

## Year 11 Careers Interviews

Dear Y11 students and parents/carers,

To ensure all our students in Year 11 have access to impartial careers advice, we have asked colleagues at Barnsley MBC's TIAG Service to provide this on our behalf.

They have a project funded by ESF called Pathways to Progression which delivers careers guidance to young people from Y11 upwards.

Bethan Gledhill and Linda Vellensworth are the two advisers who will be delivering this service:

- Bethan Gledhill – [bethangledhill@barnsley.gov.uk](mailto:bethangledhill@barnsley.gov.uk)
- Linda Vellensworth – [lindavellensworth@barnsley.gov.uk](mailto:lindavellensworth@barnsley.gov.uk)

They will be running virtual one to one careers appointments via Teams. In line with the school's safeguarding policy, a member of Netherwood staff will also sit in on the interview.

To help you make decisions about the post-16 options for our Year 11 students, Bethan and Linda will help students identify:

- Their future career aspirations
- The pathways available to students to fulfil these aspirations
- The experience and qualifications students may require
- Support that may be needed to help students progress into post-16 education, employment or training.

Everyone taking part will receive a career action plan outlining the steps they need to take to achieve their future goals and Bethan and Linda will undertake regular follow-up meetings throughout the year to make sure students are still on track.

### For Year 11 students:

As this is an ESF funded project, Bethan and Linda will need to complete a registration form to sign you up to the project and will also require you to consent to share your personal information such as your name, address and your desired post-16 destination.

If you want to be part of this careers guidance project, please copy the following paragraph (type your name in the bracket) and send to [careers@astreanetherwood.org](mailto:careers@astreanetherwood.org)

*I want to be part of the ESF Pathways to Progression Careers Guidance Project*

*I confirm that I have been provided with information about the ESF Pathways to Progression and the level of support I can receive. I have provided my consent to share personal information and understand the reasons why this information needs to be collected.*

*I confirm that I am willing to enrol on the project.*

**(Your full name here)**

You must send this to [careers@astreanetherwood.org](mailto:careers@astreanetherwood.org)

Yours Faithfully,

Mr D Bennett - Vice Principal

