

On Thursday 16th November, we took a group of KS4 and 6th form pupils to the NEC Birmingham to experience the exhibitions at 'The Skills Show 2017'. There were 29 pupils in total and each of them behaved impeccably and thoroughly enjoyed their time at the show!



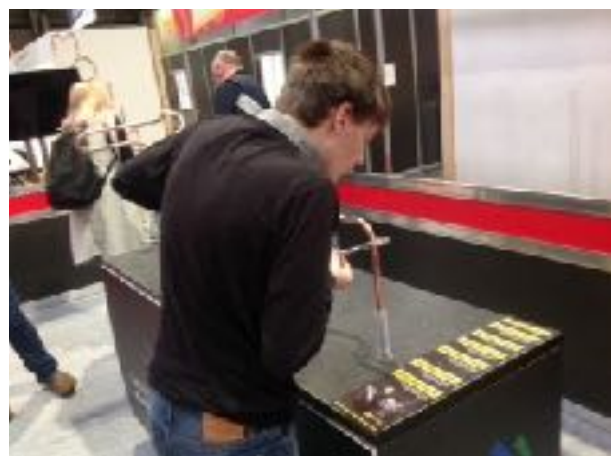
Many of our students will be in the process of deciding what they would like to do after Y11 or after 6th form, and these opportunities to experience what they would do on a course and discuss how they can apply, are invaluable to help them understand if the course is going to be right for them or not.



Throughout the day, pupils had the opportunities to challenge themselves, stepping out of their comfort zones to approach the staff on the stalls, complete challenges but the stalls that offered the most 'freebies' certainly attracted the eye of our pupils the most!!



Our students had the opportunity to try new gadgets, such as virtual reality and 3D and 4D imagery as well as discuss career options in manufacturing or hospitality and many many different sources of education and employment.



To summarise, our students had a fabulous day and are now better prepared to make some of those all important decisions that will shape their promising futures. Who knows, maybe we have the next inventor, military cross nominee or designer in our midst!



