

25 October 2024

Year 9 Careers Visit

Dear Parents/Carers,

We are delighted to be able to offer a selection of Year 9 pupils a trip to **De Montfort University on the following dates; 11, 12, 13 and 14 November 2024** as part of their Careers Programme which is designed to explore future choices and careers.

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9B1 and 9B2 11 November 2024

9D1 and 9D2 12 November 2024

9E1 and 9E2 13 November 2024

9N1 and 9N2 14 November 2024

At Hartshill Academy, we believe that thinking about future careers and developing work related skills begins when you join our school in Year 7 and continues throughout their school journey. Providing opportunities to explore new options is part of making informed and aspirational career decisions.

This visit will provide pupils with an overview of a local university, they will explore the campus and take part in some creative team challenges as well as discovering some of the different subject faculties and seeing their extensive facilities.

Much of the day will be outside on the campus so please check the weather and make sure your child has a coat if needed on the day.

The pupils will be taken to the university on a coach, so will need to be in the Atrium for 8:15am, and we will return to school for 1:30pm. Pupils will have an opportunity to have lunch when we are back at school, but if they want to bring a snack to eat while we are at the university then they are free to do this.

To secure a place on this visit for your child please can I ask that you return the Medical Form and also the Consent Form by **Monday 4th November 2024**.

This is an exciting opportunity for our Year 9 pupils and one which we hope will provide both inspiration and information to support their individual careers journey. We will plan future visits to other local providers so that by the time pupils reach Year 11 they have both careers knowledge and experience of the choices available to them.

Yours sincerely,

Principal: Miss L Taylor

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