Manchester Virtual School Guidance for Carers

Transition from Year 11 to Post-16

Autumn Term Year 11	Spring Term Year 11	Summer Term Year 11	Pupil Premium
 Young person (supported by foster carers and school): Attend open days, taster days, and information evenings at colleges and school sixth forms Register on apprenticeship website (if applicable) Attend careers events to meet potential employers Research local skills events (apprenticeships/work based learning) PEP held in Term 1 and transition support discussed. Foster Carers to attend. Ensure that application deadlines and procedures are identified and understood. Post sixteen applications to be made. 	PEP held in Term 2 and transition support discussed. Foster carers to attend. PEP meeting should discuss: Post sixteen contact details Scheduled visits Reflections on careers events and employer exposure Use of pupil premium Predicted GCSE grades should inform a preferred option and an appropriate 'back up' plan.	Secondary designated teacher ensures the designated teacher from the Post sixteen destination attends the final Transition PEP. Foster carers to attend. Ensure that all transition sections of the PEP are discussed outlining a clear plan to support transition. Include plans for both preferred and 'back up' options. Use pupil premium to purchase any resources or equipment needed at the post sixteen destination. Young person is supported to attend taster days at the post sixteen destination. Everyone to be aware of any start dates or application updates.	Please be aware that pupil premium is currently not allocated to Our Young People aged 16-18 by the Department for Education. Careful consideration should be given throughout Year 11 to pupil premium spend to ensure any resources or equipment needed at the post sixteen destination is bought. Ensure that young person is aware of bursaries available to them post sixteen and how to apply for financial support.