

Careers Programme Study Information

Reviewed January 2025. Next Update: 3 Years.

As a primary provision, pupils at Mountfield Heath School do not undertake a specific careers programme. However, our <u>integrated therapeutic curriculum</u> supports pupils to be engaged, enthused and resilient, and therefore well-prepared to access the next stage of their education at secondary school. We fundamentally believe that experiencing achievement will increase our pupil's chances of living a happy life as independent, responsible, members of society.

Through our PSHE scheme, 1 Decision, pupils in KS2 are introduced to key concepts around work and employment through the module 'The Working World'.



1 Decision produces 'knowledge organisers' which outline the content, skills and learning outcomes from each module. The knowledge organiser for 'The Working World' module is attached for reference.

1decision PSHE Knowledge Organiser

Module: The Working World

Topic: Baseline Assessment and Chores at Home









Key Facts

- For a healthy family life, it is important to care for, protect, and spend time with each other
- There are benefits to physical exercise, time outdoors, community participation, voluntary and service-based activity on mental well-being and happiness

By the end of these topics, I should:

- identify ways in which we can help those who look after us
- explain the positive impact of our actions
- describe the ways in which we can contribute to our home, school, and community
- identify the skills we may need in our future job roles

Ask me a question!

- How can we support society, our community, and our family/friends?
- What chores could you be responsible for at home?
- Can you name any skills that may be required for a future job role?

I will learn the following new words/phrases:

Income tax	An employee will pay a percentage of their wages to the government.
VAT	An amount added to items purchased.
Contribution	Something you give or do that helps achieve an end result.
HM Revenue and Customs	The UK's tax, payments and customs authority.
Society	A group of people living as a community.
Chore	Everyday work around a house or farm.
Independence	Not influenced or controlled by others.
Self-motivation	Able and willing to work without being told what to do.
Apprenticeship	An arrangement in which someone learns an art, trade, or job under another.
Volunteer	A person who does something, especially helping other people, willingly and without being forced or paid to do.
Stereotype	A set idea that people have about what something or someone is like.



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Module: The Working World

Topic: Enterprise and Adults' & Children's Views









Key Facts

• The characteristics of healthy family life include: commitment to each other, including in times of difficulty, protection and care for children and other family members, spending time together and sharing each other's lives

I will learn the following new words/phrases:

Enterprise	A project that requires boldness or energy. A company or organisation.
Priority	The fact or condition of being regarded or treated as more important than others.
Fundraising	To generate financial support for a charity, cause, or other enterprise.

By the end of these topics, I should:

- understand and explain why people might want to save money
- identify ways in which you can help out at home
- budget for items you would like to buy
- recognise ways to make money and the early stages of enterprise

Ask me a question!

- Why do we need money?
- How can we save money?
- How can we receive money?





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Module: The Working World

Topic: In-App Purchases and Summative Assessment







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Key Facts

- It is important to give and seek permission in relationships with friends, peers, and adults
- Some social media sites, computer games and online games are age restricted

By the end of these topics, I should:

- know and understand various money-related terms
- recognise some of the ways in which we can spend money via technology
- describe the potential impact of spending money without permission
- identify strategies to save money

Ask me a question!

- How can we spend money?
- How can you help your family save money?
- Can you explain how we can spend money via technology?

I will learn the following new words/phrases:

Bank account	An arrangement that allows you to keep your money in a bank.
Loan	An amount of money that you borrow and pay back with interest.
Tax	An amount of money you pay to the government.
Interest	You can earn a certain amount of money back when you save. Or if you have borrowed money, you may have to pay interest back.
Debit card	A small plastic card that allows the holder to spend their own money on goods and services.
Credit card	A small plastic card that allows the holder to borrow money to purchase goods or services and pay for them at a later date.
Wages	The amount of money your employer pays you.
Debt	An amount of money that you owe someone or something, such as a bank.
In-app purchases	Extra content or subscriptions that you buy inside an app.
Budget	To plan to spend money for a particular purpose.
Comparison	The act of showing that something is similar or equal to something else.
Fairtrade	A product with the FAIRTRADE Mark means producers and businesses have met internationally agreed standards which have been independently certified.
Gambling	The activity or practice of playing at a game of chance for money or other stakes.

