

FEATHERSTONE HIGH SCHOOL

EMPLOYER & EDUCATION/ TRAINING PROVIDER PROSPECTUS



To book any event or ask any questions, please contact:

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WELCOME TO FEATHERSTONE

As an employer, working directly with a school will help your company future proof their recruitment pipeline by equipping young people with the key skills and qualities that employers demand. Moreover, enabling your employees to volunteer with a school is intensely rewarding and can lead to even greater levels of employee engagement and job satisfaction.

As an education or training provider, you could engage students' interest in technical courses that you might offer.

This brochure outlines the key careers events planned for the current academic year. If you are interested in contributing to any of these, or would like to discuss other ways of engaging with your future work force please or student body do get in touch.

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INCLUSION

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

Date	Event	Year Group
02 October 2023	Business Ambassadors	13
11 October 2023	Information Evening	13
20 November 2023	Business Ambassadors	11
29 November 2023	Transitions Evening	11
29 January 2024	Business Ambassadors	12
5-9 February 2024	Science Week	7-13
5-9 February 2024	National Apprenticeship Week	7-13
04 March 2024	Business Ambassadors	10
15 April 2024	Business Ambassadors	9
03 June 2024	Business Ambassadors	8
24-27 June 2024	Workplace visits	8-10
24-27 June 2024	Careers Week	8-10
08 July 2024	Business Ambassadors	7
18-24 July 2024	Work Experience	11-12





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BUSINESS AMBASSADORS

Year 7 - 8th July 2024

Year 9 - 15th April 2024

Year 11 - 20th November 2023

Year 13 - 2nd October 2023

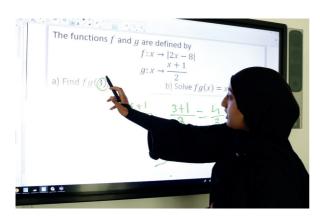
Year 8 - 3rd June 2024 Year 10 - 4th March 2024

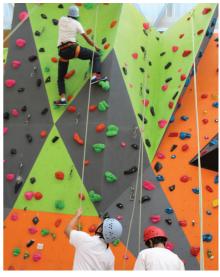
Year 12 - 29th January 2024

THE EVENT IS DURING PSHE LESSONS

PSHE is the part of the curriculum covering areas such as careers education, relationships and other aspects of being a good citizen. The lesson you are part of is related to the careers programme.

During the lesson you will have 10-15 minutes to speak to the class about your job. Areas you might want to cover include the qualifications you gained, your career path and the highlights of your role. This is only a guide and Business Ambassadors interpret this successfully in a variety of ways. If you want to accompany your presentation with a Powerpoint on a USB this is okay, but not expected. After your presentation there will be an opportunity for the students to ask questions before the form teacher leads the remainder of the lesson. This is a series of activities which students work through in groups. During this you will be able to help, giving students a chance to speak further with you. This can be arranged 'face to face' or online.





SCIENCE WEEK

5th -9th February 2024

The school runs a very successful annual Science Week allowing students of all ages to experience STEM beyond the confines of the school curriculum. If you work in STEM and would like to visit school to deliver a workshop or talk about your specialism please contact school.

We also welcome education providers of technical STEM courses the opportunity to explain these to students.

WORK EXPERIENCE

Year 11 Work Experience - June - July 2024 Year 12 Work Experience - 18th - 24th July 2024

Working with industry partners, students in Years 11 and 12 are offered the chance to complete one week's work experience with an employer. Please get in touch if you would be able to offer a placement to a student.

VISITS TO EMPLOYERS: 24TH -27TH JUNE 2024

24th - 27th June 2024

Experiences of workplaces is an important part of a young person's Careers Education. Please get in touch if you would be able to offer a visit for a group of students.



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NATIONAL APPRENTICESHIP WEEK

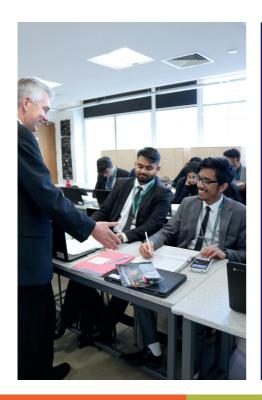
5th-11th February 2024

National Apprenticeship Week is an annual week-long celebration of apprenticeships across England and is a time to recognise and applaud apprenticeship success stories across the country. Please get in touch if you would like to promote apprenticeship opportunities to our students.

CAREERS WEEK

24th-27th June 2024

During the week students in Years 8 and 9 find out about a wide range of career opportunities and pathways through in school workshops and visits to employers. Please get in touch of you would like to facilitate a workshop or host a workplace visit or if you are an educational provider wishing to explain technical qualifications.



"There has never been a more important time for education and business to work meaningfully together for the good of all. My experience tells me that when employers connect with students, they both gain hugely out of the exchanges that are created. Young people are the employees and employers of the future and any opportunity to ignite young minds is an investment for the good."

Carl Ward, Chief Executive, the City Learning Trust and President, the Association of School and College Leaders

PROVIDER ACCESS LEGISLATION

Do you offer outstanding progression opportunities for Featherstone students at the end of Year 11 or Year 13? Education and training providers are welcome to attend weekly assemblies and parents' evenings. Alternatively, we can discuss organising a bespoke event.

Assemblies take place between 08:30 and 08:55

Day	Year group
Monday	7
Monday	12
Tuesday	8
Tuesday	13
Wednesday	9
Thursday	10
Friday	11

Year 13 information Evening: 11th October 2023 Year 11 Transitions Evening: 29th November 2023

Please get in touch to book dates.

VOLUNTEERING OPPORTUNITIES

Featherstone High School students have a vast array of skill and qualities that they are eager to share and develop within their local community. If you need volunteers please get in touch.





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