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“Every young person should have the chance to succeed”

Prince's Trust Vision

Subject Overview and Curriculum Intent

Students in Year 10 and 11 do the Prince's Trust Personal Development and Employability (PDE) Course. Where possible, PDE is tailored to the individual needs of the student. Students complete a minimum of 2 units to gain a qualification, but it is hoped that most pupils will complete up to 6 units. The qualification is offered at Level 1 and Level 2. The Prince's Trust PDE Award recognises a breadth of personal skills, qualities and attitudes required by employers across a range of sectors and prepares students for future careers.

Students are taught 4 units across Year 10 and 3 units across Year 11.

The course encourages and provides opportunities for individual and group projects so students can practise and develop communication, negotiation, problem solving and teamwork skills. The Intent of the Prince's Trust is to prepare pupils for adult life in key areas such as managing money, considering career options, experiencing the world of work and learning digital skills.

Assessment and Progress

Students produce a portfolio of evidence for each unit to meet the identified criteria. Once assessed by their teacher, the work is then internally and externally moderated by the Prince's Trust.

Link for more information

<https://www.princes-trust.org.uk/help-for-young-people/unlock-your-potential/expl-re-your-potential/achieve-learning-hub/2021-pde-qualification-resources>

Progression of Knowledge and Skills

PRINCE'S TRUST Curriculum Overview (including progression in key knowledge and skills) - Yr 10 and 11 2023-24

	Y10			Y11		
TERM	T1	T2	T3	T1	T2	T3
Topic to be covered	Presentation Skills	Enterprise Project	Digital skills	Career planning World of Work	Managing money	Year 11 to complete unfinished booklets. Exam revision and preparation for other subjects. Ensure college placements etc are in place
Key Knowledge 'learn that'	develop their understanding of the benefits and different purposes presentations	Know how to plan, deliver and review an enterprise project Know the importance of timekeeping and monitoring Know what is	Know about e-safety including a secure password and protection against online threats Know about the importance of digital skills in	Know about the importance of social media in researching jobs, careers and college places Know how to apply for post-16 opportunities	Understand basic principles around personal money management Know about the function of banks and financial services Advantages and	

	Explain why presentations are used	meant by a successful enterprise project	certain jobs Knowledge of what makes a successful team, how to be a positive team member and	Know how to identify key skills Importance of health and safety at work	disadvantages of borrowing Know about the minimum wage	
Misconceptions						
SKILLS <i>'Learn how to'</i>	Preparation Develop fact based research Clarify arguments and ideas Communication Public communication to a group Receive feedback Confidence, self esteem	develop their enterprise skills by planning, costing, promoting and selling a product or providing a service. Self reflection	Digital skills Computer skills Word Processing Spreadsheets Teamwork - Develop skills of cooperation and communication. Reflect on own experience and strengths and areas that can be developed.	Identify career options Produce a CV which highlights skills, achievements and experiences Create a good impression at interview Communication skills in mock interview Punctuality, attendance, team building, negotiation, confidence, self esteem and politeness are all skills learnt on WEX.	How to produce a budget How to protect yourself from fraud	
Key concepts	Presentation - preparation and delivery Materials Feedback	Planning Research Review	Security Employment Digital skills	Interview Application Working with a line manager and colleagues.	Saving and borrowing Budgeting Wages	

Key Vocabulary	Presentation Facts Arguments Opinion	Enterprise Product	Password Security Threats Phising	Curriculum Vitae, Interview, Skills, Knowledge, Experience, Apprenticeship, NVQ, BTEC.	Budget, Wages, deductions, tax, savings, banks, building societies, minimum wage, debt, borrowing	
Literacy	Oral communication Explain, describe This unit is linked to Functional Skills Speaking And Listening in English	Creating plans Reviewing Explain and describe sentences		Producing CV Writing expressively and in full sentences Explain and describe	Writing in sentences, describe and explain	
Numeracy		Financing, charging, estimating		Gradings, Annual and monthly/weekly pay	Budgeting, working out tax, analysing payslip	
SMSC	Public communication Sharing And presenting of ideas and opinions	Engagement with business and enterprise		Preparation for interviews and active post-16 personal development Experiencing the world of work	Preparation for adult life	
Teacher assessment	Completed Prince's Trust units	Completed Prince's Trust units	Completed Prince's Trust units	Completed Prince's Trust units	Completed Prince's Trust units	Completed Prince's Trust units
Formal assessment	Moderated.	Moderated.	Moderated.	Moderated.	Moderated.	Moderated.

Career Link

Preparation for careers is at the heart of Prince's Trust work. In particular, Experiencing the World of Work and the Career Planning which are completed in Year 11. Pupils are encouraged to consider their aspirations, their career plans, what their next steps are and how to research and apply for college places and future jobs. The Interview Skills Day which includes mock interviews is important for pupils who are required to reflect on their performance and preparation as part of the work in Prince's Trust.

Trauma Informed Practice

The Prince's Trust curriculum addresses topics that require a trauma-informed approach. This approach is integrated into the delivery of our classes, emphasising expectations and ground rules as integral components of most lessons.

Staff members are trained to recognize areas where our young people may require additional support.

Literacy in Prince's Trust

The Prince's Trust curriculum introduces new language and terms to students, covering topics such as finance, careers, the world of work, banking and delivering presentations. In all of the units, students are encouraged to develop their ideas orally and in writing, and read a variety of non-fiction texts of varying degrees of challenge.

In the Presentation Skills unit, Prince's Trust works with the English curriculum area as students are required to deliver a spoken presentation on a subject of their choice.

Numeracy in Prince's Trust

In several units including Money Management there is an emphasis on numeracy. Pupils work with percentages and learn about budgeting and tax.

ICT in Prince's Trust

The Digital Skills unit involves work on computer skills including word processing and manipulating spreadsheets. Pupils work with IT regularly during the course.

Equality, Diversity and Inclusion in Prince's Trust, Fundamental British values (FBV) and Social, Moral, Spiritual and Cultural (SMSC)

Prince's Trust gives pupils an opportunity to develop their awareness of SMSC through preparation for adult life and for participation in society.