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Dear Families

Year 10 Alternative to Medicine Conference – 4 July 2018

If your child has an interest in a career in medicine or healthcare they have the opportunity to attend a conference 'Alternatives to Medicine' run by *AimHigher* being held at London South Bank University on the 4 July 2018.

The conference will give Year 10 students the opportunity to learn about a wide range of careers within healthcare. The day will include an interactive overview of alternative careers and courses within the healthcare professions. Students will then get involved in hands-on workshops covering first response, recovery and diagnosis. There will be opportunities to talk to current students studying healthcare courses and they will be part of a dedicated session led by *Royal Veterinary College* to look at the ways students can prepare now for careers in the Health profession.

Students who are attending will need to be at school to be registered no later than 8.30am. They will travel by train to and from London Waterloo with a short walk to London South Bank University. Students will be expected to wear full school uniform and will be required to bring a packed lunch, snacks and drinks. Food will not be available to purchase at the university.

There are only 20 places available for this trip so it will be first come first served basis.

Please complete and return the reply slip in a sealed envelope to Student Services by Wednesday 27 June. If your child is awarded a place and is then unable to attend please let me know immediately so another student can be offered the place.

Yours faithfully

Ms S Bailey
Head of Year 10