



Hebburn Comprehensive School

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ASP/JE

Head Teacher: Mr D R Thompson

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Dear Parent/Carer

Re: Newcastle College/Sixth Form Taster Day – Monday 10 February 2025

As a school we aim to raise aspirations, challenge stereotypes and encourage pupils to consider a wide range of careers. As part of their careers education and guidance we have arranged for all Year 10 pupils to attend a taster day at **Newcastle College/Sixth Form**. Regardless of the pathway that your child wishes to follow, the day will give them an insight into different career choices.

On the Taster Day pupils will:

- Explore College/sixth form life
- Take a look at different careers and industries
- Get hands-on experience of post 16 options

Pupils will have the chance to meet college/sixth form students, work in the industry standard workshops, salons, kitchens and studios and be taught by lecturers with real industry experience. The Taster Days are fun, informative and inspiring. They will encourage creativity, boost confidence and fill pupils with a sense of achievement. It is a great opportunity for pupils and a chance for them to focus on their future.

Pupils will be travelling by coach; we will leave school at 10am and will return to school at approximately 3pm.

What will they need?

All students will require with a packed lunch. If your child has free school meal and requires a packed lunch or has any dietary requirements, can you please indicate on the consent form attached.

The day will be non-uniform, but we request that you please ensure that your child is dressed appropriately for a school event; there must be no visible tattoos or piercings.

As with any school event we expect the highest degree of behaviour and courtesy. Our pupils conduct themselves exceptionally well on out of school events; however, should there be any issues on the day we will remove your child back to school for you to collect.

Please complete the consent form attached and ask your child to return it to their Form Tutor.

Yours sincerely

A Spark

Mrs A Spark
Careers Coordinator

CONSENT FORM

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Pupil Name: Form:

I agree to my child participating in the above event.

My child is entitled to a free school meal and will require a packed lunch ☐

My child has special dietary requirements ☐

Signed: Date:
Parent/Carer ASP