

Year 10 Work Experience: Monday 25th - Friday 29th March 2024

Dear Parent/Carer.

We are pleased to announce that Perins School is once again working in partnership with Education Business Partnership South (EBP South), a consortium which assists schools in offering their students a work experience. We are therefore delighted to be able to offer all our year 10 students the opportunity to take part in a week-long work experience program.

Perins School strongly believes that work experience can contribute to an individual's development by:

- Increasing motivation to study
- Clarifying the relationship between the curriculum and the outside world
- Helping students to discover the application of their own skills, talents, interests and aspirations within the context of work
- Giving students an opportunity to gain first-hand experience of typical working conditions, including health and safety, employer expectations and the rights and responsibilities of both employers and employees
- Allowing students to gain an understanding of adult working relationships and to develop a sense of responsibility

In the next few weeks, we will lead an assembly to give the students information about the weeklong placements and how this will work. To support your child through this process and to have a better understanding of the process of getting a placement we are pleased to invite you into school on Wednesday 20th September 5.30-6.30pm for a Parent Work Experience Information evening.

After the information evening and student assembly, the next steps will now be:

- Students will be given a log on to access the EBP database of local employers who offer work experience placements.
- Students should, in partnership with parents, select their top 3 placements. It is important to note that students will need to make their own way to and from the work experience placement; please consider this when making your selections as the school cannot provide transport.

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- If students are not following the above route and wish to find their own placement, they must complete the 'Own Placement Form' and return this to Miss Craig.
- Once placements have been allocated, all relevant health & safety and consent forms will be sent home for parent signatures.

The work experience placement will last the full five days (Monday 25th March– Friday 29th March 2024) and as a result **year 10 students will not be in school during this time**. Staff from Perins will organise visits of the placements throughout that week.

If you have any questions after attending the information evening, then please contact me via email on craig@perins.hants.sch.uk.

Yours faithfully,

Miss A Craig Assistant Headteacher

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