



St Robert of Newminster Catholic School and Sixth Form College



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Northumbria University On Campus Visit

Dear Parent/Carer

On Friday 26th April, the whole of Year 12 will be visiting Northumbria University in Newcastle, as part of our access to Higher Education programme. This visit is as a result of our All Stars Partnership with Northumbria University. **We will be expecting the students to make their own way to Newcastle and the Year 12 team will meet them outside the Sutherland Building on Northumberland Road at 9.45am. Meeting points will be explained to the students beforehand.** During the day the students will receive a tour of the campus, be involved in sessions looking at the university application process and also information sessions about Degree Level Apprenticeships. Although the day is being held at the university, those students who will be looking for apprenticeships and employment, after Sixth Form, will benefit from the day. **The day is expected to finish at 3pm and students will be asked to make their own way home from Newcastle.**

Lunch is not provided students will have the opportunity to purchase something during their lunchbreak or they can bring their own lunch. If you child receives a bursary payment they should keep all receipts and we will refund them from their bursary, however, if your student would prefer a school packed lunch, could you let me know by Wednesday 24th April so that I can arrange that to be prepared. Packed lunches can only be provided for students receiving bursary payments. The day is a compulsory school day and therefore any non-attendance will be classed as unauthorised unless a valid reason is provided from you.

Any questions about the visit, please contact me on the telephone number above, or via email at ddent@str.bwcet.com

Please sign and return the reply slip below, via your child’s tutor, to acknowledge you understand that your child will be expected to make their own way to and from the event in Newcastle.

Yours faithfully,

Mr D Dent
Head of Year 12

I understand that my child is expected to make their own way to and from the event being held at Northumbria University in Newcastle.

Student Name.....
Signed (Parent)..... Date.....

