



Backwell School

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Dear Parent/Carer,

Year 9 Girls Get Set Scheme

Backwell School has been invited to participate in a scheme called Girls Get Set. This scheme is in partnership with BHGE Oil and Gas located in Nailsea and is designed to provide further STEM opportunities for female students in year 9.

The purpose of Girls Get Set is to engage the younger generation of potential female engineers. The programme would include various project days (a couple of out of school and some in school), site tours of the Nailsea facilities and a 'finals day' in Cheltenham towards the end of the school year.

If your daughter wishes to find out more, we will be holding an introductory session during lunchtime at 1pm on Thursday, 18 October in room SC6 with the team from Girls Get Set.

We will gauge interest during this session and those students still interested will receive a letter with further details, including a parental/carer permission slip to take part. Please note, some future off-site trips may require a small contribution towards coach travel.

Yours Sincerely

S Thomas
Science Physics Teacher