

Todmorden High School Provider Access Policy

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 years 8-13 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;
- 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;
- to 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 should contact Alice Coates, Deputy Head. Telephone: 01706 813558 Email:

a.coates@todhigh.co.uk or Leigh McDermott, Careers Leader, Telephone: 01706 813558 Email:

l.mcdermott@todhigh.co.uk

Opportunities for access to a number of events

The following examples are integrated into the school careers programme, they will offer providers an opportunity to come into school to speak to pupils and/or their parents/carers:

Employment based speakers from a range of backgrounds including Civil Engineering, Investment banking

Further & Higher education providers attending several planned, dedicated careers fairs

Bespoke access to careers professional with an extensive background in the field