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Dear Parent / Carer

As part of the **Careers Education Information Advice and Guidance Programme** we deliver at The Grove School, your child has access to **Start**. Whether your child has a career in mind or whether they have not yet begun to think about the choices open to them, Start can help them to explore the options available and guide them to careers they could really enjoy. Start is accessible online and has games to discover careers as well as to match your child's personality, interest and skills to careers. Your child can use the information they have gathered to find the right courses, work experience, apprenticeships, jobs etc. By exploring Start at home you can be involved with the important decisions your child has to make about their future options as they research different education and career options, enabling them to make informed decisions about their future.

To access the program please visit www.startprofile.com and click on the log or register button, your child can then either log in using the access details which they have created at their initial visit with their tutor or register by creating a new account. The Start programme comes with a comprehensive range of support materials which will help you understand the options available to your child at each transition stage.

At The Grove, our aim is to ensure that all students have the resources to fully explore and research their future options in order to make informed choices. We hope that you find Start useful and informative.

For any additional information about the careers guidance support your child is receiving, please contact Mrs K Jones.

Yours faithfully

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