

"...from little rivers mighty oceans grow!"

## Our careers offer and support at Riverbank Academy

- **All students discuss careers and future pathways each year before their annual review.** This process starts in year 7. At Riverbank, we feel discussions around careers are imperative to motivate and inspire students, providing them with **positive and realistic goals to help achieve a positive destination.**
- Students accessing the Navigator, Discovery and Explorer curriculum have **weekly timetabled offsite visits.** This gives our more vulnerable students an opportunity to **interact with people from various careers and employment settings.** This also supports our students with their understanding of the world and the people around them.



- When students start in KS4 they have **interviews with our careers team** who discuss pathways and options for post 16 and beyond. This is recorded and tracked annually by our senior leadership team.
- From September 2018, year 10 and 11 also have an opportunity to attend **work experience over a 5-day period.** This is for students where "real life" work experience is appropriate and relevant.
- We also have our own **pop-up shop** and **Riverbank Café** where our students learn key skills surrounding **Money, customer service, food hygiene and health and safety.**