

MAEPS CAREERS NEWSLETTER

RELATIONSHIPS - RESPECT - RESILIENCE

“Act as if what you do makes a difference. It does.”

William James

Experience of the Workplace (BM6)

Every pupil should have first hand experiences of the workplace through work visits so they can explore their career opportunities and expand their networks. Transition confidence and preparation are key to the successful participation in this type of activity.

At Moorbridge we do this through:

- Discussions with pupils to discuss one to one the areas they are interested in
- One to one guidance to look at part time work and external factors as well as future aspirations
- Drop Down Days focusing on employability skills
- External partnerships workshops
- Visits to workplaces

Upcoming...



The project is a collaboration between Cobalt Business Park, North Tyneside Council, employers and schools.

We believe every young person in North Tyneside should have the opportunity to engage with a range of employers and learn first-hand about the world of work. We aim to foster closer relationships between local employers and North Tyneside schools, helping to inspire and motivate young people to develop the skills they need to help them achieve their potential.

Working Options

Working Options provided KS3 and KS4 pupils with a range of ideas to consider, including various job opportunities, necessary skills, and different perspectives on career choices and the 'World of Work'.

NU Futures

NU Futures sector-based careers programmes combine employer engagement including industry insights and work experience visits, with skills building workshops, specialist support to secure job interviews and pre-employment qualifications.

Aiming to provide pupils with the confidence, awareness, and opportunities available to them to support future transitions. Pupils have high aspirations at Moorbridge and have demonstrated a great work ethic across this careers programme.

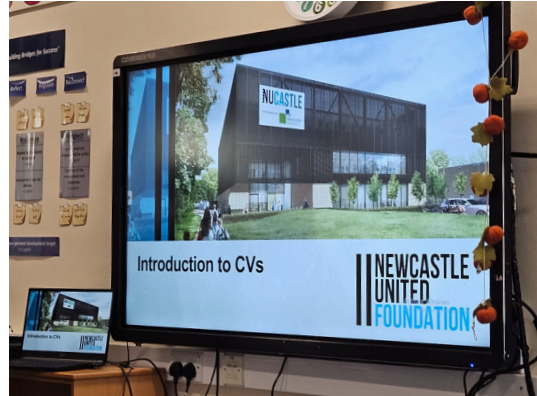
Department of Working Pensions

Pupils have participated in engaging workshops facilitated by the DWP, focusing on career pathways, behaviours in the workplace and social media awareness.

These interactive sessions aimed to equip pupils with the knowledge and tools needed to navigate their future careers effectively.



Picture Gallery



These workshops have empowered pupils with valuable insights and practical skills, preparing them for the next steps in their educational and career journeys.



CAREERS INSIGHT - Farming



Farmer

Careers@Moorbridge

Farmers and farm managers grow crops and raise farm animals for food production.

Routes into the industry

You can get into this job through:

University

You could take a foundation degree, higher national diploma or degree in:

- agriculture
- land management
- farm business management
- crop and livestock production

College

You could start your career in farming by doing a course at agricultural college like:

- Level 2 Certificate in Land-based Activities
- Level 3 Diploma in Agriculture
- T Level in Agriculture, Land Management & Production

Apprenticeship

You could get farming experience through apprenticeships relevant to this role like:

- Level 2 General Farm Worker
- Level 2 Poultry Worker
- Level 3 Poultry Technician
- Level 3 Livestock Unit Technician
- Level 3 Crop Technician

Work

You can get valuable experience and move into farm management by working as a supervisor, unit manager or assistant manager. You could also take qualifications on the job like the Level 4 Certificate in Work-based Agricultural Management.

Skills

Day to day tasks:

This will depend on whether you work with animals, crops or a mixture of both.

- Set budget and production targets.
- Ensure the farm follows health and safety standards and regulations.
- Undertake practical tasks like feeding and checking animal health and fertilising or harvesting crops.
- Help maintain farm equipment.
- Buy and sell animals or crops.
- Keep financial and stock records..
- Recruit, train and supervise farm workers.

Subjects

5 GCSEs, usually English and Maths or equivalent, for an advanced apprenticeship.

Salary*

£21,000 for starters, rising to £50,000 for an experienced Farmer.

Jobs

There will be 5.1% more Farmer jobs in 2026.

*In 2020 the average salary was £31,461, up 3.6% on 2019. Annual pay estimates are largely unaffected by Covid-19.