



Noremarsch Futures Festival w/c Monday 18th May 2026

Dear All,

Work is well underway to pull together our annual Futures Festival and we need your help!

Futures festival is Noremarsch's answer to a careers fayre. Throughout the week we will be focussing on skills that children need to move towards the future aims and goals they have set for themselves. As part of that it would be great for the children to hear from you about what your job entails, but especially the skills you need to be successful in your role. We will be focussing on the following skills:

- Listening
- Speaking
- Problem solving
- Creativity
- Staying positive
- Aiming high
- Leadership
- Teamwork

In class, we are going to be thinking about how we learn about and use these skills now and how we can develop them for the future alongside thinking about why they are important skills to have no matter what you want to achieve in life.

We would like you to come in to school and talk to a class for about 30 minutes, to include time for the children to ask questions at the end. If you are happy to talk to more than one class that would be brilliant. If you wear a uniform or use equipment you are able to bring in then please come in uniform and/or bring that in to share with the children as part of your time with the class.

The time you spend with the children and/or any demonstrations that you do, do not need to be inside but can be outside. We are lucky to have extensive ground including a large field, forest area and two playgrounds. At the last event we had emergency vehicles on the playground, demonstrations on the field and animals in school! Class teachers will be with the children at all times and our team will escort you to classes. If you have an enhanced DBS certificate, please can you bring that to share with us on the day or before if you are in school.

Forward planning, it would be really useful at this point to know:

- Your availability for the week if you were able to help,
- If you have a child at Noremarsch would you like to be in their class or not?
- How many classes you can speak to,
- Will you be bringing any equipment in if you were able to come.

With Warmth

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