Provider Access Policy

This is a policy of JFS School.

Introduction:

This policy statement sets out the school's arrangements for managing the access of providers to pupils at the school for the purpose of giving them information about the provider's education or training offer. This complies with the school's legal obligations under Section 42B of the Education Act 1997.

Pupil Entitlement:

All pupils in year 8 to 13 are entitled:

- 1. to find out about technical education qualifications and apprenticeships opportunities, as part of a careers programme which provides information on the full range of education and training options available at each transition point;
- 2. to hear from a range of local providers about the opportunities they offer, including technical education and apprenticeships through options events, assemblies and group discussions and taster events;
- 3. to understand how to make applications for the full range of academic and technical courses.

Management of provider access requests

Procedure

A provider wishing to request access should contact: Miss Zuha Mirza, Careers Leader

Telephone: 020 8206 3100

Email: mirza@jfs.brent.sch.uk

Opportunities for access

A number of events, integrated into the school careers programme, will offer providers an opportunity to come into school to speak to pupils and/or their parents/carers:

	Autumn Term	Spring Term	Summer Term
	Assembly and tutor	assembly and tutor	
Year 7	group opportunities	group opportunities	KidZania Trip
	assembly and tutor	assembly and tutor	
year 8	group opportunities	group opportunities	Industry (Careers) Day
		GCSE options event;	assembly and tutor
	assembly and tutor	Volunteering Fair with	group opportunities;
year 9	group opportunities	JLGB	Careers Day
		Careers and	
	assembly and tutor	Volunteering Fair	assembly and tutor
year 10	group opportunities	(optional)	group opportunities
	assembly and tutor	assembly and tutor	
	group opportunities;	group opportunities;	
year 11	PSHE; taster days	PSHCE;	N/A
		Careers and	Futures Week;
	Tutor group/assembly	Volunteering Fair;	Apprenticeship and
year 12	opportunities	Alumni Day	University Fair
	Tutor group/assembly	Tutor group/assembly	
year 13	opportunities	opportunities	N/A

Please speak to our Careers Leader to identify the most suitable opportunity for you.

Premises and facilities

The school will make the main hall, classrooms or private meeting rooms available for discussions between the provider and students, as appropriate to the activity. The school will also make available AV and other specialist equipment to support provider presentations. This will all be discussed and agreed in advance of the visit with the Careers Leader or a member of their team.

Providers are welcome to leave a copy of their prospectus or other relevant course literature at the Careers Resource Centre, which is managed by the school librarian.

The Resource Centre is available to all students at lunch and break times.

Approval and review

Approved January 2019 by Governors at Curriculum and Standards Committee

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Signed:

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