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Dear Parents/Carers

UCAS Create Your Future Exhibition

I am writing to inform you of an opportunity to visit the UCAS exhibition of different universities and professional colleges for the creative Arts subjects. It will be held on **Wednesday 23rd November, at Manchester Central Convention Complex**. We will be travelling via coach direct to the convention centre where students will be able to talk to the different universities to find out about their courses. This is a fantastic opportunity to find out about courses

Students are to arrive at school as normal and meet us at 8.35am on the bus bay to be registered. We will leave QEGS at 8:45am and arrive in Manchester for approximately 11am. We recommend students bring their own food as there is limited provision to purchase food. During their slot at the exhibition, students will be able to gather prospectuses and information on courses they offer to help select their courses for post-16 and Higher Education. We will leave the convention centre at 1pm to arrive back at school by 3pm (dependent on traffic).

We are asking for a voluntary contribution of **£9.00**, which is to be paid via Parentpay*. The law currently allows us to make no charge for this category of educational activity, though we may ask for voluntary contributions. No student may be excluded from the activity because of a parent's unwillingness or inability to make a financial contribution. However, if the voluntary financial contributions received do not cover the cost of all the trip, it may not take place. The deadline for making this payment, via Parentpay, is 3rd November 2022. If you want your child to attend, but are unable to meet the cost, please contact finance@qegs.email.

If you wish to discuss this further, please do not hesitate to contact the dance department on extension 1327.

Yours faithfully

Mrs S Corboz

Curriculum Leader for Dance and Drama