

July 2022

Dear Parent/Guardian

WORK EXPERIENCE: Monday, 18th - Friday, 22nd July 2022

As you will be aware our Year 10 Work Experience week is rapidly approaching. In the current climate we understand that finding placements has been more challenging than in past years. Our records show that your son/daughter has unfortunately not managed to secure a placement for this week, or has only secured a placement for part of the week, and will therefore be expected to attend school across this week.

Year 10 students who are in school across this week will have a range of careers and workrelated activities to be involved with and will not be following their usual school timetable but gaining valuable work experience and supporting work within the school community.

In addition to this, Miss Warner (Head of Yr10) and Mrs Burrows (KS4 Pastoral Support) have organised two visits to local colleges to provide students with some valuable time to explore post-16 options and gain some experience of post-16 study. The two college visits are free of charge and there is an expectation that Yr10 students in school attend these. I would therefore ask that parents complete the consent forms online via parent pay for these two visits.

- Monday 18th July Rodbaston College.
- Tuesday 19th July Telford College.

Students will get the opportunity to see what the colleges have to offer and learn about the variety of courses/pathways offered. This will be through a tour and planned sessions with the colleges. On these days, students can attend in their own clothes. It is advisable that students bring a packed lunch and bottle of water however there may be opportunity to purchase food and snacks at the colleges or from local facilities.

Yours faithfully

Tom Williams

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