

## **Baker Clause Policy Statement**

## Access arrangements for technical, vocational and apprenticeship providers

Esteem Valley Academy use the Gatsby 8 Benchmarks to inform the provision of Careers Education, Information and Guidance (CEIAG) delivered. As part of our commitment to informing students of the full range of learning and training routes available we consider requests from training providers, vocational education routes and apprenticeship providers to speak to students and will also approach these partners ourselves when planning and organising key CEIAG events throughout the school year.

## **Opportunities for access**

A number of opportunities exist within the CEIAG programme which may be suitable for providers to visit the school to speak to students.

All requests should be emailed at least 6 weeks in advance of an expected date for the planned session. All requests will be given due consideration from the designated Careers Leader and Senior Leadership. Requests will be refused if:

- they impinge on students preparation for public or internal exams
- they clash with other planned school events
- the school is unable to provide staff to support the event
- rooming is unable to be found due to timetabling clashes

In the first instance, requests by providers should be sent to the designated Careers Leader Geraint Brown via email at gbrown@esteemvalleyacademy.co.uk.

For questions on this or the wider CEIAG programme at AVESC, please do not hesitate to get in contact.

The following policies may also apply to interested providers:

Careers Education, Information, Advice and Guidance (CEIAG) Policy

Safeguarding and Child Protection Policy