Bensham Manor Careers and Provider Access Opportunities for 2025-26

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7	Water Safety assembly with the RNLI – advice, volunteering and work information shared. Careers and apprenticeship workshop delivered by The Money Charity. Good News - advice, volunteering and work information shared. Met with employees from Croydon's Sensory Team, Waterstones, a sustainable finance officer, a DJ, a School Business Manager and an author. Alumni Visit
8	Careers and apprenticeship workshop delivered by The Money Charity. ASK Programme - Apprenticeship Awareness Met with employees from Admin Support Services, Former British Airways staff, a DJ and representatives from the Slide organisation (disability employer).
9	Careers and apprenticeship workshop delivered by The Money Charity. ASK Programme - Apprenticeship Awareness Met with employees from a Digital Careers background, a chef, the Home Office and Finance.
10	Careers and apprenticeship workshop delivered by The Money Charity. ASK Programme - Apprenticeship Awareness The London Learning Consortium, Bromley College Croydon Council SEN coordinators meeting. Met with employees from the Law, Venue Security Officer, a nurse, and a Career's leader Visit to a construction site.
11	Careers and apprenticeship workshop delivered by The Money Charity. Croydon College visits Met with employees from Property Management, the Slide organisation (disability employer), Estate Agency, and Games Design.

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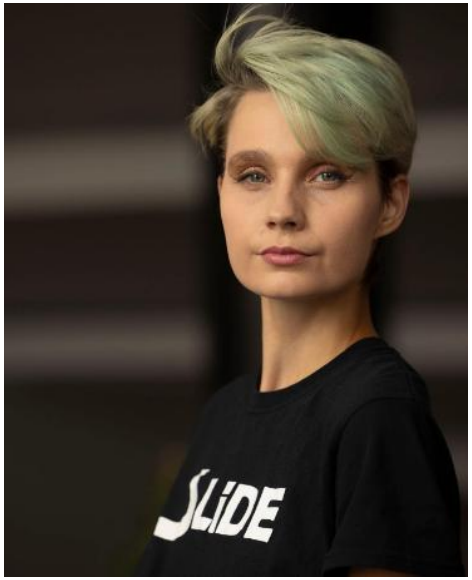
Post 16	Carshalton College visits Met with a gardener who explained their role. Undertook their own work experience through onsite activities (Turtle Café) culinary (staff lunches) and charitable (Felix Project) work.

Our Head teacher works with the Local Authority on the thematic reviews of preparation for adulthood arrangements in the local area. In addition to the above we advertise, through our weekly newsletter, any local management information and opportunities for apprenticeships and training that we are made aware of.

Other access opportunities are highlighted through our weekly communication to parents and through emails.

Please take a look at some of the people the students met and the experiences undertaken on the following pages:

Natasha Cox: DJ, Dancer, Teacher, Event Manager









Year 9 Skills for Life Cafe 2026







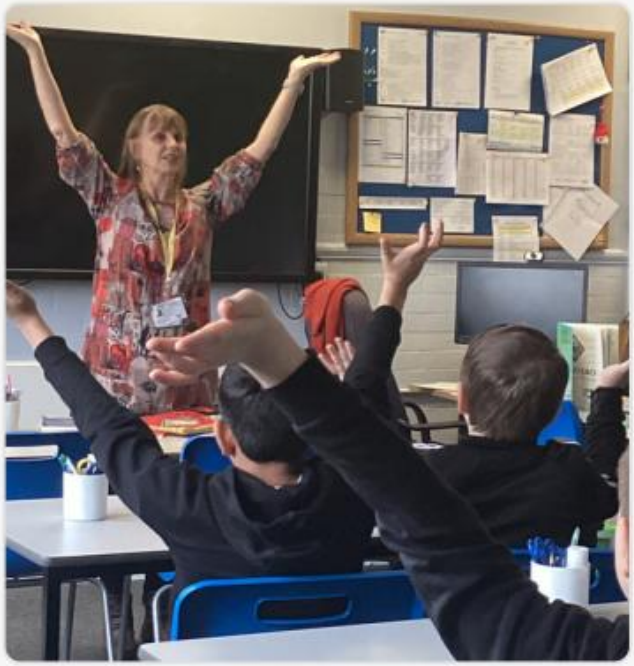









Author Visit



Schools London Lifesaver Programme









NHS Workshop



We are always keen to establish links with different providers and, as mentioned on our website, encourage all providers to contact us if you think there is something you have to offer Bensham Manor Students. A provider wishing to request access should contact Kirstie Byrne, deputy Head or Barrie Murphy – Careers Programme Leader, telephone: 0208 864 0116.