

## Careers information for Employers

Research has shown the value that employers bring when they engage with schools is significant:

- Young adults who have greater levels of contact with employers whilst at school are significantly less likely to become NEET (not in education, employment or training) and can expect, when in full-time employment, to earn up to 18% more than peers who had no such workplace encounters.
- Engagement not only allows employers to add value to schools and the lives of young people, but young people and schools in turn give huge value to employers. Employers have said that volunteering their time to help young people has been really rewarding
- Employers can bring valuable insight and ways of looking at learning from a different perspective. This can be motivational and aspirational for students
- Employers can be positive role models
- You may find your next Apprentice or employee here!

Ansford Academy has good links with the local community and is pleased to work in partnership with local companies and professionals with initiatives that support the Careers Programme such as:

- Work experience for Year 10 students
- Mock interviews for Year 11 students
- Careers talks for all year groups
- Careers Fair
- Volunteering
- Apprenticeships
- Job vacancies

If you would like to be involved in any of these initiatives to support Ansford students with their Career learning and preparation for the working world, or would like to offer any work related opportunities or advertise vacancies, please contact our Careers Adviser, Wendy Watson.

If you have any questions, requests or feedback about our Careers Programme, detailed in the link from the main page, we'd be pleased to hear from you: [wendy.watson@ansford.net](mailto:wendy.watson@ansford.net)

Thank you and look forward to hearing from you