

Dear Parents/Guardians,

On March 18th, 2020, Westwood Collegiate has registered all grade 11s to have the opportunity to attend the Rotary Career Symposium at the RBC Convention Centre free of charge. This annual event is an invaluable opportunity for your child to get exposure and information from all of Manitoba's top employers, education, and training institutions. In addition, there are 24 speakers giving detailed career information in a wide array of fields (please see the attached list). Your child will have the opportunity to meet professionals working in their fields, and ask them questions about qualifications, job market prospects, working conditions, and benefits. As well, demonstrations and hands-on activities will be provided to highlight skills and products from each profession. This is an essential opportunity for your child to explore career choices and begin to bring their career and educational goals into focus.

Students will be required to arrange their own transportation to the Convention Centre for 9:30 am on Tuesday March 18th and are expected to return to the school for afternoon classes for 1:10 pm.

Please fill out the attached permission form and return it to the school front desk or Student Services no later than **March 16th**.

If you have any questions please feel free to contact Gary Fewer or Carla Bennett in the Guidance department by email at gary.fewer@sjasd.ca or carla.bennett@sjasd.ca or call the school at 204-888-7650.

