

February 8th, 2022.

Dear Parent/Carers,

Re: Trip to 'What University? & What Career? Live' Event at the NEC: Friday 4th March 2022

I am delighted to inform you that I have managed to reserve tickets for a Careers event hosted by the NEC entitled: 'What University? & What Career? Live'. The trip will take place on **Friday 4th March** and will be for the whole day. We will depart from school at approximately 9.00am and will return by 3.00pm. Pupils **should bring a packed lunch** and some snacks if they wish to; those pupils who are in receipt of free school meals can opt to receive a packed lunch from our catering team – please indicate this on the consent form below. School uniform is to be worn.

This is a fantastic opportunity for Year 11 pupils to further supplement the Careers activities and experiences they have had at Seva School thus so far. During the Fair, pupils will have access to:

- Learning more about the options they have when they leave school and/or college.
- Expert speakers who will cover everything that pupils need to know including student life, getting employed and access to support.
- Benefit from one to one advice with Expert advisors and get the support they need to take their next step with confidence.
- Visit: CV clinic, Careers Advice Lounge, Creative Hub, Disability Support Hub, Future Skills Workshops, Careers Theatre and much more. Follow the link for more information: <https://www.whatcareerlive.co.uk/what-university-what-career-live-birmingham-2022>

University Providers who will be in attendance	Other providers who will be in attendance
Aberystwyth, Aston, Bangor, Bath, Birmingham, Birmingham City, Cardiff Met, Cardiff, Derby, De Montfort (Leicester), East Anglia, Exeter, Falmouth, Gloucestershire, Huddersfield, Keele, Kent, Lancaster, Liverpool, Liverpool Hope, Loughborough, Newcastle, Northampton, Oxford, Oxford Brookes, Reading Regents, Roehampton (London), Sheffield Hallam, Solent (Southampton), South Wales, Staffordshire, Swansea, Warwick, Worcester, UCFB (University Campus of Football Business), Creative Arts, and more.	Access Creative College (Media and Music), AON, CBRE (real estate/investment), Creative Alliance (training), GCHQ, Epsom, Escape Studios, J.P.Morgan (finance), NHS Health Careers, Pearson Business School, PGL Travel (gap year), RAF, Royal Navy, Schneider Electric, Security Service MI5, Secret Intelligence Service (MI6), Scope (disability charity), The British and Irish Orthoptic Society, The Springboard Charity, US-UK Fulbright Commission, WaterBear, The College of Music, and more.

The cost of the trip will be **£7.00** which includes the coach hire and the tickets have been sourced for **free**. This is a voluntary activity undertaken with the permission of the school governors which, under the terms of the new Education Act, we must make plain is additional to the curriculum. We can, however, only afford to run this trip if it is funded by voluntary contributions from parents and we are asking you to contribute £7.00 to cover the costs. Assistance may be provided for any family in receipt of Family Income Support. **If the voluntary contributions do not cover the cost of the trip it may have to be cancelled.**

If you would like your son/daughter to take part in this trip, please complete, sign and return the slip to Ms Gabriel or I **NO LATER THAN Tuesday 15th February 2022**. **This MUST be completed prior to the trip to ensure we have up to date information and in order for us to allow your child to attend.** Payment for the trip can be paid directly to Parent Pay. If you are unable to pay online, please contact the Finance Office who will be able to provide your child with a barcode to enable you to pay at a Pay Point store.

Yours sincerely

Mrs M K Gill (Secondary English)

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REPLY SLIP: Trip to 'What University? & What Career? Live' Event at the NEC: Friday 4th March 2022

Please return the reply slip to your child's form tutor in the first instance.

Pupil Name (full name) Form

I give permission for my child to attend this trip.

I have paid **£7.00** online via Parent-Pay.

Signature of Parent/Carer: **Date:**

Lunch Arrangements

I will provide a packed lunch for my child, as they are not entitled to FSM.

My child has FSM, I would like a school packed lunch to be prepared for my child.

Photo Consent

I consent for my child's photo to be taken during this trip and used for school publication purposes i.e. website, newsletter and twitter.

Signature of Parent/Carer: **Date:**

(Parent/Guardian with legal responsibility for the young person)

Medical Information

Should your son/daughter be receiving any medication or have a medical problem at this present time, which you would like to bring to the attention of staff, please give details below. The first aid staff will take charge of any tablets, etc and will ensure that medication is taken at the appropriate times or in accordance with the instructions.

Details of any Medical Conditions (including any allergies):

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Details of Medication:

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Emergency Contact Details (MUST provide two contacts):

(Contact 1) Name:

Relationship to Student:Telephone Number:

(Contact 2) Name:

Relationship to Student:Telephone Number: