| Personal Guidance / Career Coaching Activities | | |
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| What is career? | Using the cards to show what career is in all its forms | Short video explainer: https://tinyurl.com/2psnf4pk Case study from Luminate Careers: https://tinyurl.com/58utbtap Case study from Samantha Gray: https://tinyurl.com/yf85n3ya Video by Moments with Dr Weyoms Ltd: https://tinyurl.com/n2jk6j3k |
| Narrative Story Telling | Help clients to tell their story so far | Video and written example of a narrative approach: https://tinyurl.com/422yknwu Infographic instructions on using Shape of Career to tell a career story: https://tinyurl.com/yc36hvmb LinkedIn post and infographic about narrative approach: https://tinyurl.com/2jvcrjba |
| Find the shape of your current career | Help clients reflect on their current lives and the range of roles they currently undertake: | LinkedIn post and infographic about finding the shape of your career activity: https://tinyurl.com/2rb77wtv LinkedIn post by Liane Hambly: https://tinyurl.com/yyk5u388 Client feedback: https://tinyurl.com/2fe7hrsz |
| Using the Explore & Test Ideas, Create Opportunities section | Helping clients find and self-select ways they can explore and test their ideas | LinkedIn post and infographic about using the exploration activity in Year 10 guidance meetings: https://tinyurl.com/mrxubrd8 Katherine Jennick review: https://tinyurl.com/32mnycha |

| Creating a career vision | Visualising the future and what activities might form part of your future career | Infographic activity instructions and LinkedIn post: https://tinyurl.com/bdhbswwz Video example of the activity in action: https://tinyurl.com/bdh9husn LinkedIn post by Louise Caunt: https://tinyurl.com/5b9tjedx |
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| Action planning | Support action planning by helping clients to identify potential stepping stones and pathways that can lead to a longer-term goal | Infographic instructions and LinkedIn post: https://tinyurl.com/27aa3p2w Case study example from a CDP: https://tinyurl.com/y54993ft LinkedIn post from Louise Caunt: https://tinyurl.com/356zh8nw Review by Chris Dobry: https://tinyurl.com/y9auedwc |
| Sharing post-16 options | Using the cards as a menu of options | LinkedIn post: https://tinyurl.com/ym3udxnj |
| Young entrepreneursh ip | Using the side hustle cards in career meetings | LinkedIn post: https://tinyurl.com/3dctsf2m |
| Example of use in Year 10 guidance meetings | Exploration of possibilities and what work can look like | LinkedIn post by Stephen McArdle: https://tinyurl.com/4astxyxs |
| As seen in RCDP toolkits | | LinkedIn post by Hannah West RCDP: https://tinyurl.com/3cjt32ye LinkedIn post by Antonia Robinson: https://tinyurl.com/3j7bpzm8 LinkedIn post by Stephen McArdle RCDP: https://tinyurl.com/nb9arh6m |

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| Play your cards right | Evaluating possible career options in relation to one another – is it higher or lower? | LinkedIn post and infographic about the play your cards right activity: https://tinyurl.com/mr3476zm |

Careers Education Group Work Ideas and Plans

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| Gap Year group work plan for Y12 students | Help students reflect on what a gap year is, what is can look like, and whether it might be an option in the mix for them. | Slides, groupwork plan and resources: https://tinyurl.com/3nbmm7ak |
| Introduction to LMI for Key Stage 4 students | Identify how LMI can be used to support career decisions and strengthen research and information management skills so that you can find and interpret information as part of a decision-making process. | Slides, groupwork plan and resources: https://tinyurl.com/4rhdz6mn |
| Exploring the concept of career | Group work by Bodil Chambers exploring the concept of career | Product review and case study in Career Matters magazine: https://tinyurl.com/mr39xpjh |

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| Careers Fair Ideas | | |
| Work experience | What work experience is, how it can help, how to find it and apply, and how to get the most out of the opportunity. | Slides, groupwork plan, and resources: https://tinyurl.com/3tjzdnd3 |
| CV Writing | How to create a CV that stands out for the right reasons. | Slides, groupwork plan, and resources: https://tinyurl.com/pzerdjtv |
| Decent work | Thinking about what makes decent work, and whether all forms of work offer that decency. | Slides, groupwork plan and resources: https://tinyurl.com/2cmv5xye Infographic and explainer: https://tinyurl.com/23c9zfbu LinkedIn post - spotlight on zero hours contracts: https://tinyurl.com/23c9zfbu |

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| What is career? | Considering what the word career means. | Video showing Lis McGuire's stand at a career fair: https://tinyurl.com/y8bj2bd4 |
| Which activities will you choose? | Choosing a pathway you would like to explore in a careers meeting | LinkedIn post from Kath Dunn showing Shape of Career cards being used with counters at a careers fair (see comments too): https://tinyurl.com/322wsv6t |