



MEETING THE GATSBY BENCHMARKS AT MEPA ACADEMY

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Gatsby Benchmark 1 <i>A Stable Careers Programme</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Personal Development lessons with a focus on Careers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Personal Development lessons with a focus on Careers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Personal Development lessons with a focus on Careers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Personal Development lessons with a focus on Careers 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Personal Development lessons with a focus on Careers
Gatsby Benchmark 2 <i>Learning from careers and labour market information</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Opportunities to research the changing job market and labour market information. Guest teachers and industry professionals provide an insight into the labour market for performing arts. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Opportunities to research the changing job market and labour market information. Guest teachers and industry professionals provide an insight into the labour market for performing arts. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Opportunities to research the changing job market and labour market information. Guest teachers and industry professionals provide an insight into the labour market for performing arts. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Opportunities to research the changing job market and labour market information. Guest teachers and industry professionals provide an insight into the labour market for performing arts. Information evening for parents to provide them with insight into the opportunities and key events in the calendar. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Opportunities to research the changing job market and labour market information. Guest teachers and industry professionals provide an insight into the labour market for performing arts. Information evening for parents to provide them with insight into the opportunities and key events in the calendar.
Gatsby Benchmark 3 <i>Addressing the needs of each student</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Guest speakers in to talk to students about their experiences, including alumni students. Q&A sessions with cast at Musicals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Guest speakers in to talk to students about their experiences, including alumni students. Q&A sessions with cast at Musicals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Guest speakers in to talk to students about their experiences, including alumni students. Q&A sessions with cast at Musicals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Guest speakers in to talk to students about their experiences, including alumni students. Q&A sessions with cast at Musicals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Guest speakers in to talk to students about their experiences, including alumni students. Q&A sessions with cast at Musicals
Gatsby Benchmark 4 <i>Linking curriculum learning to careers</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dedicated lessons of Personal Development where students will undertake careers learning. Math and English – highlight the importance of the core subjects that employers are looking for. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dedicated lessons of Personal Development where students will undertake careers learning. Math and English – highlight the importance of the core subjects that employers are looking for. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dedicated lessons of Personal Development where students will undertake careers learning. Math and English – highlight the importance of the core subjects that employers are looking for. Subject areas highlight the importance of what employers are looking for 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dedicated lessons of Personal Development where students will undertake careers learning. Math and English – highlight the importance of the core subjects that employers are looking for. Subject areas highlight the importance of what employers are looking for 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Dedicated lessons of Personal Development where students will undertake careers learning. Math and English – highlight the importance of the core subjects that employers are looking for. Subject areas highlight the importance of what employers are looking for

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Gatsby Benchmark 5 <i>Encounters with employers and employees</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Guest teachers – providing their experiences of the performing arts industry. Q&A sessions with cast at Musicals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Guest teachers – providing their experiences of the performing arts industry. Q&A sessions with cast at Musicals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Guest teachers – providing their experiences of the performing arts industry. Q&A sessions with cast at Musicals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A week's placement with an employer Guest teachers – providing their experiences of the performing arts industry. Q&A sessions with cast at Musicals 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Guest teachers – providing their experiences of the performing arts industry. Q&A sessions with cast at Musicals
Gatsby Benchmark 6 <i>Experiences of workplaces</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Showcases and Musicals provide an experience of professional working environment in school. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Showcases and Musicals provide an experience of professional working environment in school. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Showcases and Musicals provide an experience of professional working environment in school. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> A week's placement with an employer Showcases and Musicals provide an experience of professional working environment in school. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Showcases and Musicals provide an experience of professional working environment in school.
Gatsby Benchmark 7 <i>Encounters with further and higher education</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Move It – annual showcase event in London – all performing arts colleges promote their offer to students. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Move It – annual showcase event in London – all performing arts colleges promote their offer to students. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Move It – annual showcase event in London – all performing arts colleges promote their offer to students. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Move It – annual showcase event in London – all performing arts colleges promote their offer to students. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Move It – annual showcase event in London – all performing arts colleges promote their offer to students.
Gatsby Benchmark 8 <i>Personal guidance</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Group Guidance given by industry professionals in vocational lessons 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Group Guidance given by industry professionals in vocational lessons 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Group Guidance given by industry professionals in vocational lessons 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Group Guidance given by industry professionals in vocational lessons Information evening for parents to provide them with insight into the opportunities and key events in the calendar. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> 121 Guidance Meeting Group Guidance given by industry professionals in vocational lessons Information evening for parents to provide them with insight into the opportunities and key events in the calendar.