

Careers and Progression Information Sources for Teachers

Careers learning and teaching at St Olave's are embedded into the curriculum and co-curriculum. Throughout the year there are talks from employers, workshops delivered by careers consultants and visits to exhibitions and seminars. Parents and Old Olavians are active as speakers and mentors. Each academic year has a focus on careers moving from more general exploration at KS3 to specific career guidance in later years. Individual student guidance is provided by a qualified careers consultant as well as from form tutors and heads of year. The full programme is shown on the website.

Display boards in the canteen and Sixth Form Library promote opportunities and provide general information on how subjects relate to careers and show how career choices can be supported by apprenticeships. College and university prospectuses are available to students in the libraries as well as current books published to highlight employment trends, university life and specific careers.



The school intranet - MOODLE

Students can login to Moodle on the school intranet for the latest posts of careers and higher education events.

Unifrog – Classroom careers resources and student profiles <https://www.unifrog.org/>

The **Unifrog** platform enables students in Years 10 to 13 to find out information relevant to their career choices and their progression towards them. Students can record their school, co-curriculum and outside school achievements and activities. This enables them to build a profile ready for creating their own references for work experience, apprenticeships and higher education as well as recognising their competencies and helping their confidence grow.

The platform has information on careers, apprenticeships of all types including higher and degree levels as well as university and college courses here and abroad.

Parents can also use the site although they don't have access to the individual student profile.

Teachers can login to Unifrog and contribute to students' academic and career profiles by adding to the students' interactions section. Here you can record all the careers education and experiences that your students have such as university visits, talks attended and work experience. Both students and teachers can upload work to a student's locker. This can be in the form of essays, videos or pictures. Teachers can see where any student is in meeting the benchmarks of the GATSBY requirements.

The site also has classroom resources relating to careers that are linked directly to subject areas. On-line videos from young people in early careers bring the world of work into the classroom. Students can undertake a wide range of MOOCs and record these on their profile. They can do a fun personality quiz and see how their interests relate to career choices.

Springpod - platform for work experience and early careers information

<https://www.springpod.co.uk/>

This lively platform is useful for students to find work experience and general careers and higher education information. Years 10-13 have logins via their school emails.

Highfliers report – The latest early careers analysis

Annual review of graduate vacancies & starting salaries at the UK's leading employers:

https://www.highfliers.co.uk/download/2020/graduate_market/GM20Report.pdf

University Open Days Calendar and UCAS Guide for Parents:

<http://opendays.com/calendar/>

<https://www.ucas.com/undergraduate/applying-university/ucas-undergraduate-advice-parents-and-guardians>