Active Leaders links to Gatsby Benchmarks



Gatsby Benchmark	Link to Active Leaders Course
A stable careers programme	The course has an embedded programme of career education including the top 10 skills employers seek plus a bridge to pathways in multifaceted careers, education and training.
Learning from career and labour market information	Students will receive ongoing information about future jobs and careers from an experienced trainer throughout the course. Strong focus on Business of Sport jobs.
Addressing the needs of each student	The course is accessible for any student from Year 10 upwards and is differentiated to meet individual needs. Each student's strengths and development points are encapsulated in an end of course reference.
Linking curriculum learning to careers	The course can be embedded within a school timetable (ie. Enrichment)) or delivered as a stand alone programme. (Mapped to BTEC Level 1/2/3) Approximately 1/3 of the course is dedicated to employment skills and future career pathways.
Encounters with employers and employees	The final module of the course focuses on employment opportunities including mapping newly- acquired skills to specific jobs, and networking with trusted pathway partners in the form of Guest Speakers.
Experiences of workplaces	There is an opportunity for the trainees to act as employees, with hands-on delivery opportunities in the workplace and mentors with extensive experience.
Encounters with further and higher education	Students are fully briefed on the range of learning opportunities available to them. Partnerships with universities to encourage the students to speak about their FE experiences. This is both vocational (Paramedicine and Education) and academic (Sports Science, Psychology) and we provide work placements for university students who can train to assist our course delivery.
Personal guidance	Every student receives a 1:1 interview with the experienced trainer. Guidance is provided on CV development, articulating and embedding skills learnt and recording experiences. Students receive a unique character reference and 10 CPD points.