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# Community Careers Newsletter

## **.. CAREERS FAIR FEEDBACK ..**

Welcome to the Kingswood Secondary's Aspiration and Careers Newsletter for January 2024  
**Careers Fair on Thursday, January 18<sup>th</sup> 2024**

We would like to take this opportunity to thank all members of the community for supporting our Careers Fair on January 18<sup>th</sup> 2024.

We welcomed 42 employers and their employees into the Academy to give our students a valuable insight into a range of careers.

### **Our aims were clear:**

- Broaden aspirations and challenge stereotypes, particularly in time for Year 9 students choosing their options.
- Help children make links between the subjects they are studying and their futures and in doing so motivate them to work harder and improve their educational attainment.
- Increase students' awareness to the vast array of careers available to them.
- Raise the awareness of vocational and alternative pathways.
- Develop and maintain links with local employers.

### **How did we do? Here is the feedback from students and employers:**

98% of students said they loved the event

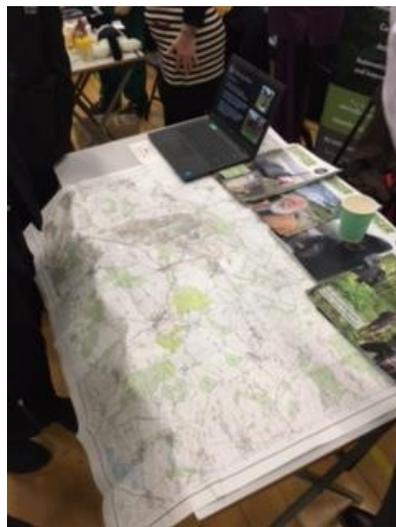
57% of students said the event helped them with their options

20% of students said they thought the employers were kind and respectful to them

100% of employers said they would return next year and offered further support to students e.g., interviews

99% of employers said students were polite and interested in what they had to say

100% of employers said they were pleased with the organisation of the event



A huge thank you to all students, parents, carers who attended and participated in our careers fair.

The final word ... THANK YOU so very much to everyone who came as an employer or employee to offer their support. We very much look forward to working with you in the future.

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### The Kingswood Secondary Academy Careers Event, 18<sup>th</sup> January 3 – 6pm

