

9th January 2018

KBR/JHW/V50

Dear Parent/Carer

As a reward for continued excellent progress in terms of GCSE / A-Level predicted grades and PPE results I have pleasure in offering your son/daughter the opportunity to experience a day in London with the company BDO and a visit to the Sky Garden in Fenchurch Street, on Thursday 18th January 2018. We will leave The Academy at 8:30a.m and return by 3:15p.m.

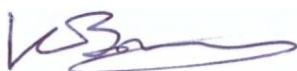
BDO executives will host us from 11am - 1pm and cover topics including:

1. Working life in London
2. The skills and attributes employers are looking for from young people
3. Career pathways within BDO

The Sky Garden is situated at the top of the commercial building '20 Fenchurch Street' and is perhaps better known as the 'Walkie-Talkie' building due to its unique shape. The Sky Garden will offer students a stunning view of London and hopefully further inspire them to realise the number of incredible career opportunities available in our capital city. Please note that Year 11 students need to be in full Academy uniform and Post 16 students in Business dress as per the academy policy.

Transport will be by minibus to the O2 Arena followed by the London Underground. Lunch will be provided in the BDO building. The cost of the visit is £10 per student and payment needs to be made through ParentPay. If you do not have a ParentPay account please contact Mel O'Connor on 01322 62050 or email melinda.oconnor@leighacademy.org.uk. Cash and cheques are no longer accepted at the Academy. Current legislation permits us to ask only for a voluntary contribution towards the cost of the visit. No student will be discriminated against on the inability to pay. However, if sufficient money is not raised through contributions, then the visit will have to be cancelled. If you are interested in allowing your child the opportunity to be part of the London visit, please return the reply slip and medical consent form to Mr Brewer, and pay the non-returnable amount of £10 via ParentPay no later than **Friday the 12th of January.**

Yours sincerely



Kevin Brewer
Head of College
Da Vinci College

The Leigh Academy

Please complete and return to Mr Brewer in Da Vinci College

I give my permission for my son/daughter to attend the BDO visit to London on Thursday 18th January 2018.

£10 Payment has been made via ParentPay.

I agree to my son/daughter receiving medication as instructed and any emergency dental, medical or surgical treatment, including anaesthetic or blood transfusion, as considered necessary by the medical authorities present.

Student Name: _____ Tutor Group: _____

Signature: _____ Date: _____