NEW AVENUE SCHOOL

CAREERS NEWSLETTER

CAREERS - SPRING

We have had a busy half term with lots of visitors and events. National careers week 3rd - 8th March

KS2: Pupils took part in different activities in the classroom, looking at different jobs/careers through our own interests, exploring the work of Florence Nightingale Mary Seacole in History. We also had an exciting opportunity to speak with local vets and ask questions about the work they do with animals.

KS3: Pupils had plenty to explore during national careers week. They had a go at searching for future careers in the NHS using an online NHS quiz. There were over 350 careers available in the NHS. Fun classroom activities included charades based around jobs and careers and designing their own businesses in our £10 challenge. The year 9 students had their first visit from our careers advisor from EBP. Each student had an hours sessions with Tracey to discuss their future plans and ideas.

KS4: Pupils also had their first careers session with Tracey. They engaged well in talks about their college applications and future career aspirations. Each pupil were given resources to support further job opportunities. KS4 students also has a visit to a local school who are hosting this years GCSE exams.

VOLUNTEER OPPORTUNITIES

We are looking for volunteer parents, family or friends who might be willing to come into school or via zoom, to talk to our pupils about their careers and jobs.

Students are given the opportunities to meet directly with employers and businesses as part of their careers guidance. Having more familiar faces in school just reduces any worries or concerns pupils might have about meeting new people.

UPCOMING EVENTS

8th May 2025: Get inspired event

Years 6 to year 11

5th June: Your Future

Years 9 and 11

25th June: Inspiring STEM

years 7, 8, 9