

Business Networking Events at Testwood School January 2024-Year 10



Pupil survey outcomes:

- 1. 96% of pupils learnt about job types / careers that they didn't know about.
- 2. 99% have an understanding of how workplaces are structured and the different roles people play.
- 3. 59.5% would consider a career in Science, Technology, Engineering, Arts or Maths.
- 4. 24% would change their mind about a future career based on this experience.



Covid restriction question; 46% believe Covid impacted on the school careers programme, meeting employers or going on careers visits.

Pupil comments from Question 5:

What is one thing learned from the networking session?

'The interview process'

'You can teach drama in the NHS-Drama Therapist'

'You get paid in apprenticeships'

'NHS speech therapist'

'Structure of workplaces / industry'

'You don't wear jeans to an interview'

'Apprenticeships pay well'

'There are many divisions of engineering'

'Teamwork is important'

'Construction industry is more than just builders'

'You need GCSE's'

'Jobs boards exist'