

## KS5 Real Life Opportunities

*Real life opportunities form the heart of our sixth form curriculum. Daily learning activities are planned to meet the needs of learner groups and individuals, preparing them for adulthood and ensuring they are equipped with the skills needed to thrive in their next destination.*

	Linking curriculum learning with careers (Gatsby Benchmark 4)	Encounters with employers and employees (Gatsby Benchmark 5)	Experience of workplaces (Gatsby Benchmark 6)	Encounters with Further Education and destinations (Gatsby Benchmark 7)	Community	Independent Living Skills
	<p><b>Students in sixth form follow one of three life skills curriculum pathways:</b></p> <p>13S: Learning for Living curriculum based on ASDAN LifeSkills Challenge for some of our complex learners</p> <p>12G: OCR Entry Level in Life and Living Skills at entry level 1,2 &amp; 3</p> <p>12K: ASDAN Certificate of Personal Effectiveness (CoPE) at Level 1 or Level 2</p>					
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Work skills</li> <li>• In-school work experience</li> <li>• Employee of The Month</li> <li>• Tea trolley, recycling, car wash, cleaning and maintenance</li> <li>• Horticulture at allotment</li> <li>• Catering and customer service at The Blossom Tree</li> <li>• Careers and transition lessons</li> <li>• Abberley Care Farm</li> <li>• Enterprise activities</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• NATWEST MoneySense program</li> <li>• Skills Shows</li> <li>• Life Beyond School</li> <li>• Hairdressing at Fundamentals</li> <li>• Visitors at Coffee mornings</li> <li>• Employers Lunch</li> <li>• Workplace and community visits</li> <li>• Talks from providers</li> <li>• CEC EA involvement</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Workplace visits eg supermarkets, garden centres, leisure facilities, H&amp; W Radio</li> <li>• On-going programme of work awareness visits eg post office, community broadcasting, Kemp charity shop, job centre, WFDC,</li> <li>• work experience</li> <li>• Community visits</li> <li>• Using facilities at Vestia</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Skills Shows</li> <li>• Life Beyond School</li> <li>• Visits from providers eg Worcester Apprenticeships, Mencap, 2 Counties, Nova training, Kidderminster College, BMET, HoW, QAC,</li> <li>• Open days and transition activities at colleges</li> <li>• Alumni visits</li> <li>• Visits to social care providers eg Ninevah Ridge, Odell, Muddy boots</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Community facilities eg sports centre, shopping, health, leisure facilities, town hall, RAF Cosford, WFDC</li> <li>• Zumba at Odell Centre</li> <li>• Visits to KDYT</li> <li>• Visits and activities at Ourway</li> <li>• Blossom Tree Cafe &amp; FoSP</li> <li>• NCS residential and project, links with Vale of Eve school</li> <li>• Charity support: Kemp, Crackerjacks, foodbank</li> <li>• Workshops run by 10.32 Children's Centre</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Weekly meal planning, budgeting, shopping, cooking, kitchen management</li> <li>• Using domestic appliances</li> <li>• Laundry and household management</li> <li>• Self-care</li> <li>• Travel training</li> <li>• Using leisure time effectively</li> </ul>