



THE BISHOP OF HEREFORD'S BLUECOAT SCHOOL

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Dear Parents/Carers

Year 10 – University Trip 23rd May 2022

To give students the important understanding of the opportunities that are available to them in university courses and the wider experience of what attending a university is like, we are taking Year 10 students to a local University on Monday 23rd May 2022. This opportunity has been funded by Aim Higher which is Government funding available to help young people decide if university might be an option for them in the future.

Our partner universities are:

- The University of Worcester
- Birmingham City University
- University of Wales in Newport
- Cardiff University

The university trip each student attends will be allocated randomly. Each trip day will be organised in the same way and will include a campus tour.

We will depart school promptly at 8.50am and students will be registered on the coaches. Students should report to the coach bays in the school car park where they will be told which coach to get on. We will depart school and return before the end of the normal school day. Please ensure that your child has a packed lunch a further snack and a drink. For students eligible for Free School Meals they can collect a packed lunch from the Conservatory prior to getting on the bus. It is essential that your child also brings any medication that they would normally take if appropriate.

Students will be expected to wear school uniform.

Please note that if you do not wish your child to participate on the trip you must contact the school to let us know. If you do not get in touch we will assume that your child has full permission to participate in the trip.

If you would like to discuss any aspect of the trip, or you have any concerns, please do get in touch with me by e-mail: abanks@bhbs.hereford.sch.uk

We believe this will be a very valuable learning experience.

Yours sincerely

Alan Banks
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