

Avenue students can expect their career journey to include:

- Individual work related learning and work experience linked to their aspirations and vocational profile
- Access to our careers program on our website
- Opportunities to work in partnership with employers, apprenticeship providers and professional's that they may encounter in their adult life, where appropriate.
- Pupils who are working towards paid employment or apprenticeship, meaningful opportunities linked to an appropriate workplace will be planned for and facilitated following on from a conversation with the team around the young person, where appropriate

The Avenue School will:

- Link personal goals to give students aspirations
 - Engage families in our career programme
 - Use preparing for Adulthood plans, EHCP's & Vocational Profiles to support career decisions based on student aspirations, ability and needs
 - Provide authentic employer encounters



The Avenue School

The Avenue School is fully compliant with the SEND Gatsby Benchmarks and uses the Compass SEND evaluation system to report progress annually

Avenue School Responsibilities

We are responsible for the continuous improvement of our careers provision.

Our careers provision will be published on our website and reviewed annually for Students parents, staff and governors .

We have a named Governor for careers.

We purchase careers activities from 'Quality Award' organisations

It is the responsibility of the team around the young person to actively record progress against the Gatsby Benchmarks using our data recording system, Earwig. Learning records are then used to inform future placements and provision organised by careers lead.

Advice and Guidance

- Careers guidance delivered by the Avenue Scholl will be defined as 'the full range of activities under the 8 Gatsby Benchmarks'
- Personal guidance will be provided by trained staff within the school and sourced externally (CDI)
- Careers lead will keep up to date records of employment and work experience opportunities alongside progress against the Gatsby Benchmarks'