

## Meet the Careers Team



**Mr Callaghan: [jcallaghan@helsbyhigh.org](mailto:jcallaghan@helsbyhigh.org)**

**Extended Leadership Team: Department Leader for PSHCE and Careers**

Mr Callaghan is our department leader for PSHCE and careers. He leads the careers lessons and employability skills opportunities that students at Helsby High School receive. He also has responsibility for ensuring Helsby High School's careers provision meets the statutory Gatsby Benchmarks. His work includes facilitating Futures Days, Work Experience, Careers within the Curriculum, Careers advice and enrichment opportunities.



**Mrs V Cross: Senior Leadership Team link**

Mrs V Cross meets regularly with the Careers team to advise and facilitate careers activities within Helsby High School.



**Ceri Morgan: Enterprise Coordinator, Cheshire and Warrington LEP**

Ceri is Quality Lead for Cheshire and Warrington Careers Hub, part of Enterprise Cheshire and Warrington. She strategically supports our school to evaluate the impact and quality of our careers program, using Labour Market Information to help us meet economic and skill needs in the local area.



**Miss L Harrison [lharrison@helsbyhigh.org](mailto:lharrison@helsbyhigh.org) : Deputy Department Leader for PSHCE and Careers**

Miss Harrison is the deputy department leader for PSHCE and Careers and supports Mr Callaghan to provide clear and effective leadership, ensuring the Department contributes to the delivery of the schools agreed PSHCE and Careers strategy.

### **Jane Forgham: Participation & Transition Worker**



Jane Forgham is a Participation and Transition worker for Cheshire West and Chester offering intensive careers support and guidance to an identified group of young people in year 11 upwards including young people who have left Helsby High needing ongoing support. Jane works closely with Mr Callaghan, Mrs Morris and other external agencies, meeting young people in school and home visiting to ensure that young people make informed choices about their future.

### **Mrs A Heald: Link Governor**



Amy Heald is a Parent Governor for Helsby High. She is a qualified Level 6 Career Adviser and works in a sixth form college as a Careers Adviser, where she Leads on Employability and SEND IAG. She is passionate about the importance of good careers education and guidance as she has seen the positive impact it can have on student progression, confidence and motivation. She has worked in education for many years in support and pastoral roles and is the Career Link Governor for Helsby. She enjoys working with the careers team to support their work and keep the governing body updated on their provision.

### **Mrs R Morris: Independent Careers Adviser** **rmorris@helsbyhigh.org**



Mrs Morris holds the postgraduate diploma in Careers Guidance and has over 20 years experience of working in schools and colleges. She comes into school two days a week and delivers impartial and independent careers advice and guidance to students in all year groups, with Year 11 and Year 13 as priority groups. In addition, she talks to students about their Year 9 option choices and offers 1:1 support to students in Year 11 and 13 around career planning. Mrs Morris helps to organise careers events in school and her expertise is highly valued as we continue to develop our careers education programme across the curriculum. Parents are welcome to contact Mrs Morris via the email above for careers related information, advice and guidance.



**James Pritchard Wood: Pledge Facilitator**

James works alongside Emma at The Pledge and helps to provide employer links and support with careers projects and careers fairs.



**Kat Houghton: Experience of the Workplace Support**

Mrs Houghton provides administrative support for the Careers team, assisting with the delivery of our Year 10 and Year 12 Experience of the Workplace. She is the initial point of contact for employers and parents regarding our students' prospective work placements.