



Investigating Post Year 11 Options

College? Apprenticeship? Traineeship?

Life after Year 11.....

Do you know what kind of course you would like to study after Year 11?

What interests you?

Of course, you may well change your mind as you learn more. Different colleges run different courses, although you will find the same course across some colleges, too.

Then you have to work out which colleges meet your needs in terms of facilities, location and just how you "feel" there.

Please take a look at the college websites on the next pages.

Career Cafes

We will have Career Cafes from September where you can meet most, if not all of these organisations, at dinner time. Please come to the event and meet them. I will be happy to introduce you to them.

Don't worry about college, you will slowly pick up bits of information and work out what is best for you.

You will work with a lovely Adviser from CareersInc and we will help you to work out what is important

Colleges

Importantly, this Autumn term, the colleges have open days and evenings which I strongly advise you to attend. You will be able to meet staff and students, see the facilities and get a feel for the place. Visiting more than one allows you to contrast and compare and work out what is important to you and what some good choices are.

Take a look at the websites, these are the colleges that are most commonly applied to / attended in the schools that I work at in Scunthorpe

www.northlindsey.ac.uk

www.leggott.ac.uk

www.grimsby.ac.uk

www.bishopburton.ac.uk

www.riseholme.ac.uk

A few students have attended www.accesscreative.ac.uk

You might also know of some specific, specialist colleges that might suit your needs

Apprenticeships

Apprenticeships are another possibility and they are advertised on <https://www.gov.uk/apply-apprenticeship> I recommend that you create a log in and you will be sent updates when potentially suitable vacancies are advertised.

Many students in Scunthorpe, if they enjoy tech, maths, science take a look at apprenticeships at HETA www.heta.co.uk and, an interesting one is the Northern Horseracing College in Doncaster www.thenhc.co.uk which offers guaranteed employment, even for people who have never been near a horse previously.

What did you find out?

- Please let us know which courses, colleges and apprenticeships interest you