

8th March 2017

Dear Parent/Carer

Your Future Careers Fair Event

Codsall Middle School are hosting a **Your Future** Careers Fair on 4th April 2017 at 6pm.

This event, being delivered by Staffordshire Chambers of Commerce, is part of a Careers and Enterprise Company funded national project to deliver a series of 115 events through Chambers of Commerce, attracting almost 29,000 young people across England. These events are for young people aged 11-18 to provide them with 'encounters' and information, motivating, inspiring and enabling them to engage more proactively with future careers guidance.

The event aims to be exciting, fast moving and motivational.

We would like to invite you and your son/daughter to attend this **Your Future** Careers Fair, to hear about the range of careers and training opportunities available to them. This will help to inform their decision when they come to choose their options.

There will also be hundreds of other young people attending from the area and we wouldn't want your child to miss out on the opportunity to attend this fantastic event.

The **Your Future** Careers Fair will include:

- Attendance by local businesses who will provide information on careers in their companies
- Employed young people with real life experiences of what to expect in employment and what career progression options are available
- 'Have a Go' activities provided by a variety of organisations in different industries to give the young people a taster of what is involved in the work place
- Information to raise awareness of the broad range and levels of Apprenticeships
- Attendance by local Colleges, Universities and Training Providers

We would also like to invite parents to come along as an exhibitor, to promote their careers, sector or industry the next generation. It is also a fantastic opportunity to promote your businesses to parents, young people and other local businesses. If you would like to attend as an exhibitor please contact steven.hopwood@staffordshirechambers.co.uk

If you have any questions or would like more information, please do not hesitate to contact us.

Kind regards

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