

Year 11 Transition and NEET Prevention 2022

We've got your back

2022

Why a focus on transition

- To ensure all young people have the information and support to make a smooth transition to their Post 16 destination.
- To enable Year 11 students to become independent learners.
- To reduce the negative impact of covid on this year's school leavers
- To reduce the risk of a spike in Neet and unknown

Impact of Covid on Current Year 11's



Missed education



Inequality & Poverty



Mental health
& wellbeing



Social Media



Strained
relationships

Rise in NEET or Unknown

What are young people are telling us

Life is on hold

- I feel worried, anxious, stressed
- I miss my friends
- I'm bored
- Everyone is saying Covid will ruin my life chances
- I've enjoyed being with my family
- My friends have been there for me and me for them.

My friends have been there for me

No jobs

No motivation and low aspirations

What can we do?



10 Must Do's for Transition

SECURE	Secure post 16 EET destinations
PREPARE	Provide curriculum time to prepare for transition
EQUIP	Make sure students have the tools they need – bus passes, bank account, photo id
SHARE	Share information about individual students to help post 16 meet their needs
COMMUNICATE	Make sure all key stakeholders have the right information
LINK	Work in partnership with post 16 providers
BUILD	Develop the employability and life skills students need
SUPPORT	Provide information about support services
CELEBRATE	Celebrate the success of their school career
TRACK	Track them into their destinations

SCHOOLS & Post 16 – Summer Term (April to May)

Secure offers & Destinations

Support and Advice

Transition readiness programme & Activities

Links with Post 16

Promote summer activities

Communicate with parents

Celebrate success

STUDENTS - Summer break (June to August)

Participate in activities to develop skills.

Check emails, letters, texts from your college, 6th form or training provider.

Engage in prep work set by course tutors including summer camps.

Get ready – email account, bus pass, photo ID.

Visit your destination (live or virtual)

RESULTS DAY 25 AUGUST 2022
Review grades and seek advice

Check enrolment information

SCHOOLS & POST 16 – Sept to Oct (Autumn Term)

Enrolment

Induction

Monitoring and reviewing progress

Support and advice

Tracking destinations

Check contact details

IAG Year 11's

Transition Ready Activities

Before Year 11's leave, schools may wish to deliver some focused activities to get students ready for their next steps. You will find resources in the Transition Guide to support the delivery of sessions.

Transition Readiness	The World of Work	Skills development
Preparing for Transition	Employer encounters	Skills for Life
Practical support	Work Experience	Promoting Summer activities e.g NCS, Manchester Active
Getting to know post 16	Mentoring	Volunteering

Skills for Life – Skills for transition



Targeted Offer – Risk of NEET (RONI)

- 2022 -Total Year 11 cohort size = 6,460 students
- **Medium Risk** – numbers of students with one risk factor
684 students (10.6% of cohort)
- **High Risk** – Numbers of students with multiple risk factors
601 students (9.3% of cohort)

What we can do

Whole school
approach to
transition



Targeted offer

- Named member of staff to provide additional support
- Identify 'those at risk'
- Transition plans (EHCP, E-Pep's)
- Practical support – email account, bus pass, photo id.
- Check student has an appropriate Post 16 offer.
- Links with post 16 – campus visits, staff/student interviews
- Parents and carers

Information sharing

The sharing of information between high schools and post 16 providers regarding vulnerable students enables colleges, sixth forms and training providers to:

- Protect students where there are safeguarding concerns
- Prepare bespoke support packages
- Identify gaps in provision
- Build relationships

Processes need to be GDPR compliant, and students should give consent if possible.

Transition referral form in Transition Guide

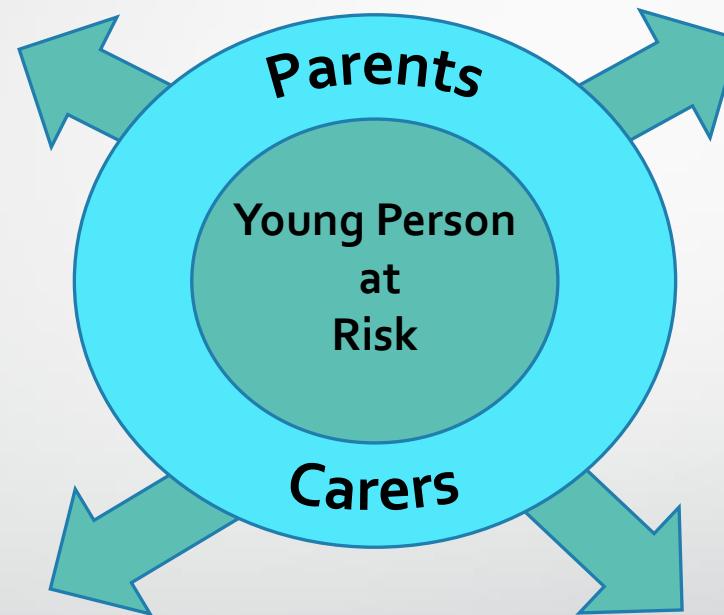
Partnership working

Post 16 Sector

- Colleges
- Sixth Forms
- Training Providers

NEET Support Services

- Career Connect
- The Growth Company (ESF NEET)
- Prince's Trust
- Manchester SENDIASS



Manchester City Council

- Early Help
- Social Care
- Attendance
- Virtual School
- Young Carers Lead
- EHCP Team
- Transitions Team
- Work and Skills

Youth Support and Skills Development

- NCS
- The Growth Company
- MCRActive
- VCSE Summer programmes

Career Connect – NEET Prevention Service

Prevention role – to support transition of 'high risk' students

- Maintain contact across the summer break.
- Provide advice and guidance and secure offers
- Broker other support to reduce barriers to participation.
- Support for enrollment and induction
- Share information with post 16
- Support for parent / carers

eet@careerconnect.org.uk or manchesteresf@careerconnect.org.uk

Tel: 0161 232 7863

Other support available

- Growth Company ESF NEET Programme.
- Princes Trust
- National Citizenship Service
- Voluntary Sector Youth Provision
- Rising Stars Fund
- Our Pass

Transition Guide 2022

- Detailed description of universal and targeted offer
- Whole school approach – roles and responsibilities
- Timetable – Spring to Autumn
- Partnership model – post 16 and wider partners
- Tools to support transition
 - Referral Forms
 - Consent form
 - Transition plan template
 - Links to partner agencies

Transition Guide 2022

Together we can let the 2022 High School Leavers know that:



WE CARE ABOUT THEM AND THEIR FUTURES AND
WE ARE WORKING HARD TO SUPPORT THEM IN THEIR NEXT STEPS



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