



PROVIDER ACCESS STATEMENT

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This policy statement sets out the school's arrangements for managing the access of providers to pupils at the school for the purpose of giving them information about the provider's education or training offer. This complies with the school's legal obligations under Sections 42A, 42B, 45 and 45A of the Education Act 1997. Section 72 of the Education and Skills Act 2008 • Schedule 4 (15) of the School Information (England) Regulations 2008.

Pupil Entitlement

All pupils in years 8-11 are entitled:

- to find out about technical education qualifications and apprenticeships opportunities, as part of a careers programme which provides information on the full range of education and training options available at each transition point;
- to hear from a range of local providers about the opportunities they offer, including technical education and apprenticeships – through options events, assemblies and group discussions and taster events;
- to understand how to make applications for the full range of academic and technical courses.

Management of provider access requests

A provider wishing to request access should contact:

Mr Ploutos Vourliotis

Careers Leader

0161 248 1550

vourliotisp@stpetershigh.com

Opportunities for access

A number of events, integrated into the school careers programme, will offer providers an opportunity to come into school to speak to pupils and/or their parents/carers:

Yr	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer term
7	Careers Lessons Parents Evening	Industry specific workshops Careers Fair	Inspirational speakers
8	Careers Lessons	Industry specific assemblies Careers Fair	Parents Evening
9	Careers Lessons Parents Evening	Careers Fair Option Assemblies	Industry specific assemblies Inspirational speakers
10	Careers Lessons Industry specific workshops	Mock interviews Parents Evening Careers Fair University visits	Work experience opportunities Inspirational speakers Mock interviews
11	Careers Lessons Post 16 assemblies Parents Evening	Study skills sessions Application form workshop Careers Fair Parents Evening T level assembly Apprenticeship assembly	Summer work placements opportunities GCSE Results day support Apprenticeship workshops

Please speak to our Careers Leader to identify the most suitable opportunity for you.

Premises and facilities

The school will make the main hall, classrooms or private meeting rooms available for discussions between the provider and students, as appropriate to the activity. The school will also make available AV and other specialist equipment to support provider presentations. This will all be discussed and agreed in advance of the visit with the Careers Leader or a member of their team.

Providers are welcome to leave a copy of their prospectus or other relevant course literature in the school library, which is managed by the school librarian. This is available to all students at lunch and break times.

Live/Virtual encounters

The school will consider live online encounters with providers where requested, and these may be broadcast into classrooms or the school assembly hall. Technology checks in advance will be required to ensure compatibility of systems.

Parents and Carers

Parental involvement is encouraged, and parents may be invited to attend the events to meet the providers.

Management

The Careers Leader coordinates all provider requests and is responsible to his senior management line manager.

Complaints Procedure

Any complaints about this policy should be raised to Ploutos Vourliotis:
vourliotisp@stpetershigh.com who will raise the complaint to Mr. Stephen Gabriel, Head Teacher

Monitoring review and evaluation

The Policy is monitored and evaluated annually by senior leadership and the school governing body.
