

NAME OF VISIT/EVENT/CLUB/ACTIVITY	DESCRIPTION OF EVENT	WHY THE ENCOUNTER IS MEANINGFUL
Faraday Challenge	STEM competition. Local school network. Focuses on D and T subjects.	Learning from engineers on academic pathways.
Year 8 Castlerigg Retreat	Pupils spend 5 days at Castlerigg Manor, the Lancaster Diocesan residential retreat centre in Keswick. The retreat is offered to all pupils who spend time reflecting on their lives, relationships with friends, family and God.	Vocation. Reflection on life choices. Youth work. Priesthood and religious life.
Parliament Outreach workshops	Parliament education service come into school to run workshops with Year 8 to deepen their understanding of democracy.	Developed understanding of how parliament and government work as well as how to become involved. It gave pupils the opportunity to develop and strengthen debates.
Guide Dog wellbeing morning	60 vulnerable pupils work with guide dogs and volunteers.	Experience of charity related careers.
Musical Theatre Club	Pupils do workshops, audition techniques, performance techniques, and performance to a paid audience.	Experience of how a professional theatre situation works.
Fairtrade Group	Pupils meet and are involved in various campaigns linking to the Fairtrade cooperative, e.g. 'Bake a Difference' campaign.	Fairtrade a potential employer. Awareness of jobs in activism, NGO sector.

Presentation Morning	Pupils are awarded subject prizes.	Guest speaker is usually a past pupil or HT of our family of primary schools, who maps their career.
Dance Diva	Pupils taken to Charter Theatre and rehearse in professional performance space with professional technicians. They then perform to an audience of 800 in the evening. Pupils can also choreograph and rehearse own groups.	Experience of real life theatre and performance.
School Production	Development and performance of school production to very high standard. Pupils work on the lighting, as stage and prop managers, as costume/make up helpers, and performers, dancers and musicians.	Experience of how being in a very high standard performance is in readiness for further education.
OLCHS/CNC joint Carol Service at St Wilfred's	A high level choral event in 4 part harmony. Pupils visit CNC and work with A Level/BTECH students in this exciting collaboration.	This is combined with a tour/information provided regarding A Level Music/BTECH music opportunities.
Graded Music Examinations	All GCSE pupils work towards playing graded examination pieces. Many pupils in all year groups completed graded examinations throughout the year.	Graded exams = UCAS points.
Blackpool Zoo wellbeing project	30 vulnerable pupils work with the zoo and experience being a zoo keeper.	Experience of animal related careers.