



Provider Access Policy

Introduction

This policy statement sets out the school's arrangements for managing the access of providers to students 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.

Student Entitlement

All students in years 10-13 are entitled 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;
- 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;
- understand how to make applications for the full range of academic and technical courses.

Management of Provider Access Requests

A provider wishing to request access to our students should contact Mark Ollerenshaw (Vice Principal and Careers IAG Co-ordinator) who will be happy to arrange for you to come in to discuss your educational provision with our students during our Information, Advice and Guidance time at 3.15 p.m. on Fridays.

Email: mollerenshaw@rondearingutc.com

The following events, integrated into the school careers programme, also offer providers an opportunity to come into school to speak to students and/or their parents/carers:

Year Group	Event	Term
Year 10	Post 16 Progression Planning Evening	Summer
Year 12	Post 19 Progression Planning Evening	Summer

Please email Mark to discuss your attendance at these events.

Premises and facilities

RDUTC will make the conference centre, 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 Zone, which is managed by the school librarian. The Careers Zone is available to all students at lunch and break times.

Signed:

(Chair of Governors)

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