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24 February 2010

Dear Parents

On Wednesday 17 March we are planning to take all Year 9 to a careers event at the Ricoh Arena in Coventry called Skills West Midlands. This event is bucking the trend from the usual careers fair – it is the largest of its kind in the area and is aimed at giving students the opportunity to find out about a wide range of career and educational opportunities available to them in the future. Students will discover what they need to do to succeed in a chosen career, talk to real people doing real jobs, try their hand at new and interactive skills, and gain information from the experts. The event will host over 50 interactive stands offering everything from the Services, the NHS to more traditional skills and apprenticeships to Advice Clinics on University and Further Education.

We will be leaving school at 10.30am and returning to school at 2.30pm – so students will need everything necessary for first and fifth lessons. School uniform must be worn and a packed lunch is required as we will be at the event over the lunch period.

The transport for this event is being part-subsidized but we do have to ask for a voluntary contribution of £3.00 per pupil. Please complete the attached consent slip and return it to school by Friday 5 March with the requested payment. Payment via Parentpay is preferred but money/cheques can also be sent into school. Please tick any relevant boxes pertaining to medication.

I am sure this will be an eye-opening event for the students giving them an insight into many career areas they possibly have not considered; this coming at a particularly important time when they are thinking about subject options for years 10 and 11. Should you require more information – please call either myself or my colleague, Mrs McCaslin, at school.

Yours sincerely

Mrs N McLeod
Work-Related Co-ordinator



To be returned to Mrs Whitehouse in the school Finance Office by Friday 5 March

PUPIL'S NAME _____ FORM _____

Please tick as appropriate

I consent to my son/daughter attending the careers event at the Ricoh Arena, Coventry on Wednesday 17 March 2010

I am paying the voluntary contribution of £3.00 via Parentpay at www.parentpay.com

I enclose a voluntary contribution of £3.00
EXACT MONEY ONLY PLEASE

I confirm that my child will have any necessary medication with them:

Epipen Inhaler Other medication

Signed _____ (parent/guardian) Date: _____