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Dear Parents/Carers

Etone College Careers Day – Thursday 25th October 2018

We will be holding a whole school careers day at Etone College on **Thursday 25th October 2018**. The aim of the day is to inspire pupils' exploration of career opportunities, expand their networks and open their eyes to exciting opportunities.

The Gatsby Foundation 'Good Career Guidance' Report states that good career guidance is critical if young people are to raise their aspirations and capitalise on the opportunities available to them.

Etone College works hard to promote impartial careers advice to its pupils and the careers day will encourage aspirations for all.

Year 9 pupils will be participating in an 'Apprentice' style careers day where they will be designing and making a new healthy biscuit snack. Pupils will be split into small groups and will each be designated a 'role' within the team. Pupils will experience roles in design, packaging, marketing (including social media), manufacturing and sales. This is a fun and interactive way for pupils to learn about potential future careers. We will hold a competition for the best design which will be judged by Mr Smith during period 5.

Pupils are expected to be in college at the normal time and wear full school uniform. Lunch will be at 1.00pm.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact Miss Waite or Mr Mitchell on 02476 757300.

Yours faithfully

Mr I Smith
Headteacher

Mr J Mitchell
Head of Sixth Form

If you or anyone you know would like to give a careers talk to pupils, please contact Miss Waite on 02476 757300.

