

PROVIDER ACCESS POLICY

Introduction

This policy statement sets out the school's arrangements for managing the access of providers to pupils at the school for the purposes of giving them information about the provider's education or training offer. This complies with the school's legal obligations under Section 42B of the Education Act 1997.

Student entitlement

Students in years 8-13 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.
- To understand how to make applications for the full range of academic and technical courses.

Management of provider access requests

Procedure

A provider wishing to request access should contact: *Miss H Clare [Senior Vice Principal]*,
Telephone: 01676 535222

Opportunities for access

Please speak to our named contact to identify the most suitable opportunity for you.

The school policy on safeguarding sets out the school's approach to allowing visitors into school to talk to our pupils.

Premises and facilities

Requirements will all be discussed and agreed in advance of the visit with relevant staff.

Approval and review

To be approved by Governors on 6th February 2018

To be reviewed annually