



FEARNHILL SCHOOL

Headteacher – Mr Spencer, BSC

Our ref: HCN/SCR

24th May 2024

Dear Parent/Carer

Year 9 University of Hertfordshire Trip

Your son/daughter has been selected to visit the University of Hertfordshire on Wednesday 19th June. These spaces are limited and students have been selected at random. The idea of the visit is to raise the aspirations of students who may not have considered going to University to further continue their education and enhance their career prospects.

The trip will also be very useful for those students who have considered going to university to gain an insight into what life on campus would be like. They will hear first-hand from students from the university; have a tour of the campus and carry out exercises in budgeting and learn about the practical skills needed living away from home.

Students will need to arrive in school promptly at the usual time and we will be departing at 8:45am. We are expecting to return to Fearnhill at approximately 3:15pm and students will be able to go home on arrival back at school. Students must bring a packed lunch as they will be unable to purchase food on site. Students who are in receipt of free school meals will be provided with a packed lunch. Students are expected to wear school uniform. Students will spend a portion of the day outside and therefore should be dressed appropriately for the weather, i.e. coats or sunscreen.

I am delighted to say that the cost of the trip is covered by the University of Hertfordshire Widening Access team and therefore there is no cost implication.

As you have previously completed a global consent form for school trips and other off-site activities for your child, you will have already given your permission for them to participate in this trip, if this is not the case your child will be given a consent form for you to complete. Please inform the School office if any of your contact details have changed.

We look forward to an enjoyable trip where we expect the same high standards of behaviour as in school. The School reserves the right to withdraw any student at any time, if they have behaviour issues in accordance with our policy. We hope that this will be a useful and rewarding day and will inspire your son/daughter for their future pathway. If you have any questions about the trip please contact me via email: admin@fearnhill.herts.sch.uk

Yours sincerely

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