Bath College Provider Access Statement 2022-2023

This Policy statement sets out Bath Colleges approach for managing the access of providers to students at the college for the purpose of giving them information about the provider's education or training offer. This complies with the Colleges legal obligations under Section 42B of the Education Act 1997.

Student Entitlement

All students aged between 14 and 18 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.

Co - ordination of provider access requests

A provider wishing to request access should contact Careers Leader - Sadie Ibbotson

Telephone: 01225 328597

Email: sadie.ibbotson@bathcollege.ac.uk

Opportunities for access

Bath College offers a comprehensive Careers and Employability offer and an overview of this programme can be seen on our website.

Providers are welcome to leave a copy of their prospectus or other relevant course literature at the College. Bath College will also make a suitable space available for discussions between the provider and students, as appropriate to the activity. We will also make available ICT and other specialist equipment to support provider presentations.

This will be discussed and agreed in advance of the visit with the Careers Lead to ensure opportunities to speak to students are meaningful and develop the skills, knowledge and behaviours necessary for meaningful progression.

Bath College runs a number of events, integrated into its careers programme, and will offer opportunities to engage with our students throughout these events. However, some these events may be cancelled or postponed due to on-going situation with Covid 19.

All events will be risk assessed.