



Suitable for S2/S3 pupils preparing to choose their subjects

Goal

To introduce S2/S3 pupils to the Strengths tool which makes subject suggestions that can be used in conjunction with the Choosing My Subjects section and the Subject choice tool.

Ambassador Learning Requirements

In advance Ambassadors should:

- Ensure that you have registered as an Ambassador – go into settings and tick the Ambassador box. Remind yourself of the process of getting registered i.e need an email address and a memorable password.
- All Ambassadors should complete the Strengths tool so they understand how it works and what the results look like.
- Read the Strengths Factsheet
- Ambassadors should also familiarise themselves with the Choosing My Subjects section and how the Subject Choice tool works.
- Ambassadors should also familiarise themselves with the content and layout of the Job Profiles, Industry pages and Types of Apprenticeship results generated by the Subject Choice tool.

Advance planning and preparation

- Ambassadors to use Plan-Do-Reflect template to help prepare for the event
- Where appropriate, Lead Ambassadors identified via discussion with group and teacher
- Ambassadors to identify and agree roles and responsibilities
- Ambassadors responsible for delivering the session to deliver practice session to group for peer review and feedback
- Prepare one of the Ambassador's Accounts that you will be using to demonstrate the Strengths tool
- Prepare any print outs you think you might need for your session
- Ambassadors to liaise with appropriate school staff to ensure the session is delivered in a room with a computer/tablet and smart board/large screen
- Ambassadors to consider any potential risks/problems and discuss possible solutions
- Ambassadors to ensure the session is delivered in a room with seats facing the smart board/large screen

Session (30 mins)

Demonstration using the live My World of Work site highlighting registration, navigation to, and use of, the Strengths tool and using the Subject suggestions with the Subject Choice tool.

- Lead Ambassadors to provide a brief introduction covering the My World of Work Ambassadors programme and related objectives
- Overview of the My World of Work homepage referring to the content in My career options, Learn and train and Getting a job.
- Highlight the benefits of registering, e.g. completing My career options leads to increased personalisation of results, you can save CVs, strengths reports, etc.



Review and Reflect

- Use the Plan-Do-Reflect template to review your activity
- What went well and what would you happily repeat next time?
- What would you do differently next time and why?
- If there were challenges – how did you overcome them?

Skills

As a group and as individuals think about the following list of skills areas and which of these skills you felt you developed by delivering this activity. Once you've decided on the key skills you've developed, log in to My World of Work and use the Skills tool in your Account.

You can save a maximum of 8 skills and these can be used to generate Job Profiles, Industries and Types of Apprenticeship where these skills are important. In your profile you can also write a Skills Summary that you can use to help create your Personal Statement.

People and communication	Practical	Thinking	Organisational
Communicating with people Listening to people Explaining things Working as part of a team Following instructions Persuading people Taking the lead Using computers Helping customer Being tactful Designing Helping people to learn Presenting to people Communicating ideas through writing Working on your own	Accuracy Working with your hands Repairing and fixing Making things Researching and investigating Coming up with new ideas Being creative Performing	Finding solutions to problems Being logical Coping with pressure Paying attention to detail Making decisions	Planning and organising Time management