



**PROVIDER ACCESS  
POLICY**  
*(Provider Access Legislation)*

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## Introduction

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

## Student Entitlement

All students in years 8-11 are entitled to:

- Find out about technical education qualifications and apprenticeship opportunities, as part of a planned careers programme which provides information on the full range of education and training options available at each key transition point.
- Hear from a range of local and national providers about the opportunities they offer, including technical education, traineeships and apprenticeships- through options events, enrichment days, assemblies, parents' evenings, personal development lessons (tutorial), school trips, group sessions and taster events.
- Understand how to make applications for the full range of academic, vocational and technical courses.

## Management of provider access requests

### *Procedure*

A provider wishing to request access should contact Mrs Debbie Crossley, Careers Advisor

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Email: [d.crossley@thebolsoverschool.org.uk](mailto:d.crossley@thebolsoverschool.org.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 students and/or their parents/carers:

Year Group	Autumn term	Spring Term	Summer Term
Year 8	Tutorial assemblies	Assemblies Tutorial Careers Talks Parents Evening	Assemblies Tutorial Careers Talks
Year 9	Parents' Evening Tutorial	Assemblies Tutorial Careers Talks Parents Evening	Assemblies Tutorial Careers Talks
Year 10	Assemblies Tutorial Careers talks	Industry Day Tutorial Careers Talks	Assemblies Tutorial Careers Talks Parents Evening
Year 11	Post 16 Taster Day Assemblies Tutorial Careers Talks	Assemblies Tutorial Careers Talks Parents Evening	Assemblies Tutorial Lunch time drop-in sessions

## *Premises and facilities*

The Bolsover School ensures that relevant space is made available.