

# Careers Programme Overview

## 2023/24 Loreto Sixth Form College



**Loreto**  
sixth form college

### Our Mission:

Loreto's careers provision aims to contribute to the skills needs of all learners to ensure that all young people are able to develop the skills needed to achieve paid employment, skills of independence and develop themselves beyond the classroom in preparation for adulthood. All students at Loreto College are entitled to impartial careers advice, and a range of career related activities and events to keep them informed of a range of Careers opportunities relevant to their needs and to current Labour Market needs.

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## Focus and Themes

### Lower Sixth

#### TERM 1 FOCUS AND THEMES

Introduction to careers  
Employability and intro to Unifrog  
Enrichment tailored to students talent and aspirations  
Apprenticeship club Launch  
Work experience week  
Careers in your subjects

#### TERM 2 FOCUS AND THEMES

Labour Market information  
National Apprenticeship week  
National Careers Week

#### TERM 3 FOCUS AND THEMES

Green Careers/Green Skills  
Careers, Destinations and Next Steps

### Upper Sixth

#### TERM 1 FOCUS AND THEMES

Personal statements  
University Open Days  
Admissions tests and interviews  
Work experience  
Careers in your subjects

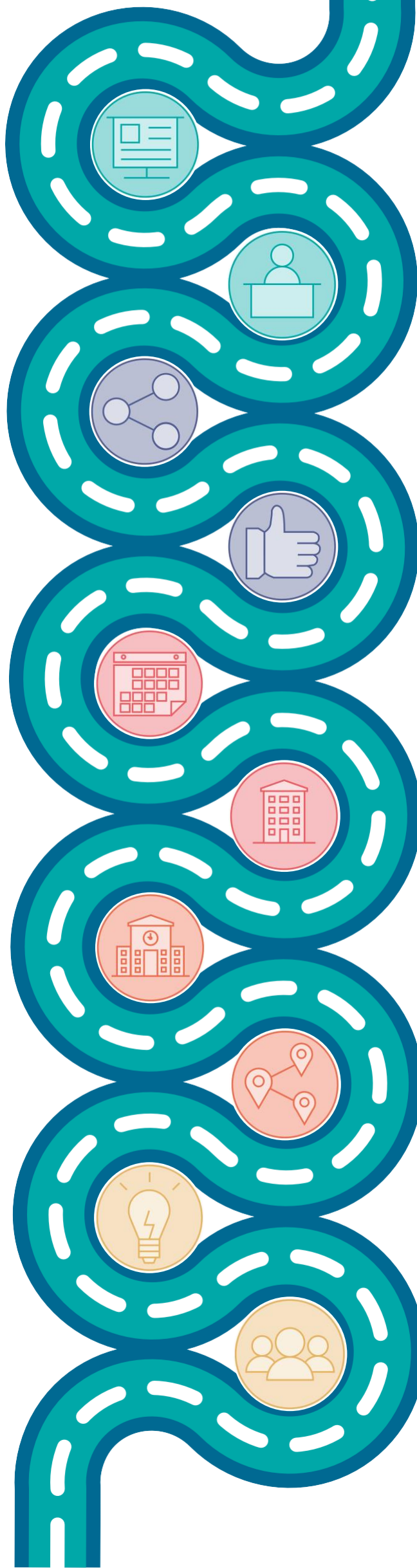
#### TERM 2 FOCUS AND THEMES

Labour Market information  
National Apprenticeship week  
National Careers Week  
Preparing for receiving university offers and interviews

#### TERM 3 FOCUS AND THEMES

Green Careers/Green Skills  
Careers, Destinations and Next Steps

*\* In addition to the above, pathways students enjoy a programme of study centred around careers and development of career related skills*



## Key Events and Experiences

### Lower Sixth

#### TERM 1 KEY EVENTS

Welcome to careers tutorial and parents conference  
Employability and CV writing tutorial  
Unifrog tutorial  
Freshers Fair- enrichment/volunteering/work experience opportunities  
Launch of Uptree  
Targeted careers advice for SEND and Pathways students\*

#### TERM 2 KEY EVENTS

Speakers and events relating to growth areas in GM  
Speakers and trips relating to apprenticeship opportunities  
Looking to Level 3 tutorial (L2 students)

#### TERM 3 KEY EVENTS

Talks and drop in's on Green Careers  
Targeted careers advice for L2 students  
Apply 2025 tutorial's  
Progression tutorial (University of Manchester)  
UCAS sign up  
Careers Fair and Work Experience Day

### Upper Sixth

#### TERM 1 KEY EVENTS

UCAS early applicant deadline- 2nd October 2023  
1:1 personal statement support from HE partners  
MDVH/OXBRIDGE support  
University talks from HE partners (including access schemes)  
Apprenticeship talks and monthly emails  
Apprenticeships and Degree Apprenticeships tutorial  
Interviews tutorial  
Targeted careers advice for SEND and Pathways students\*

#### TERM 2 KEY EVENTS

Speakers and events relating to growth areas in GM  
Speakers and trips relating to apprenticeship opportunities  
UCAS equal consideration deadline- 31<sup>st</sup> Jan 2024  
University interviews tutorial  
UCAS- what happens next & Grants and Loans tutorial  
Gap year tutorial

#### TERM 3 KEY EVENTS

Student finance deadline for 'Apply 24' (May)  
Targeted support for students with no progression plan  
Next Steps Parents Conference  
Results Day support