Dear Parents and Carers

**Careerpilot - Free access to careers information and tools for 11-19 year olds, all in one place – and a Parent** **Zone for you!**

**[Click here to watch a short video which explains how your child can use Careerpilot to explore and plan their future career.](https://youtu.be/N1ATB542QSc)**

[Careerpilot](http://www.careerpilot.org.uk/) is for 11-19 year olds, it will help your child/teen find out about all their options when they are 14, 16 and 18, including [apprenticeships](https://www.careerpilot.org.uk/information/apprenticeships), [college](https://www.careerpilot.org.uk/information/further-education-at-16), [higher level study](https://www.careerpilot.org.uk/information/higher-education-at-18), etc.

The website can be accessed by phone or computer and features tools and activities to help your young person to know more about themselves, explore their options and plan their next steps, including:

* a [‘job sector quiz’](https://www.careerpilot.org.uk/job-sectors/) to help decide what’s important to them in a job
* the ‘[start with subject’](https://www.careerpilot.org.uk/job-sectors/subjects) tool that will show where a subject they love could lead
* a [‘Skills Profile’](https://www.careerpilot.org.uk/skills-profile) to identify their skills and get ready for talking about them in applications
* information on lots of [job sectors](https://www.careerpilot.org.uk/job-sectors), with 100s of job profiles, showing salary, what’s involved, the routes in, will this job grow and live vacancies
* a tool to search for [courses and apprenticeships](https://careerpilot.org.uk/courses)

**Careerpilot Parent Zone**

The Careerpilot Parent Zone provides you with the answers to some frequently asked questions you may have about:

• choices at 14, 16 and 18

• further education college

• apprenticeships and traineeships

• higher education (including HE provided at local colleges)

• job sectors and growth

• funding and support

**Access the Parent Zone from the top of the** [**Careerpilot home page**](http://www.careerpilot.org.uk/) **or by clicking on this link** [**Parent Zone**](https://www.careerpilot.org.uk/parent-zone)

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