

Gatsby Benchmarks

What are the 8 Gatsby Benchmarks?

As part of the statutory career requirements, every school should aim to meet the 8 Gatsby Benchmarks and we are working towards achieving 100%. They define what world class careers provision in education looks like and provide a clear framework for organising the careers provision in schools or colleges and are integral in preparing young people for the transition between school and post-16.

The 8 benchmarks are:

- A stable careers programme.
- Learning from career and labour market information.
- Addressing the needs of each pupil.
- Linking curriculum learning to careers.
- Encounters with employers and employees.
- Experiences of workplaces.
- Encounters with further and higher education.
- Personal guidance.

Further detailed information on each benchmark can be found at https://www.goodcareerguidance.org.uk/benchmarks-and-background