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Dear Parents and Carers,

National Careers Week: 18th – 22nd March 2024

Our usual National Career Week events are taking place this term and I am delighted to be able to share with you details of our visiting speakers.

Each year group will hear from one of our speakers in their assembly, and then that speaker will stay on to be involved in a focused workshop during period 1 with students interested in that speaker's profession. Students have been invited to register to take part in these sessions via an email sent to them with a Google Forms link, so please do encourage your child to consider attending sessions they might have an interest in if they haven't yet done so.

Our guest speakers this year are:

- **Mon 18th – Business Owner – eco tourism and holiday company**
- **Tue 19th – Scientist – operating within a technology-based company**
- **Wed 20th – hair & beauty, hospitality, business owner (2 guests, both ex-SVC students)**
- **Thur 21st – Transport and building project manager (civil engineering, environment careers)**
- **Fri 22nd – UK athlete/business degree student (ex-SVC student)**

I also wanted to share with you some useful resources you might want to look at and discuss with your child. Whilst we have a full careers programme at the school, research has shown that most young people develop their future aspirations at home and so conversations with parents or carers are highly influential.

The Parents Guide to NCW 2024 – <https://ncw2020.co.uk/booklets-guides/> Packed full of information about study and career pathways, and links to further support and guidance.

National Careers Week Virtual Careers Fair - <https://ncw2024.co.uk/> An interactive virtual fair with focus on banking, NHS, maritime, engineering and UK Space Agency

Yours sincerely,

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