

# Step into HE



## Vocational Progression into Higher Education Fair for Herefordshire & Worcestershire

Worcester Rugby Football Club, Tuesday 2 November 2010

### What is the Aim of the Event?

To provide young people with the opportunity to **discuss progression into higher education (HE) in vocational subjects** with HE providers, employers who favour HE qualifications and Aimhigher/Connexions Advisors.

### Who Should Attend?

**Years 11, 12 & 13 students who are interested in following a vocational pathway**, though all are welcome.

### What time can Visitors attend?

The event will be open from 9.30am—2.00pm. At the time of booking you will be asked to select a convenient 1½ hr timeslot.

### What makes this Event different from other HE Fairs?

- There is an **emphasis on vocational subject areas**
- Visitors can get **careers advice and signposting** from qualified advisors
- Visitors can **speak to employers about graduate careers** in their organisation/industry

### What is the Programme for the Event?

**Exhibition Hall\*** - An exhibition including:

- local **further education colleges and universities** who provide higher education courses;
- **local employers** who have a commitment to higher education;
- **careers advisors** offering individual advice and guidance.

\* see overleaf for a list of the exhibitors at last years' event.

**Talk** - A 20 minute talk giving a general overview of higher education. There will be separate talks for Year 11 and Years 12/13.

### How do I book places for our School/College to attend?

If you wish to book places for your School/College to attend, please contact your local Aimhigher Co-ordinator:

#### Herefordshire Based Schools/Colleges:

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For further information visit: [www.hwlln.ac.uk](http://www.hwlln.ac.uk)

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## Exhibitors

Exhibitors have not yet been confirmed for this years event however a list of the exhibitors that registered for last years event are as follows:

### Further Education Colleges & Universities

Aston University  
Birmingham City University  
Birmingham Metropolitan College  
Bournville College  
Gloucestershire College  
Harper Adams University College  
Hartpury College  
Hereford College of Arts  
Herefordshire College of Technology  
Herefordshire & Worcestershire Group Training Association  
Kidderminster College  
Ludlow College  
Newman University College  
North East Worcestershire College  
Open University  
Robert Owen Group  
South Worcestershire College  
Stourbridge College  
University College Birmingham  
University of Birmingham  
University of Gloucestershire  
University of Wolverhampton  
University of Worcester  
Warwickshire College (inc. Pershore College)  
Worcester College of Technology

### Employers

The Army  
Association for Care Training  
BBC Hereford & Worcester  
Chamber of Commerce, Herefordshire & Worcestershire  
EON  
Fire & Rescue Service, Hereford & Worcester  
Harrison Clark LLP Solicitors  
HSBC  
PGL Travel Ltd  
Royal Air Force  
Royal Navy & Royal Marines  
Sanctuary Group  
Special Metals Wiggin Limited  
University of Worcester  
West Mercia Police  
Worcestershire County Council

### Careers Advice & Guidance

Aimhigher  
Connexions  
Skill Builders  
Wider Horizons