







# **Year 11 Careers Education**

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## **Careers Education at Soar Valley College**

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The law states that all students have to stay in full time education or training until at least their 18th birthday. Students can choose options from:

- A full-time course at a college studying for A levels or a vocational course.
- Learning while you earn on an apprenticeship, traineeship or study programme.

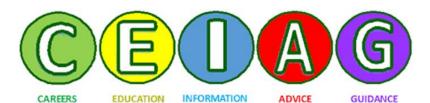








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## What is

Positive Steps @16 is an online platform for students to search for and make college applications.

All Year 11 students MUST complete this form to ensure they have options available to them when you leave Soar Valley College.

PS@16 can be used to apply for all post 16 learning opportunities in Leicester and Leicestershire. This includes:

- 6th form colleges
- Schools with 6th forms
- Further Education (FE) colleges
- Foundation Learning

Post 16 Options Evening
Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> October 2025
5.30pm – 8pm
Soar Valley College



# **Year 11 Key Dates for Careers**

**Education** 

Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup> August	Tutor Period PS@16 Log Ons
W/C Monday 8th September	Post 16 Evening – Letters Home
Thursday 18th September	Reply slips returned for Post 16 Evening letters
Wednesday 1 <sup>st</sup> October	PS@16 is now live – Application Process begins. Please complete your research and make your college applications.  Letters home re PS@16 applications process
Wednesday 1st October	Tutor Period – Post 16 Evening / PS@16 / Unifrog
Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> October	Post 16 Evening 5.30pm-8.00pm
W/C Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> October	PC1 grades will be added to your applications. This will be done for you.
Tuesday 18th November	Tutor Period DEADLINE – PS@16
January / February 2026	College Interviews



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