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Dear Parent/Carer,

On Thursday 8th October, students in Year 11 will be taking part in a 'World of Work' event. This is an important day for your child as they begin their preparation for life after GCSE's and planning their future pathways.

Students will take part in a range of workshops including preparing a CV and practicing interview and negotiation techniques that will help them to develop the essential skills they need as they enter the world of work.

The students will also have the opportunity to speak to a range of employers in a 'careers speed networking' style workshop. Being able to do this confidently is a skill they will use in many situations in the future, including sixth form or apprenticeship interviews, voluntary work, university and other development opportunities. We will support the students in preparing for this session by giving them some suggested questions to ask the employers taking part and also encouraging them to develop their own questions. Please do discuss this with them at home to help them make the most of the event.

I am sure the students will find it an enjoyable and interesting day.

Yours faithfully

Miss Helen Stedman
Head of Careers