

Finding Futures

Learning outside the classroom to nurture success

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"The Finding Futures programme was a wonderful opportunity for our children, run by a professional and supportive team with the child at the centre of everything they do."

**Mrs Simpson, Assistant Headteacher,
Goldsworth Primary School**

Finding Futures is an innovative personal development programme, empowering Year 5 & 6 children to reach their **personal potential** and feel **prepared for secondary school**.

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Our Impact

Our high impact **Finding Futures** programme equips targeted Year 5 and 6 students with the skills they need to **flourish in their SAT's** and **successfully transition to secondary school**, helping them to enjoy a happy and successful future.



82% of students feel more prepared for the future



80% of students have become more motivated to achieve at school



79% of students have a better idea about future opportunities that are available



87% of students feel the programme has made a positive difference to them



"It's been lovely to see the students flourish throughout the programme, it really has been an unforgettable experience."

Tess Day, Teacher, Causton Primary School

Shay's Story

Shay has come on leaps and bounds since starting the Finding Futures Programme:

"At the beginning of the programme, Shay struggled with his self-perception, but participating in the programme has improved this, and equipped Shay with a greater confidence in himself to deal with challenges around him." – Shay's Coach

Although he was apprehensive at first, Shay thoroughly enjoyed all of the trips and meeting new people has aided him greatly in coming out of his shell and making new friends.

The Finding Futures programme has helped Shay increase his self-belief and celebrate all his wonderful qualities and skills. He was even recognised with an award for self-awareness on the Into the Wild trip, as he is very aware of those around him and their feelings.



"My favourite thing about the programme was meeting the Yes Futures Coaches and going on the Into the Wild trip and meeting new people." – Shay

Join our Network of Partner Schools

Our network of **pioneering primary and secondary schools** spans across London, the South East and East Anglia.

We have worked with

56

partner schools...

...where we've supported

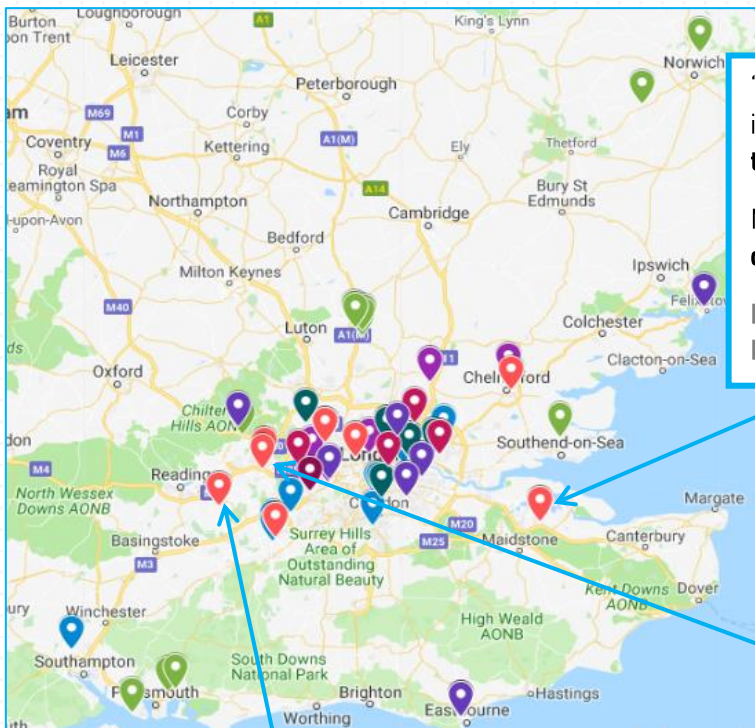
1500+

young people.

Of the schools we worked with
last year...

80%

have signed up again



"We have definitely seen an **increase in confidence** in all of our children. Some have really **come out of their shell!**"

Many parents have mentioned they had also seen a **difference at home.**"

**Laura Kavanagh, Lead Teacher,
Miers Court Primary School**



"The project is going excellently. Teachers have commented how much **happier** and **more confident** the children on the programme are. I have really noticed this too. They are all speaking up in class more and taking on more of a **leadership** role in group work.

We are all really pleased to have joined the programme. Thank you all for your hard work and commitment to **providing a brighter future for our pupils.**"

**Siobhan Malcolm, Lead Teacher,
Montem Academy**



"It has been a really **great experience** and I feel that many of the children have **gained enormously** from their participation of the programme. Your staff have been **amazing**, so **supportive** and organising everything has been such a weight off my mind."

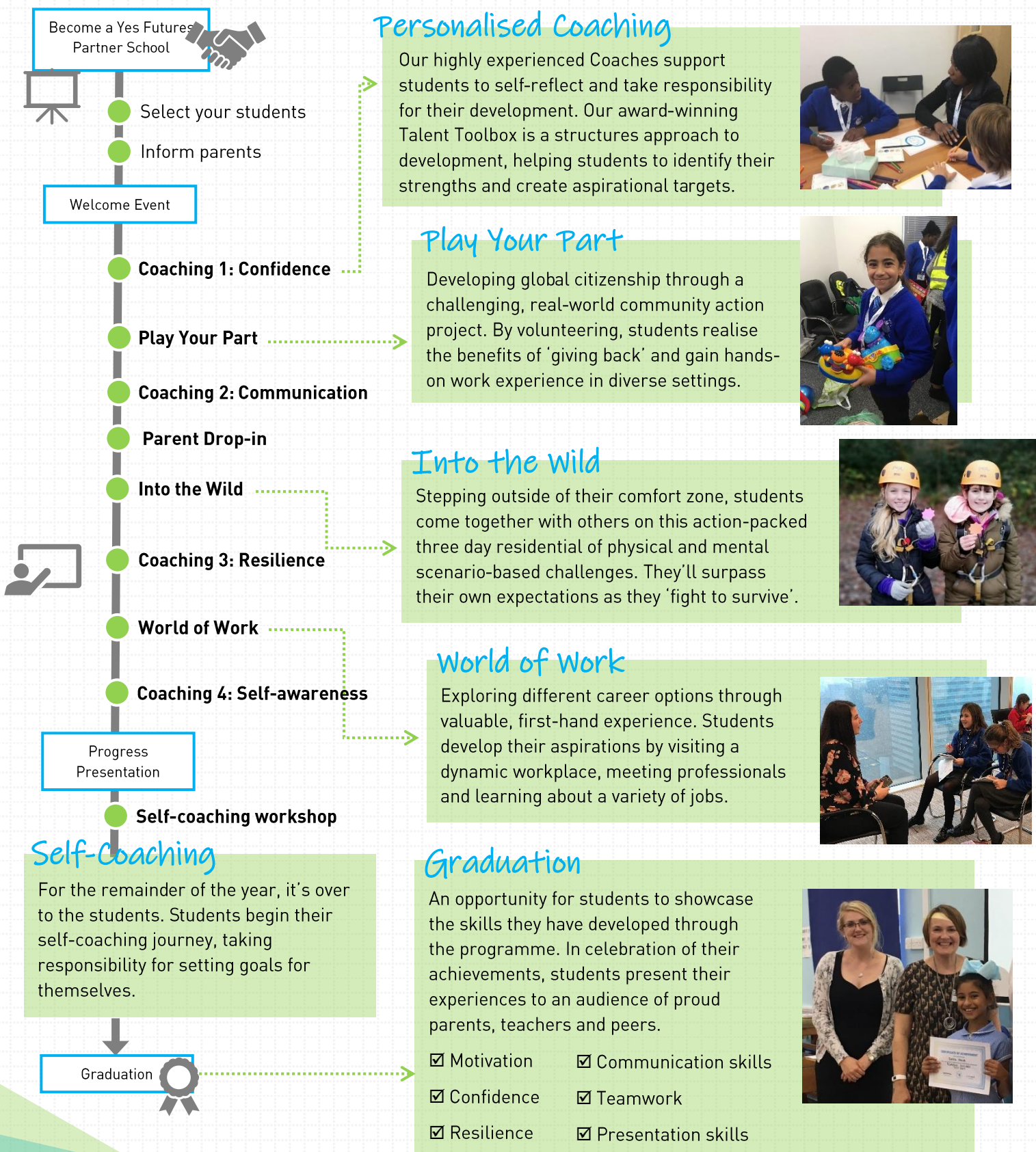
**Mrs Jo Cooke, Head of Prep School,
Holme Grange School**



You can be a part of our powerful network of innovative, forward-thinking schools, all working towards a **future where all young people are confident, resilient and lead fulfilling lives.**

Finding Futures: The Programme

We support students to increase their independence by achieving new successes in a range of stimulating environments. Our fully-trained Yes Futures Coaches motivate students through a developmental journey of inspirational coaching sessions and immersive experiences.



Funding Information

Thanks to continued generous support from our funding partners, we are able to offer our **award-winning, impact-driven** programme to schools at a highly subsidised rate of **less than 50% of the total cost**.

Programme Options

10 students

£13,900

£6,900

£690 per student

15 students

£19,350

£8,850

£590 per student

20 students

£25,800

£11,800

£590 per student

25 students

£29,750

£12,250

£490 per student

Please note that the prices quoted above are fully inclusive of VAT and there are no hidden extra fees.

“Every young person ought to experience a programme such as the Yes Futures programmes.”

Sir Michael Barber,
Former Education Advisor to Prime Minister



The Programme Includes:

Four **Coaching sessions** in small groups of 2-3 students, run by fully-trained Yes Futures Coaches.

A three day **residential weekend** at a PGL activity centre.

Two full day trips: World of Work and Play Your Part

Inclusive of all activities, staffing, transport, food, accommodation, resources and insurance.

A copy of our award-winning **Talent Toolbox** for every student which they can keep to continue their development beyond the programme.

A full **Impact Report** for your school with personalised feedback on every student from their Coach, as well as key character development metrics.

All group and parent sessions: A Welcome Assembly, Progress Presentation, Self-Coaching Workshop, Impact Meeting and Graduation Ceremony.

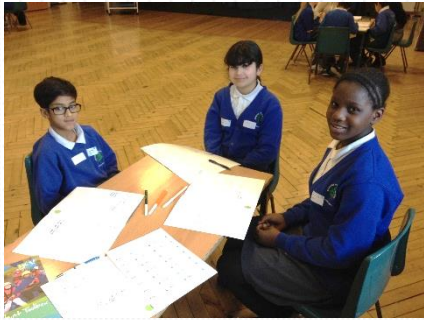
Throughout the programme, teachers and parents will receive ongoing progress reports and helpful resources to support students' development.

Minimal Impact on Teacher Workload

We understand how busy teachers are, so the programme is designed to have **minimal impact on your workload**. You will have continual support from a dedicated Yes Futures Programme Executive who will take care of all paperwork (including Risk Assessments and letter templates), planning, delivery and evaluation of the Finding Futures programme.

Who can benefit from the Finding Futures programme?

The Finding Futures programme has a **proven impact** on students lacking in confidence and demonstrating low self-esteem. You might have students who are....



- Withdrawn in group situations
- Underachieving academically
- Hesitant to engage in class
- Struggling to make eye contact
- Needing support to tackle difficult challenges
- Likely to give up easily
- Reluctant to take the lead
- Nervous around new people
- Not sure how to identify their strengths
- Lacking motivation



Graduates from the Finding Futures programme are...

- More self-aware
- Comfortable meeting new people
- Able to articulate their strengths
- More engaged in class
- Better at communicating
- Aware of future career options
- Able to self-coach
- Capable of setting and achieving goals
- Ready to tackle difficult challenges



How we measure our impact

We understand how important it is for you to report back on the impact of interventions you're running in school, to governors, Ofsted and parents. Your school will receive a full school-specific impact report, clearly demonstrating the impact of the programme on your students. The report includes **personalised feedback** on each student as well as their development in **key character metrics**.

"A rare and genuinely innovative approach to measurement."

Project Oracle (Leading Youth Evidence Organisation)

Our award-winning impact measurement tool, the **Talent Toolbox**, provides a structured approach to the development of soft skills and allows us to accurately measure and monitor students' progress.

The Talent Toolbox measures **confidence, resilience, communication** and **self-awareness**. All assessments are **evidence-based**. This approach avoids biases and ensures reliable, comprehensive data. We also collect the views of parents and teachers in order to triangulate our measurement of impact.

Students use the Talent Toolbox to create personalised targets and drive their own progress. Through this, they become **excellent self-reflectors**. In addition, it helps students to familiarise themselves with the type of language they will need to talk about their skills in the future.



To arrange a meeting....

If you'd like to find out more about our programmes, please **get in touch** using the buttons below, I'd love to hear from you!

Email me

Book a call

Sophie,
Impact Manager



Naira's Story

Naira made fantastic progress in confidence and resilience during the Finding Futures programme. After initially being very nervous, she was particularly transformed on the Into the Wild trip, where she learned to deal with each fear as it came up and conquered it every time. She won the top award for her positive attitude and friendliness towards all new adults and students.

"Naira has developed enormously in communication and confidence. Her maturity allowed us to give her roles in helping to lead various tasks during the trips and Naira excelled in these roles." – Naira's Coach

These transformations in Naira's character carried through to her performance in all aspects of school life.

"Naira has become more focused during learning and challenges herself a lot more." – Naira's teacher, Welbourne Primary School

Naira is one of many examples of how the Finding Futures programme can have a truly transformational impact on a young person's life.



The work we do wouldn't be possible without our valuable network of supporters...



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