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Dear Parent/Carer,

Y10 Careers Day – Sheffield Hallam University visit

As part of our Careers offer and to try to help our students in choosing their Post 16 studies and careers, we are organising a **visit and activities day** at **Sheffield Hallam University** on the **18th of July**. We would like to invite your child to take this opportunity to find out more about courses and university life first-hand.

Pupils will be expected to arrive at school at 8.10am for an 8.30am departure to enable Hasland Hall staff to take a register and ensure that we leave promptly in order for the pupils to be able to enjoy and make the most of the University visit. Pupils are not required to wear their school uniform and are welcome to wear sensible clothing. The day will start at 10am, where we will be welcomed onto the campus, and we will have a welcome talk with the university outreach team. This will be followed by the first taster session of the day. Learners will break for lunch at 12pm, where they can head to one of the onsite cafes. We would advise our pupils to take a packed lunch and some spending money to enable them to buy a drink or a snack if they wish to do so.

The second session will commence at 12:45pm in a different curriculum area, allowing learners to fully explore several options. Pupils will also have the opportunity to have a guided visit around campus in order to enable them to gain a better understanding of university life and facilities. The day will draw to a close at 2.30pm. We will then travel back to school. Traffic permitting, we should be back between 3.30 and 4.30pm.

As we are travelling by coach, there will be a £14 charge to pay per pupil. Parent pay is going to be set up in order to facilitate payment. If you are unable to use the portal, please ensure that the money is put in an envelope stating your child name and surname and University visit 18th July and handed to reception to the attention of Mrs Turrini. We would like you to complete the attached forms and return them to school by Monday the 10th July 2023 to enable us to liaise with the university in order to organise the best possible day for our students.

As we have 46 places available to our students, they will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

If there is any reason why your son/daughter is unable to take part in this field study, or you need any additional information please do not hesitate to contact us at school.

Yours sincerely,

Chris Pooley
Assistant Principal

Cristina Turrini
Community Engagement and Careers Lead

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