



GROBY COMMUNITY COLLEGE

Achieving Excellence Together

Principal: Robert Coles

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Dear Parent/Carer

Discover a World of Difference: Thursday 25 June 2015 – Trip to Leicester College

Leicester College are offering students in Year 9 and 10 an opportunity to attend taster sessions in vocational subjects. These will take the form of 2 workshops to be held on Thursday 25 June on their Abbey Park and St Margaret's campus.

We have pleasure in inviting your child to attend this event, and although there is a cost involved, both for the function and the transport, we are providing this visit free of charge to our students through pupil premium funding. We have 30 spaces available, which will be filled on a first come, first served basis. Each student can attend two workshops, one in the morning and one in the afternoon, **though both workshops should be chosen need to be on the same campus please.**

The benefits of the day include:

- providing a practical, engaging experience for year 9 and year 10 learners
- providing the opportunity for students who may wish to pursue a vocational related route after their GCSEs or those who have not yet made up their mind, to taste the Further Education experience and the wide range of subject specialisms and progression routes available to them
- giving learners activities that will meet a range of ability needs
- providing free and impartial careers advice to learners.

The programme of the day is as follows:

9.30am Arrival and registration

9.45am Welcome

10am to 12pm Workshop 1

12pm to 12.45pm Lunch* and Careers drop in

12:45 to 2:40pm Workshop 2

*For lunch, students may either bring a packed lunch or bring money with them to buy food from the college's refectory. Students entitled to free school meals will have a packed lunch provided. Students will return to BVHS/GCC in time to catch the regular service buses at 3:05pm. If your child would like to attend this event, please complete enclosed form and return it to the college by **Friday 24 April 2015**. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

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