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Dear Year 8 Blaise Families,

### **CPR Training with The Great Western Air Ambulance – Monday 12<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> of January**

At Blaise High School, we are very aspirational for our students and everything we do centres around our vision: every student will climb their own personal mountain to the very best universities in the country or career of their choosing. We believe that hard work towards excellent grades and excellent character gives us the best chance of success in the future. We also understand that an important part of this is giving students the opportunities for employer encounters as part of our Careers Programme.

As such, we are very excited to be welcoming volunteers from The Great Western Air Ambulance who will be running training sessions for our year 8 students throughout Monday 12<sup>th</sup> and Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> of January. Students will learn how to deliver effective CPR and use an Automated External Defibrillator. Each student will attend a 55-minute slot in one of their usual periods led by volunteers from the healthcare profession, hospitals, universities, and emergency services, giving our students a unique exposure to these professions at the same time as they learn invaluable lifesaving skills.

Hearing about other people's careers and experiences since leaving school could help to motivate and inspire our current students to feel more confident in making decisions about their future. If you are interested in helping the students at Blaise High School in reaching their full potential by talking to them about your journey after school, or know someone else who might be, please pass on or fill out your details on our short form [found here](#). We would be particularly interested to hear from past students who would like to share their success with us.

Yours faithfully,

*S Leese*

**Mr Leese**  
**Head of Year 8**  
**Careers lead**

Nat Nabarro, Headteacher

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