



9<sup>th</sup> March 2017

Dear Parents and Carers

## Construction & Engineering Skanska NW Cambridge site visit.

In order to enhance students' understanding and experience of the construction and engineering industries, we have organised a school trip for **Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March 2017**, to the Skanska North West Cambridge Development. Skanska have developed a tour of the construction site which will allow the students to engage with modern methods of construction. The students will also meet employees of Skanska to gain an understanding of what life is like in the construction and engineering world.

We will be traveling by coach which will depart from Ely College at 11:00am, we shall return to Ely College at 3:00pm, in time for the departure of the school buses.

Students will experience:

- Site induction
- Walking tour of construction site
- Use of construction site facilities including canteen
- Meeting role models in the construction & engineering industry and how to apply for apprenticeships.

In order for the trip to take place, we ask you to make a contribution of **£10.00**. Although such a contribution is voluntary, in reality we have no alternative source of funding. If sufficient contributions are not received to make the visit financially viable, it will be cancelled and all contributions will be refunded. If you wish your son or daughter to take advantage of this opportunity, please complete the attached form and return it with cash, cheque (made payable to Ely College) or through Wisepay, to the Finance Office by Monday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2017.

If you qualify for Pupil Premium Grant support and would like to access some of this funding towards this trip, please tick the relevant box on the reply slip.

Students need to bring their own packed lunch and drinks. They are expected to wear the correct school uniform and suitable clothing for the weather. Please note that places for this trip are limited to **25** and will be on a first come, first served basis. We reserve the right to withdraw any student involved in any disciplinary procedure before the trip and we will be unable to refund any money paid. Students are already looking forward to this exciting opportunity to enhance their learning and experience of construction and engineering. If you have any queries, please don't hesitate to contact us via email:

[dmackintosh@elycollege.co.uk](mailto:dmackintosh@elycollege.co.uk) [afisher@elycollege.co.uk](mailto:afisher@elycollege.co.uk)

Yours faithfully

Mr Mackintosh & Mr Fisher  
Construction & Engineering

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I give permission for \_\_\_\_\_ to visit Skanska NW Cambridge site

Form: \_\_\_\_\_

- I enclose a payment of £10.00 (Cash or Cheque – cheques made payable to Ely College)
- I have paid through Wisepay (preferred option) a payment of £10.00
- I qualify for Pupil Premium support and would like to access some of this funding towards this trip.
- My son/daughter is entitled to free school meals and will require a packed lunch

Signature of Parent/Carer: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name of Parent/Carer: \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE RETURN THE COMPLETED FORM WITH PAYMENT TO Mr Mackintosh or Mr Fisher  
by 13<sup>th</sup> March 2017**