

17th November 2022



Dear Parents/Carers

On Thursday 24th November 2022 all Year 11 pupils will be involved in a Next Steps Day where they will experience what it is like to be a Sixth Form student at Barr Beacon School. Year 12 teachers will be involved in the day and will therefore be setting Year 12 students independent study work to complete at home.

This will also be an ideal opportunity for your child to explore what their 'Next Steps' are going to be. They should consider using some of this time to research possible university courses or apprenticeships. A good place to begin is with our Year 12 Future Planning Guide, which has numerous useful resources for students and parents. Our school website also has a dedicated Careers Page with lots of useful information.

Now would also be a good time for students to contact employers about work experience. Year 12 Work Experience Week is taking place from Monday 17th to Friday 21st July 2023. We have tasked students with securing a work placement and the earlier they start making contact with employers, the better their chances of securing a valuable experience.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours sincerely

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