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BONNIE IS HAPPY TO WORK WHERE SHE ONCE STUDIED IN THE FRIENDLY ENVIRONMENT OF SWANMORE COLLEGE



Megan and Stephen McMulkin live in Swanmore with their children, Bonnie, aged 16, and Archie, aged 14.

Interesting work

Bonnie is now combining working with studying, having become the first ex pupil to take on an apprenticeship at Swanmore College. She says: "I am enjoying doing the apprenticeship in Business and Administration at my former school. The work is very interesting as I am dealing with lots of different people every day and I get to go to college once a fortnight."

Confidence building

Bonnie's mother, Megan, says: "Bonnie was born 13 weeks premature and has had various medical problems as a result and needed to have operations. She has also suffered with a stammer. She has done a programme out of school to help her improve and her teachers at Swanmore also supported her. They gave her time to speak in front of her class and worked with her to build her confidence."

Varied work

Bonnie says: "I remember when I first started at Swanmore it took a while to settle in and find where everything was but once I had made friends I really liked the school. I particularly enjoyed studying History and Child Development and I chose them as GCSE options. I am enjoying doing the apprenticeship at Swanmore as I like dealing with different people every day. I am on the main reception so I talk to the parents and find the work is very varied. I would definitely recommend Swanmore to other pupils looking for a good secondary school."