

# Wood End Park Academy

## Futures Week Homework

Homework given: Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2017

Homework due: Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> July 2017

Future's Week is here and your task is to conduct a research report on one of the following career paths.

- Surgeon
- Lawyer
- Architect
- Violinist
- Police Officer
- Nurse
- Teacher

When researching your chosen career, you must include the following in your report:

- What kind of academic skills you need
- What types of people skills you need
- What does the job involve?
- Do you need to work alongside anyone?

Here is an example for you if you get stuck!

A **head teacher** is the leader of a school and is responsible for all students and staff alike. To be a head teacher, you must attend university completing 3 degrees for 5 years in total after working for many years as a class teacher and holding middle leadership roles at a school. A person in this position needs to work well with children and understand their needs but also support their staff in any decisions or issues. They need to be approachable and have excellent communication skills as well as patience and commitment to the job and the people they care for. A head teacher's daily agenda begins with ensuring all children are attending school safely and all students and staff begin the day well. They then meet parents and other colleagues to ensure the school is progressing in an effective manner. They conclude the day with meeting hard-working children to congratulate them on their efforts. A head teacher must work alongside a deputy principals, multiple vice principals, team leaders, class teachers and support staff, for without them, the head teacher will not be able to succeed at their own job!

Remember:

- Conjunctions
- Adjectives and adverbs
- High level and key vocabulary