Dear parents and carers,

As you may know, during the summer term of Year 10 we aim to get our students to engage with a work experience placement. At this point, it is looking unlikely that "work experience" in its usual format will take place. We are keen to support students with understanding the range of possibilities available for their next steps post Year 11.

We are in a lucky position to have Kirsten Bryan-Brown, our careers and aspirations specialist in school who works with our Key Stage 4 students to prepare and support them.

In order to start discussions with students, it would be beneficial to have their initial thoughts and ideas about the direction they would like to move forwards in post GCSE's. It is our aim to provide all year 10 students with a 1-2-1 meeting with Mrs Bryan-Brown prior to the summer break.

The link below will take students to a quick form to fill in which I encourage all students to complete this week. I expect to have students who have a clear idea and plan of their career path along with students who don't have any ideas – both are absolutely fine! I always say to students that if you told me aged 15 that I would be a teacher, I would have not believed it!

## Year 10 Careers Survey

Alternatively to clicking the link there is also a QR code which can be scanned which again will take students directly to the form -



I have shared the above information on Show My Homework with the year group, along with an email to their school account, with a deadline of **Friday 12<sup>th</sup> February** 

If you have any questions please just drop me an email

Thank you in advance for your support,

Kind regards Rachel Pelling