



BOURNE AMBASSADORS MENTORING PROGRAMME



Our Commitment

The aim of the Bourne Ambassador Programme is to provide every 6th Form Student with a business mentor throughout the duration of their two-year studies.

Our intention is to ensure all our students leave with not only excellent academic qualifications but also with the vital life skills, confidence and self-belief they will need to achieve their full potential in today's competitive business environment.

Bourne Ambassadors are enthusiastic and inspiring individuals who are willing for a student to visit them in their workplace or virtually five or six times a year. They are professional men and women from a variety of backgrounds who can help aspire and motivate the next generation.

This innovative mentoring programme creates a rewarding experience for both students and Bourne Ambassadors. It shapes the future choices of our students and challenges them to be successful businessmen and women of the future.



Make a Difference

The Bourne Academy holds at least three Bourne Ambassador events a year:

- Business Network Evening
- Training Support Session for Mentors
- Business Breakfast

These events ensure that 'Bourne Ambassadors' feel an integral part of developing our students and feel fully supported. They also enable students to develop vital networking and presentation skills.



Bourne Ambassador Commitment

The Bourne Ambassador scheme is integral to our aim to engage local and national employers. It allows a professional relationship between student and mentor that can be adapted to meet the unique needs of each student.

Ambassadors will:

- Offer support and advice to students on their future choices
- Give their Mentees an insight into the business and working world
- Have a free DBS check
- Be provided with full training and support from the Bourne Academy Sixth Form staff.

Our 6th Form students will benefit from:

- Improved confidence and social skills
- Greater motivation
- Increased understanding of employers needs.



Courses currently offered at Sixth Form

- Acting
- Biology
- Business Studies
- Chemistry
- Criminology
- Dance
- Digital Film & Video Production
- English
- Fine Art
- Forensic & Criminal Investigations
- History
- Geography
- Mathematics
- Modern Foreign Languages
- Music: Rock School
- Performing Arts
- Photography
- Physics
- Product Design
- Psychology
- Religious Studies
- Sociology
- Sport
- Travel & Tourism

These subjects provide students with a relevant and challenging course that has links to both local and national employers and Higher Education providers.



Careers

The Bourne Academy has been recognised for its excellent work in Careers and was one of the first Schools to meet all the accreditation criteria outlined in the Gatsby Benchmarks. Furthermore, the Academy has achieved the Quality In Careers Standard, through Investors In Careers, the gold standard of Careers guidance measurements. We are also the lead school for Careers in the local area.



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