

# Future Skills Questionnaire Case Study

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MAIN  
STREAM

1300  
LEARNERS

YEAR 7  
TO YEAR  
13

## Supporting planning at key transition points

When planning and building the Careers programme at Clevedon School, Mark Davies and his team understand the importance of capturing learner voice to inform this process. Key transition points in the learner journey provide a perfect opportunity for learners to complete the relevant questionnaire. By adopting this approach, the school can compare and contrast learners career readiness over time. They can clearly see how learners understanding of education and employment-based opportunities has developed.

## What impact has FSQ had on both the learners and the school?

After each round of questionnaires are completed with Year 7, 9, 11 and 13, Mark analyses the results to identify common areas of development. In recent years, those areas have included how confident learners were regarding their future career choices and Post 16 options. As such, planning has been adjusted to address these areas. During a recent Ofsted inspection, the school was able to demonstrate how they are responding to learner voice and provided dynamic examples of how FSQ responses have fed directly into planning the school's careers provision. Combined with over 170 recorded activities on Compass+, Mark produced detailed data visualisations that evidenced impact and the positive trajectory of careers understanding within the school.

## How has the Future Skills Questionnaire been delivered?

The school utilises the timetable by asking Year 9 and Year 11 learners to complete FSQ in their IT lessons. Post 16 learners complete the questionnaire in sessions that are dedicated to careers development and facilitated through a partner platform. Each year group is introduced to FSQ in a whole year group assembly, using the learner presentation template, which is found on the Compass+ Help Centre. Mark amended the presentation to reflect the school's branding and overall vision for careers

To find out more, view our [Future Skills Questionnaire resources](#) on the Compass+ Help Centre.



FSQ enables us to celebrate our successes but also identify gaps in our provision, we can see that learners are benefitting from this. We can clearly see learners understanding increase year-on-year.



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