

Careers Newsletter Term 4

There have been several events this term that have encouraged pupils to think about their skills and future choices.

Careers in the Curriculum

The year 9 maths group taught by Mrs Patch completed some work on Graphs and Charts using current Labour Market Information.

Job Title	Salary
Special needs teacher	£18,000
Professional cleaner	£15,000
Administrative Researcher (Marketing)	£11,000
Job advertisement Marketing (Engineering)	£16,000 (15 Security)
Project Manager (Marketing)	£12,000
Retail Assistant	£16,000
Design Technology Engineer (10 Years)	£13,000
Management Assistant (Marketing)	£17,000
Medical Ward Underpinner (Nursing Work)	£17,000
Pay Staff (Call - call group support)	£18,000 (£18,000)

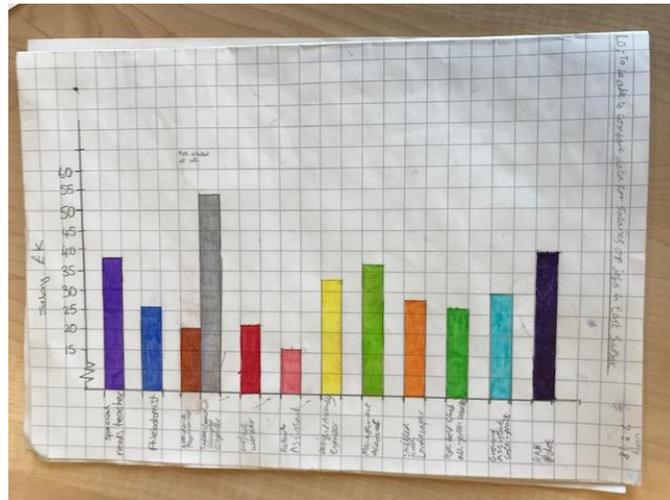
Job Title	Salary
Growing Assistant - Soft Fruit	£15,000 - £16,000
Call Price	About £14,000 (West Coast Region)

Home wage - New job: $170476 - 72 = 170404$

Median: $15,244, 15,100, 22,500, 15,000, 15,192, 21,000, 23,500,$
 $13,800, 15,000, 18,410, 40,000, 56,000$

$(22,500 + 22,500) = 45,000$
 $2 = 22,500$

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Balloon Cars Workshop

Pupils in Year 8 and 9 took part in a workshop run by the University of Brighton STEMsussex to make a Balloon powered car. They had to show skills in creativity, communication, organisation, teamwork, initiative and problem solving.



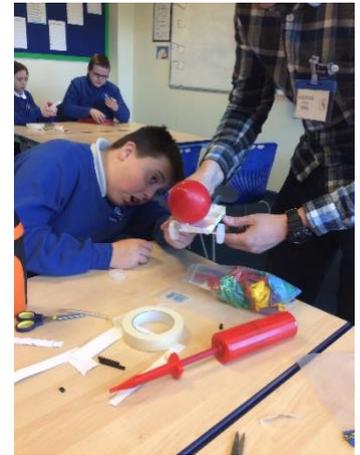
The pupils learned a range of things from this activity.

“...the further apart the wheels are the better it works.”

“...my car went fast and I laughed when it crashed.”

“...the more I blow up the balloon the faster and further it went.”

“...I am slowly learning to co-operate with others.”



My Future Starts Here

Year 8 and 9 pupils have completed their third workshop of the year with My Future Starts Here. The Year 8 session was about raising awareness of different jobs and identifying the skills involved, working patterns and working conditions.

The session for Year 9 was investigating Labour Market Information. Pupils were also shown how to use Labour Market Information to search for jobs in their local area.



What can you do ...?

- ❖ Know what you're interested in and good at
What do you enjoy doing and care about?
- ❖ Keep finding out about the jobs people do.
Talk to people. Look up online .
- ❖ Be well informed about the world.
Ask questions. Be curious .

Keep an open mind ...



YES Interviews

Year 11 pupils have been introduced to the Youth Employability Service. They are a local organisation who can support pupils with the transition to college over the summer holidays and beyond.

College Interviews and Taster Visits

Most of Year 11 have now had their college interviews and have been given places on their chosen courses. Some are busy visiting the college to complete tasters. Many of the pupils will have their taster day after they have finished their exams but we are starting to plan for these visits in our Transition lesson. We have pupils with places at East Sussex College Hastings and Eastbourne, Plumpton, Bexhill and DV8.

Independent Travel Training

Some of the Year 11 pupils have been learning to travel from home to their chosen college. For some this involves walking, some will be getting the bus and others the train. Those that are taking part have said they are feeling good about becoming more independent and it is helping them be more confident about the move to college.