## **Gatsby Benchmark Overview**





Benchmark	Q3 Academy Langley Strategy
A stable careers programme.	<ul> <li>Students have a number of different opportunities in Tutor Time to explore different careers.</li> <li>The Aspiration Mornings allow students to continually be exposed to different career paths; each year will allow students to build on their own career path.</li> </ul>
Learning from career and labour market information.	<ul> <li>Regular updated information from the local area provided by Angela Moore will be embedded across Curriculum.</li> <li>Parents' Evening 'Careers Hubs' whereby parents will have information on careers and local market information.</li> </ul>
Addressing the needs of each pupil.	<ul> <li>Students, every year, fill out Aspiration Cards to understand the range of different careers students would like to undertake. This informs planning of Aspiration Days and other career events.</li> <li>Students take part in an Aspiration Day every year, where they can build on their own career path.</li> </ul>
Linking curriculum learning to careers.	<ul> <li>All subject areas will have to map their Curriculum Overviews to include areas of Careers and Enterprise. This includes a wide variety of careers.</li> </ul>
Encounters with employers and employees.	<ul> <li>Students will have a number of Family Lunch guests from a number of different industries. Students will have at least one per term every year.</li> <li>Assemblies also are concentrated around different vocations whereby external providers will come and deliver.</li> <li>Aspiration Days enable students to have a number of different encounters.</li> </ul>
Experiences of workplaces.	<ul> <li>Every student during KS4 and KS5 will have the opportunity to have a week's work experience placement (exact week to be confirmed).</li> </ul>
Encounters with further and higher education.	<ul> <li>During Aspiration Days, students will have a wide access to a number of different of careers these have included different further and high education providers.</li> <li>Year 9 Aspiration Day will focus on different higher education providers.</li> <li>In Year 10, students will have C.V and letter writing workshops delivered by university providers.</li> </ul>
Personal Guidance	<ul> <li>Students will be offered a Careers interview in Year 11 to ensure they have the correct path for them for when they leave the Academy. Q3 Academy Langley will use a mixture of internal and external staff to conduct these.</li> <li>During Tutor Time and Aspiration Days, students are given guidance which allows them to continue to build on their own career path.</li> </ul>

Q3 Academy Langley will review the strategy every year by completing feedback questions and aspirational cards to understand if students require further support with their career plans.