# Careers in Initial Teacher Education

## The North East LEP and NUSTEM at Northumbria has produced a series of resources to support primary trainee teachers to include careers related learning in their teaching from the start of their career. It would also be useful as CPD for teachers who are already teaching in a school.

## All the resources and videos for each of the following sessions can be found [here](https://www.northeastambition.co.uk/directory/careers-initial-teacher-education)

**Session 1: Explore the gendered nature of subject and career choices that children and young people make, and how we can reduce this.**

This session provides an introduction to the gendered nature of subject and career choices that children and young people make, and how unconscious bias can contribute to this. It also explores how to reduce these effects.

The session will provide three analysis and reflection tools that look at different aspects of the school environment.

**Session 2: Planning and teaching using the Primary Careers Tool**

This session explores NUSTEM research on the career aspirations of children aged between 8 and 11. It then introduces the Primary Careers Tool, an online resource to support the inclusion of careers related learning into curriculum planning. The Tool is a database of over 100 different jobs which can be sorted by National Curriculum topic in Science and Maths.

**Session 3: Career aspirations in primary school**

This session considers some of the characteristics that help to make people successful in their chosen careers. It introduces the STEM Person of the Week resource and presents findings from research on the use of role models and STEM Person of the Week.

**For further details about CITE or any of these resources above, please email** [**nustem@northumbria.ac.uk**](mailto:nustem@northumbria.ac.uk)**.**