



Guidance Interviews

What to expect from a guidance interview with a career's adviser

In these appointments, you will have up to 30 minutes to talk to a career's adviser about whatever career-related topic is important to you. Topics of conversation could include:

- I have no idea what I want to do in the future after completing my studies?
- What is a Degree Apprenticeship?
- How do my skills and qualifications fit into the labour market?
- I'm interested in taking a gap year after I complete year 13 and I want to plan something employers will value.
- I'm not sure if I want to consider the 6th form or another college.
- My ideas have completely changed since starting at the UTC, what should I do?

A guidance interview is:

Impartial

A careers adviser will not recommend one route to you over another. They are there to help you explore the options objectively.

Confidential

All information will be stored confidentially and will conform to the Crewe Engineering and Design UTC Confidential Data Policies.





Challenging

You may be asked questions about your goals to help you to look at the disadvantages as well as the advantages. This is not to put you off, but to help ensure you have thought your plans through.

Supportive

The meetings are very informal and relaxed. I'm here to help you discuss things in a safe environment.

Part of a process

Career choice is a process not an event. A guidance interview is a good starting point but you will need to do further research and continuously update your action plan.

