

Team Parental Meeting to introduce Careerpivot: Date: 10th December Year 7, 8, 9 at 3.30pm.

10 and 11 at 4.30pm. Presenter: Mr Caldwell

Careerpilot

Dear Parents

Add in a link to our website and where the ppt will be.

We will be hosting a webinar about Careerpivot and how you can support your child at home to maximise this fantastic resource that our students have FREE access to.

Careerpilot: Free, careers information and tools for 11-19 year olds, all in one place – and a Parent Zone for you!

www.careerpilot.org.uk

[Watch the Careerpivot video which explains what your child can be doing to manage their career.](#)

Careerpilot for 11-19 year olds

[Careerpivot](#) is for 11-19 year olds, it will help you child find out about all your options when they are 14, 16 and 18, including [apprenticeships](#), [college](#), [higher level study](#), etc.

The website also includes tools to help you know more about yourself, explore your options and plan your next steps

- A '[job sector quiz](#)' to help you decide what's important to you
- A '[start with subject](#)' tool that will show you where a subject you love could lead.
- A '[Skills Profile](#)' so you know your skills ready for applications.
- Information on lots of [job sectors](#), with 100s of job profiles, showing salary, what's involved, will this job grow, etc.
- A tool where you can search for [courses and apprenticeships](#).
- **Career Tools** (you have to register to use this) where you can save your choices, skills and plans and create a great report which will move up with you every year..

Over 300,000 young people used the Careerpivot site every year.

97% of users surveyed say the site was useful and 95% said they would use it again and recommend to a friend.

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The Parent Zone

The Careerpivot Parent Zone can help you as a parent/carer get answers to the career questions you want to ask, about:

- Choices at 14, 16 and 18;
- Further Education College;
- Apprenticeships and Traineeships;

- Higher Education (including HE provided at local colleges);
- Job sectors and growth;
- Funding and support.

Answers are clearly written and link to additional information in the Careerpilot website or to other websites.

Access the Parent Zone from the [Careerpilot home page](#) or by clicking on this link [Parent Zone](#)

The site is managed by the Western Vocational Progression Consortium and funded through a partnership of 20 universities.

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Add on if you are a Pathway Planner school.

In 2020-21 we are also excited to be using the Careerpilot Pathway Planner which will help Y11 and Y12 students understand all their options and see how ready they are for their next pathway choice by using a triage tool. The Pathway Planner will help the school target career support to meet the needs of your child.

Yours sincerely

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