

HELP YOUR CHILD GO FURTHER IN LIFE

Speakers for Schools offer enhanced careers support for free!

Dear Parent/Carer,

We are very pleased to announce that your child's school/college will be working closely with Speakers for Schools, as part of our new FREE Pathway Partnership pilot scheme, for the academic year 2023–24.

Speakers for Schools is a UK-wide youth charity dedicated to helping students who attend state schools and colleges find their footing in life. Since our launch in 2010, we have supported more than 1.3 million young people to learn about careers and feel more empowered about their future.

From inspirational talks with high-profile leaders, celebrities and authors to eye-opening work experience with leading employers, we offer highly effective ways for 11-19-year-olds to expand their networks and develop the necessary confidence, skills, and knowledge to become better prepared for the world of work.



Research shared by The Sutton Trust revealed that, despite accounting for just 7% of the pupil population, privately educated people occupy around 40% of 'top jobs' in this country. Yet research has also shown that they do so with the same academic grades as their state-educated peers.

At Speakers for Schools, we believe that where a young person ends up in life should not be limited by where they live, the sort of school they attend, or who their parents/carers know.

We're all about giving young people from state schools and colleges fairer access to the opportunities they deserve at no cost to their school/college or to you as parents/carers.

That's why this year we will be working closely with your child's school/college to map out a bespoke calendar of fully funded career-related activities for the current academic year to support students from Year 7 through to Year 13.

To ensure that your child benefits from the FREE career-related activities on offer for their year group, please encourage them to look out for upcoming announcements from their careers lead & get involved.

We can't wait to help your child feel more confident about their future.

Yours Sincerely,





about our programmes, campaigns and impact

