

Preparing for your career discussion

Questions to get you thinking

Soon you will be talking with a career adviser in school to discuss your options post Year 13 and beyond.

To make the most of this opportunity you may like to consider the following questions in preparation. Don't worry if you can't answer all the questions.

Do you know what you want to do in the future? Do you already have a career in mind?	
What steps have you taken to research or start to working towards your goals?	
What are you thinking of doing after year 13?	
What do you know about the options after year 13?	
Do you know how to find information about university, apprenticeships, gap year options or work?	
When do you think you need to make a decision by and apply by?	
How are you getting on in sixth form? What subjects do you study and how are you getting on with these?	
Do you have any hobbies, extra-curricular activities or responsibilities outside school?	
Do you have a part-time job? If so, what do you do?	
Did you undertake work experience in Y10? What do you have planned for Y12? Have you thought about what you hope to get out of the experience?	
Where do members of your family work?	
Do their roles interest you? Why/ why not?	
What would you like to use your career interview to discuss?	