

Careers Programme: 2025-2026

Yr	Autumn Term 2025	GB	Spring Term 2026	GB	Summer Term 2026	GB
7	<u>Mentor Time</u> – UNIFROG/Careers Activity <u>Aim Higher</u> – various activities on and off site. <u>Aston Villa Football Club</u> <u>Workshops</u> - various activities on and off site.	3,4 2,3,7 3,5	<u>Mentor Time</u> – UNIFROG/Careers Activity <u>Assembly</u> – Introduction to careers education <u>National Apprenticeship Week</u> – 2 nd -7 th February 2026, lunchtime meet and greets with a selection of employers and apprenticeship providers. <u>Aim Higher</u> – various activities on and off site. <u>National Careers Week</u> – W/C 24.02.2026 various activities including Careers Fair	3,4 2 2,3,5,7 2,3,7 2,3,5,7	<u>Mentor Time</u> – UNIFROG/Careers Activity <u>The Big Bang Fair (STEM)</u> <u>Aim Higher</u> – various activities on and off site. <u>Channel 4</u> – 4Schools program: Careers in TV/Film – June 2026	3,4 2,4 5 2,3,7 3,5,7
8	<u>Mentor Time</u> – UNIFROG/Careers Activity <u>Aim Higher</u> – various activities on and off site. <u>Aston Villa Football Club</u> <u>Workshops</u> - various activities on and off site.	3,4 2,3,7 3,5	<u>Mentor Time</u> – UNIFROG/Careers Activity <u>Assembly</u> – Introduction to decision making, body language, different occupations and what skills are needed. <u>National Apprenticeship Week</u> – 2 nd -7 th February 2026, lunchtime meet and greets with a selection of employers and apprenticeship providers. <u>National Careers Week</u> – W/C 24.02.2026 various activities including Careers Fair	3,4 5 2,3,5,7 2,3,5,7	<u>Mentor Time</u> – UNIFROG/Careers Activity <u>Aim Higher</u> – various activities on and off site.	3,4 2,3,7

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9	<u>Mentor Time</u> – UNIFROG/Careers Activity <u>Aim Higher</u> – various activities on and off site. <u>Aspire to Aston</u> programme (30 students) <u>EY Foundation Workshops</u> (40 students) SERTEK Engineering Morning (25 students)	2,5 2,3,7 3,7 3,6,7	<u>Mentor Time</u> – UNIFROG/Careers Activity <u>GCSE Options Assembly</u> <u>GCSE Options Evening</u> – with Mrs Long available <u>National Apprenticeship Week</u> – 2 nd -7 th February 2026, lunchtime meet and greets with a selection of employers and apprenticeship providers. <u>National Careers Week</u> – W/C 24.02.2026 various activities including Careers Fair <u>Aim Higher</u> – various activities on and off site. <u>The Brilliant Club</u> - KS4 Scholars Programme (G&T) <u>Aspire to Aston</u> programme (30 students)	3,4 3,8 3,8 2,3,5,7 2,3,5,7 2,3,7 3,7	<u>Mentor Time</u> – UNIFROG/Careers Activity <u>Aim Higher</u> – various activities on and off site. <u>Aspire to Aston</u> programme (30 students) <u>Money Matters Workshops</u> – PP, LAC, SEND, vulnerable students	3,4 2,3,7 3,7 3,7

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10	Assembly – Apprenticeships and Training with the Belfry Hotel and Golf Resort Taster Days at various colleges - SEN Priority Mentor Time – UNIFROG/Careers Activity Cambridge University Event – seven students with predicted grades of 6+ in more than 5 subject areas. (G&T) Aim Higher – various activities on and off site. Aspire to Aston programme (30 students) EKO Drone Coding Event (60 students, PP, LAC, females, SEND)	5 3.5 3.4 3.7 2.3,7 3.7 2.3,5	National Apprenticeship Week – 2nd-7th February 2026, lunchtime meet and greets with a selection of employers and apprenticeship providers. National Careers Week – W/C 24.02.2026 various activities including Careers Fair Mentor Time – UNIFROG/Careers Activity Aim Higher – various activities on and off site. The Brilliant Club - KS4 Scholars Programme (G&T) Aspire to Aston programme (30 students) Construction Event – Birmingham Ladder/IMAX (30 students)	5 2.3,6,7 3.4 2.3,7 3.7 3.7	Assembly – Amazing Apprenticeships Assembly – T Levels (D. Long) Skills for Success (SMBC) Post 16 IAG Meetings – SEN/LAC Vulnerable PRIORITY Mock Interview Day - May 2026 Work Experience – July 13th-18th 2026 (Virtual and off-site). Mentor Time – CV Building and Post 16 Introduction UNIFEST via Aim Higher Aspire to Aston programme (30 students) Money Matters Workshops – PP, LAC, SEND, vulnerable students	5 7 3.8 3.8 2.3,5,7 6 3 3.7 3.7 3.5,8
11	Post 16 Success Evening – Intro to College/6th form including Post 16 booklet. Post 16 Parents Evening with Mrs Long available Post 16 Assemblies: local feeder colleges and sixth forms Post-16 1-1 Interviews - Mrs Long	3.5,7 8 5.7 8	Assembly - National Citizenship Service Mentor Time – UNIFROG/Careers Activity Skills for Success (SMBC) Post 16 IAG Meetings – SEN/LAC Post 16 Application sessions (lunchtime) National Apprenticeship Week – 2nd-7th February 2026, lunchtime meet and greets with a selection of employers and apprenticeship providers.	3 3.4 8 5.8 2.3,5,7	Careers and progression advice on GCSE results day – Thursday 20th August 2026 Sixth Form Induction Day including preparation work for Post 16 subjects – Various days throughout July 2026 Life at 16 Workshop	8 7 8

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<u>Mentor Time</u> – Post 16 providers throughout October-December 2025 <u>Aim Higher</u> – various activities on and off site. <u>Skills for Success (SMBC) Post 16</u> <u>IAG Meetings</u> – SEN/LAC <u>Aspire to Aston</u> programme (30 students)	3,4 2,3,7 3,5,7 3,7	<u>National Careers Week</u> – W/C 24.02.2026 various activities including Careers Fair	2,3,5,7	
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**** The school outreach program and PSHE curriculum may overlap at times with Careers.**