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Dear Parents and Carers,

RE: RGS Careers Education Provision-Feedback Request 2024-25

We hope this message finds you well. As we approach the end of another successful academic year, we would like to take a moment to reflect on our school's achievements and look ahead to the future.

As you may know, RGS Careers Provision was awarded the status of *National Centre of Excellence & Leading Practice in Careers* in 2024. We were also delighted to receive commendation from our local MP Emma Reynolds who visited the school and shared a <u>press release</u> acknowledging the impact of our programme. In our February Ofsted inspection, the provision was described as follows:

"Through the <u>excellent</u> careers programme, pupils are <u>regularly</u> exposed to representatives from the world of work, education and training including school alumni. Consequently, pupils are <u>extremely well prepared</u> for their next steps and to be <u>positive</u> citizens of modern Britain."

Whilst it is fantastic to receive such external validation, we never lose sight of who we are here to serve: **our students, our parents and our wider community.** That's why **your feedback is so important** to us. It helps ensure we remain responsive, relevant and ambitious in how we support each young person's future.

As your child may have shared, they have had the opportunity to participate in a wide range of careers-related activities this year. We would be extremely grateful if you could take just a few minutes to complete this short <u>Careers Provision Feedback Survey</u>. Your responses are anonymous and the insights you provide will be invaluable in shaping our careers education for 2025–26.

If you are interested in contributing to next year's programme- whether through talks, workshops, mock interviews, assemblies, work experience opportunities, articles or another form of involvement- please don't hesitate to contact us at **careers@rgshw.com**. It is through the generosity and support of our parent and alumni community that we are able to deliver such an enriching and forward-thinking provision.

Thank you for your time, encouragement and partnership. If you have any questions or would like to discuss your feedback in more detail, please do feel free to get in touch.

Best regards

Yours sincerely,

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