



Hall Green School  
An Academy



Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> October 2019

Dear Parent/Carer

**'Worldskills UK' - Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November 2019**

Your child has been invited to the 'Worldskills UK' event which takes place at the NEC, Birmingham. This event is a partnership between businesses, education and Governments that accelerates young people's careers giving them the best start in work and life. This show aims to inspire and transform lives through a series of interactive events, changing the way we think about careers, skills, training and apprenticeships.

The details are as follows:

**Purpose:** To encounter experts within employment, colleges, universities and training providers. To 'try out' new skills and challenges. To gain valuable knowledge and be inspired by the people they meet. To gain free, impartial, up to date guidance in making suitable, informed career choices for the future.

**Transport and timings:** The group of Year 11 pupils will meet in the school canteen at 9.55am and leave school, along with members of staff at 10:15am. We will travel by coach, supplied by Kings Norton coaches. After our session we will meet at 2.10pm to depart on the coach and return outside Hall Green Library at approximately 3pm.

**Equipment:** Pupils will need to bring their usual equipment and books for their period 1 and 2 lessons. They **MUST** wear their full school uniform. Cold lunches will be available for pupils to collect at 9:55am from the school canteen to take with them. Alternatively, they can buy lunch there, although they can be expensive and sometimes queues. We would recommend they bring a light waterproof coat for the walk to and from the car park in the case of rain.

As part of the organisation's security and safety measures on the day they may ask to scan your bag. Please note there is no charge for this trip. If you would prefer to not miss the time from school, it is also open on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 10am – 4pm. For further information about the show please go to <https://www.worldskillsuk.org/directions/worldskills-uk-live/plan-your-day-at-worldskills-uk-live> Pupils can also download the 'WorldSkills UK LIVE' App and create a 'to do list' of who they want to visit to help ensure they don't miss anything. Search the promotional video on youtube.com 'Worldskills Show Live UK 2019'.

Please can you return *either* the parental consent slip below or give your consent via ParentPay by Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> November.

The emergency school mobile number on the day is **079766 53647**. If there are any changes to your child's emergency contact numbers or medical conditions since the start of the year, please inform the school along with the reply slip.

Yours sincerely

M.Homer  
Careers Leader

*If you do not wish to go please let Miss Homer know by Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> November to allow your place to go to another pupil.*

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**What's there?**



We aim to arrive at 11am, where in your groups you will be able to visit the following Career Sectors:

### Health, Hospitality & Lifestyle

- Beauty therapy; fitness; culinary arts; restaurant services; floristry; hairdressing; butchery.

### Construction & Infrastructure

- Bricklaying; carpentry; plastering; landscape gardening; plumbing; roofing; painting and decorating; wall and floor tiling; furniture and cabinet making; electrical installation.

### Engineering & Technology

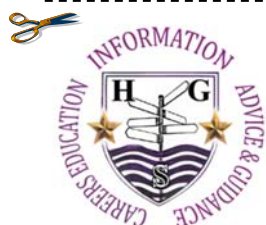
- Automotive; mechanics; industrial electronics; robotics; metalwork; manufacturing; aeronautical; rail; refrigeration & air conditioning; welding; forensic science; mechanical engineering & CAD.

### Digital, Business & Creative

- Web design; IT; cloud computing; customer service; fine jewellery making; graphic design; digital video production and finance

We will have a group meeting on Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> November in the canteen at form time to go through the schedule of the day. You will be given a map on the day of where everything is. There will be 'have a go activities', making the stands fun and interactive. Do your very best to try as many things as you can. There will be lots of people to talk to, skill demonstrations and competitions to watch. Special guest speakers to listen to also.

To make the most of this day go to the website and plan who you want to speak to and note some questions you would like to ask.



MUST BE COMPLETED AND RETURNED BY 3.15pm WEDNESDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER 2019



### 'Worldskills UK' Consent Slip (to be returned to the Careers Office)

I, the parent/carer of ..... Form .....

hereby give permission for my child to visit 'Workskills UK' event on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November at the NEC, Birmingham. By registering for the event you have agreed to the event terms and conditions, including consent to being photographed by the organisers. For a copy of the full Terms and Conditions please see <https://www.worldskillsuk.org/about-us/privacy-policy> or email [getintouch@worldskillsuk.org](mailto:getintouch@worldskillsuk.org). Please note we will be monitoring your child's penalties and attendance figures, if this is not acceptable they could be removed from the trip.

Signed ..... Date .....

To make the most of the event please note your areas of interest *e.g. Engineering, Web Design etc*

Student mobile number (only to be kept securely by school staff in case of emergency for the duration of the trip)

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