



# St Peter's Catholic High School

WEL/NOM

*A Specialist Visual Arts College*



10<sup>th</sup> March 2017

Dear Parent/Carer,

During the summer term, to help your son/daughter make the correct choice for their future progression, we are planning a series of visits to sixth form colleges and an apprenticeship workshop day. The visits to colleges will enable the pupils to gain an insight into what they can expect from the different colleges whereas the apprenticeship workshop day, which will be delivered at school by a variety of providers, will offer the opportunity to gain an insight into the world of apprenticeships. The visits/workshop day have been arranged as follows:

**Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2017** **Wigan & Leigh College OR Runshaw College**

**Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> July 2017** St John Rigby College (All pupils will visit here for a curriculum enrichment day)

**Friday 7<sup>th</sup> July 2017** **Winstanley College OR Wigan UTC OR Apprenticeship Workshop**

Where the visits are in **bold** please indicate your sons/daughter's preferred choice on the attached form and please also indicate your consent for your child to attend St John Rigby College for a curriculum enrichment day. Pupils will be required to wear school uniform during all of the visits and lunch will be provided at all Colleges.

On the 4<sup>th</sup> July Year 10 pupils will be involved in an enterprise workshop provided by an outside company named 'Bright Futures'. The day is comprised of fast-moving, team-based challenges, where pupils are introduced to the concept of being enterprising individuals. They focus on what enterprise means and how being an enterprising person can have a positive and meaningful impact on their lives now and in the future.

On the 5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> July pupils will participate in an Enterprise Challenge run by school and supported by staff from Wigan and Leigh College and St John Rigby College, taking advantage of their knowledge and in some cases facilities to enhance the learning of the pupils in the world of business. During these days some pupils may have the opportunity to go to St John Rigby College to use their design facilities. The pupils involved will be notified nearer the time but we would like your permission to take these pupils at short notice. The school will notify parents by text.

Obviously pupils being allowed on these visits must have satisfied the school behaviour policy in order to go. Please complete and return the attached reply slip by **Friday 24<sup>th</sup> March 2017**. If there is any further information you require about these visits please do not hesitate to contact me at school.

Yours sincerely,

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To Form Teacher,

I/We give my/our permission for my/our son/daughter \_\_\_\_\_ Form \_\_\_\_\_  
to attend the follow college enterprise visits:

Where the visits are in bold please indicate your son's/daughters preferred choice.

- Wigan & Leigh College** **OR**  Runshaw
- Winstanley College** **OR**  **Wigan UTC** **OR**  **Apprenticeship Workshop \***
- St John Rigby College (All pupils will visit here for a curriculum enrichment day)
- Enterprise activities week (All pupils participate during this week)
- Photographs taken during all visits

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ Parent/Carer Date \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency telephone number(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Any known food allergies \_\_\_\_\_

**\*If you are interested in the Apprenticeship workshop, please indicate which sector you are interested in, for example, Vehicle maintenance, hairdressing**

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