



Launceston College

A Multi Academy Trust

Dear Parents/Carers

Year 8 'Take Your Child to Work' 2022

As part of the careers programme in Year 8 we hope that as many students as possible will be able to take part in our "Take Your Child to Work" project. This scheme has now been running for several years and both students and parents have found it a valuable and enjoyable experience.

This year each tutor group will take part in the scheme on the week beginning the 7th February. Parents and students should arrange one day in that week with their employer and indicate on the reply sheet which day they will be at work so we can inform attendance.

They are allowed to choose **one day** that week to go to work with a close relative or carer. Students can only go to work with a close relative or carer by law because they are under the work experience age of 15 and therefore are not covered by insurance.

The objective of the scheme is to enable pupils to experience the 'real world of work' for one day and to achieve this we hope that the majority of Year 8 pupils can take part. Students not taking part will attend lessons as normal.

We very much hope that you will be able to take your son or daughter to work, or arrange for them to work with a close relative. It is the experience of the work environment that is the important message, rather than the career pathway.

Please return the reply slip included by the 31st January to the Careers and IAG office indicating your choice for the week.

We will keep you informed of any new covid restrictions that may make it necessary to cancel at late notice.

Yours sincerely

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