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As part of the Careers Programme at Winterton Community Academy, you and your child in Year 9-11 are invited to attend the Careers Fair on Thursday 12th October 2023.

Being able to interact with local employers and higher education institutions can help to inspire young people about their future. We as a school want to promote this. To date, there are five colleges attending the event which offer a diverse range of courses from A-levels, to T-Levels, apprenticeships, and Level 3 courses. There are parents and ex-students from our school community who have volunteered to share their journeys and to inform our young people how to enter in to the same or similar professions. There are employers in our region who will be attending such as British Steel and Wren Kitchens. Together with this there will also be representatives from the Army and Fire Service.

Pupils in Year 9 are encouraged to attend the event with an open mind and to explore the range of careers that they could do with their potential GCSE options. Staff have volunteered to help make links between the subjects that Winterton Community Academy offer and the skills that are sought by employers. Pupils in Year 10 and 11 will be attending at different stages on their journey to making a decision and therefore some may be finalising details with the institution where they are going to be educated next academic year, or they may still be exploring their options and finding out how much hard work they still need to do to reach their dreams.

There will be staff members in attendance to have supportive and guiding conversations with. Although it is parents and guardians that know their children best, I ask that parents move along the stalls with their children to offer further guidance.

The Careers Fair will start at 4.00 p.m. Please note that all stalls are being run by volunteers and last entry will be at 6.00 p.m.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs A Dalowsky
Assistant Headteacher/Careers Leader