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Headteacher: Mr K Hirst

9th June 2023

Dear Parent/Carer

Enterprise Days 2023

We have an exciting opportunity for your child to take part in an enterprise day on the following date:

- Year 8: Tuesday 20th June 2023
- Year 9: Wednesday 28th June 2023

This forms part of a wider personal development programme aimed at developing employability skills and will be delivered by an outside provider called 'Young Enterprise', who are experienced in delivering sessions in school settings https://www.young-enterprise.org.uk.

The day will focus on the 'soft skills' that students will need for the world of work and will aim to boost their confidence, communication, teamwork, problem solving, resilience, organisation, financial capability and initiative. Students will be off timetable for approximately 2¹/₂ hours and will complete a series of activities with the following objectives:

- Understand the skills necessary to make successful transitions to the next stage of life and employer expectations.
- Use enterprising skills to solve a business challenge.
- Know how to showcase skills to employers.
- Gain a broader understanding of the world of work through encounters with employers and employees.
- Develop understanding of creating budgets financial mathematics in a real life context.
- Understand how to use information to plan and present persuasively to audiences.
- Gain self-awareness to recognise personal strengths and preferences and what this means for personal development.
- Experience the benefits of working as a team by recognising and using skills of other team members.

Students should be dressed in their normal school uniform and normal school rules will apply concerning jewellery etc.

If you have any questions please contact me on <u>a.williams@brookfieldcs.org.uk</u>

Yours faithfully

Mrs A Williams Assistant Headteacher

