



Castle Rushen
High School

24th October 2019

Dear Parent/Guardian

I am writing to you about two curriculum events designed to help your son/daughter make informed decisions about their future after Year 11. Although we recognise that many pupils already have clear plans it is important that all pupils have investigated the range of options available.

On Thursday 7th November 2019 students will visit the Villa Marina in Douglas to take part in the annual Employment and Skills Fair. This is an event for all schools and provides access to a wide range of employers who are available to discuss possible future career choices for those leaving school at the end of Year 11 and those who may be considering higher education. Students will leave school at 10.30am after period 1 and travel to the Villa Marina via bus, returning in time for lunch at 1pm.

On Friday 22nd November 2019 the University College Isle of Man is holding a "Taster Session". Whilst we recognise some Year 11 students may not be considering this as their next step, it may inform them of alternative pathways and further education available here on the island. The half day event will give an insight into both A Levels and a range of more vocational options. Students will leave after morning registration and return for the start of lunch.

Students need to be dressed smartly in school uniform for both events.

Please complete the slip below and return to your child's tutor no later than Monday 4th November. Please contact me if you have any questions or concerns about either of these events.

Yours faithfully,

Mr G Deakin
Head of year 11

Student Name: _____ Tutor Group _____

**Please delete as appropriate*

I ***do/*do not** give permission for my son/daughter to attend both the Employment and Skills Fair and IOM College Taster Day in November.

Parent/Guardian Name _____

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

Please return to your child's form tutor by 4th November

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