



World of Work

Year 11 Transition work

As part of the World of Work programme you will be expected to attend a work placement two days a week. Your work placement is an extremely important part of this course. You will be expected to act in a responsible manner while attending it as you will be developing your skills and representing Frome College.



Work placements will increase your knowledge of the type of job you may do in the future, which will help you to make a more informed choice about your career. They will also give you the chance to gain skills that will help you in the future. These skills will make you more employable and we will include these on your CVs. Work placements are an excellent way to help you gain self-confidence.

You will be expected to find your own work placement which will start this towards the end of Term 1. You will be expected to have an idea of where you would like to go on your work placement when you start the course in September. This activity is designed for you to start to think about where you would like to go on your work placement. You can do more than one placement, if you can't decide what you would like to do.

Please choose **one** sector where you would like to work in the future.

Sectors include; health and social care, leisure, hospitality, creative arts, engineering (including car mechanics), construction, marketing, retail, gardening, education.

Carry out research into the following areas;

- Information about what working in this sector involves
- The types of jobs that are available in the sector you have chosen, how
- A list of places of work that are in Frome and the local area for this particular sector
- Research **three** companies from the sector in the local area. Your research needs to include;
 - ✓ the name of the company
 - ✓ what the company does
 - ✓ the aims of the company
 - ✓ the size of the company
 - ✓ Possible jobs within that company. (For example; If you choose leisure, there will be many roles such as; receptionist, fitness instructor, lifeguard, personal trainer, cleaner)
- Explain where you would like to go for your work placement. Why would you like to go there? What do you hope to learn by attending this placement?

You should present your work as an information booklet.

You could use the following website to help you;

<https://www.prospects.ac.uk/jobs-and-work-experience/job-sectors>

If you have any questions, please contact me on the email below.

Please email your completed work to Mrs Hyde at
KHyde@fromecollege.org by 3pm on 20 September 2024