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Dear Parents/Carers

BBC Bitesize Careers Tour

During our recent Park Development (PD) Day before half term, we were lucky to welcome the BBC Bitesize Careers Tour into school. The key focus of the tour is to inspire young people about their future job prospects.

They brought with them some panellists (local to this area) who were able to talk about their current jobs and the skills needed for them.

We welcomed:

Josh Oliverio (Senior Producer, Climax Studios)
Angharad Riddoch (BBC Radio Solent, Journalist)
Aga Sawicka (Cardiology Technician)

The presenter and producer Ross Fiddes commented on the engagement of students, the quality of their questions and the impressive nature of mutual respect shown between students as they interrogated the panel.

Please see the letter from the BBC Bitesize team which contains more information about careers and links to find out more.

Yours faithfully

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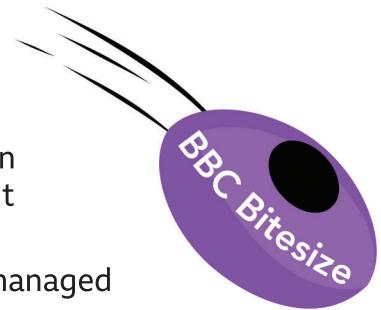
Dear Parent/Guardian,

You may be aware that we visited your child's school as part of our BBC Bitesize Careers Tour in partnership with Technicians: We Make the Difference, which hopefully they enjoyed.

The Bitesize Careers Tour aims to visit 110,000 secondary school students across the UK in a bid to inspire young people about their future job prospects and forms part of a wider remit of the BBC to inform, educate and entertain.

As part of the event, your child will have been introduced to three panellists from a variety of job sectors in your local area, which has hopefully sparked their imagination with regards to what might be achievable for them in the future. In addition, one of our well-known BBC presenters will have led the session and offered their own input into their career journey.

Please do ask your child about the event and whether or not they managed to catch our infamous rugby ball!



How can Bitesize Careers help?

Schools are often a starting point for your child to think about their future, but BBC Bitesize is also here for them every step of the way. You may be familiar with the wide range of educational content on offer via BBC Bitesize, but there's also a huge amount of content available to them with regards to careers.

Please do explore our site when you get a moment, as it might help spark a conversation with your child about their future career.

It's never too early to start thinking about this!

How can Technicians: We Make The Difference help?

Throughout our schools tour, we've been working closely with our partners at Technicians: We Make the Difference, and your child will have been introduced to a variety of technician roles at our event (and may have even met a technician too)!

Technicians make a difference across society, doing exciting and interesting jobs in almost all industries - from making medicines to creating blockbuster movies. And with hundreds of interesting technician roles to choose from, there's something to suit everyone, and your child won't need a degree to get started! It's certainly worth exploring these roles with your child.

Find out more at bbc.co.uk/bitesize/careers and technicians.org.uk/parents/