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Dear Parent / Carer,

Re: Year 9 Visit to Sunderland University – Expression of Interest (0041-22GSM)

As part of the Gatsby Benchmarks for Good Career Guidance in schools, pupils are required to have several interactions with universities during their time at secondary school.

The Longfield Careers Team have arranged for Year 9 pupils to visit Sunderland University on Wednesday 7th December and Friday 9th December 2022. During the visit, pupils will take a tour of the campus, gain an insight into higher education and complete a decision-making workshop.

If your child is interested in taking part, please complete the expression of interest form via the link below, indicating on which date you'd like your child to attend. Please note, we will try where possible to allocate places to your date of preference however, if your first preference is full, we will allocate your child to the other date. The deadline for completion of the form is **3.00pm on Monday 14th November 2022**.

[Y9 Sunderland University Visit - Expression of Interest Form \(please use this link\)](#)

Please be aware, places on the visits are limited. After the deadline has passed, all expressions of interest will be collated. If the visits are oversubscribed, places will be allocated via a ransom selection process. We will then inform parents / carers as to whether their child has been successful in securing a place.

In the meantime, if you have any questions about the event, please do not hesitate to contact the Longfield Careers Team via main reception on 013325 380 815 or by email.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully,

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