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Dear Parents and Carers

We are delighted to inform you that all Year 7 pupils will have the opportunity to visit Coventry University on Wednesday 21st October as part of our Careers and Aspirations Programme.

At George Eliot Academy, we believe that raising aspirations and developing an awareness of future opportunities begins from the moment pupils join us in Year 7. We are committed to providing meaningful experiences that encourage pupils to think ambitiously about their future, embrace new challenges, and broaden their understanding of the opportunities available to them.

During the visit, pupils will gain an insight into life at a local university. They will tour the campus, take part in creative team challenges, and learn about different academic faculties and the facilities available. Through these experiences, pupils will develop important personal qualities such as confidence, independence, collaboration and resilience, while gaining a greater appreciation of how education can open doors to a wide range of future pathways.

The visit forms an important part of our commitment to developing well-rounded young people with strong character, helping pupils to recognise their potential, work effectively with others and approach their future with ambition and purpose.

Pupils will need to bring a packed lunch, along with a drink and a small snack. For pupils eligible for Free School Meals, the school will provide a packed lunch, which will be arranged in advance.

Pupils will travel by coach, departing from school at 8:40am and returning by approximately 3:00pm.

This promises to be an exciting and inspiring opportunity for our Year 7 pupils, one that will encourage them to think positively about their future and the steps they can take to achieve their goals. We look forward to building on this experience with further visits and activities throughout their time at George Eliot Academy, supporting them as they develop the knowledge, character and confidence to make informed decisions about their future.

Yours sincerely

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