Scholars Club
Year 8							Oxford Uni Workshop: Is HE for me?	
							Inspirational Speaker	
	After School Enrichment Clubs: Sports/Art/Hospitality							
	Student Leadership: Library assistants / Diversity and Anti-bullying Ambassadors							
		Tutor PSHE: Careers Programme				Tutor PSHE: Careers Programme		
				Debating Club: Visit to Oxford Magistrates		Debating Club: Mock Trail		
				Tutor: Symposiums			Tutor: Symposiums	
	Scholars Club			Scholars Club			Scholars Club	

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What choices are there post 16/18? How can I start my CV & evidence my skills?

What careers match my aspirations?

Autumn Term		Spring Term		Summer Term	
T1	T2	T3	T4	T5	T6
		Tutor PSHE: Careers Programme			Tutor PSHE: Careers Programme
Oxford Uni Workshop: Is HE for me?	Study Higher: Meet the Uni Ambassadors	Study Higher: Choices Workshop	GCSE Options Process		
After School Enrichment Clubs: Sports/Art/Hospitality					
Student Leadership: Form Captains / Diversity and Anti-bullying Ambassadors					
		Business Speaker		Inspirational Speaker	
		Tutor PSHE: Careers Programme			Tutor PSHE: Careers Programme
		Debating Club: Visit to Oxford Magistrates	Debating Club: Mock Trail		
		HEI Visit: Oxford Brookes			Reading University Residential
		NEC STEM: Big Bang Fair			Bronze Crest Award
				Into University: 3 day Leadership Course	Warwick University: Unitracks Application
Duke of Edinburgh - Bronze programme					
Targeted Students: Study Higher Mentoring					
		Tutor: Symposiums		Tutor: Symposiums	
Scholars Club		Scholars Club		Scholars Club	

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At NOA, we believe in developing a sense of responsibility and citizenship in all of our students. Our Student Leadership programme starts at year 7 and continues until end of Sixth Form with multiple opportunities to give back to the community and at the same time develop transferable skills for future careers and for life in general.

Students should look out on Tutor notices for opportunities to apply.

**Head Boy
& Head Girl****Head team
& House Captains****Youth Workers & Prefects****Student Leadership Team, Form Captains,
Library Leaders & Sports Leaders****Anti-bullying Ambassadors, Peer Mentors &
Diversity Team**

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