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Dear Parent / Carer,

Re: Longfield Year 7 PROUD Army Day (0003-23GSM)

As part of your child's careers programme at Longfield, WO2 Glenn Littlewood - Schools Engagement Warrant Officer, will work with Year 7 pupils in school on Wednesday 13th September 2023.

The aim of this session is to help pupils develop self-resilience, teambuilding skills, problem solving abilities, effective communication and give an awareness of the 'world of work'. This is an excellent opportunity for your child to develop new skills and personal competencies which will help them with their PSHCE.

On the day, each form will complete one practical session. Pupils will be in normal lessons apart from when they are attending their one-hour session. The session will take place outside (please ensure your child has some suncream to apply). If the weather is inclement, activities will be moved inside.

Pupils are required to come to school in their Longfield PE kit – with black tracksuit bottoms / leggings, hoodies and trainers and a refillable bottle to ensure they stay hydrated. All pupils will also attend a year group assembly to find out more about careers in the army.

If you do not wish for your child to take part in the activity, please send an email to gillsmith@longfield.swiftacademies.org.uk stating your decision as well as your child's full name and form group. Responses must be received no later than Monday 11th September 2023.

Yours faithfully,



Mrs G Smith
Careers Advisor