

Year 11 Mock interview feedback. 15th October 2021.

I wasn't expecting to meet as many motivated, mature, ambitious, pleasant and polite young people as I did on Friday. They dressed smartly, and were engaged throughout the interviews and are a credit to themselves and the school. Please pass on my thanks to all of them, encourage them to work hard for their GCSEs, and wish them well for the next stage of their education so their hopes and plans can become reality.

In a real interview situation I could have offered jobs to some of the students I met on Friday, they were so good. I hope this will encourage them.

Please carry on with the good work the school is doing to develop its pupils and prepare them for further education and the world of work.

I left the school buzzing, as it was such a positive experience. Thank you for inviting me and I'd be very happy to assist again on a future occasion.

I left the event filled with hope after meeting the lovely students who talked me through their ambitions and plans. I wish them all the very best with their next step.

I did not know what to expect really when I arrived at The Heys School to assist with the Mock Interviews Friday.

My youngest granddaughter recently started there, and as interviewing young people for apprenticeships had been

part of my role with a leading company for over 20 years, I offered to help.

I also used to chair Education Groups in the North West, The North and Nationally for the 14-19 agenda a few years

back and so worked with many schools.

The Heys School passed my visit with flying colours!

Everybody was organised, respectful, whilst the nine young people I interviewed were excellent.

Seven of them would have been deserving of a job never mind college on their interview, whilst the other two would

not need much more help to succeed.

The whole group were respectful, interested, informative and a credit to themselves and your school.

They all were complimentary about the education they are receiving at Heys.

I hope, and am convinced she will, that my granddaughter is as good five years down the line!

Well done to all concerned.

It was a pleasure, the children were a delight - some very driven individuals who I have no doubt will exceed their career expectations with their drive and attitude.

A credit to all the teachers and staff @ The Heys School