

Kidzania

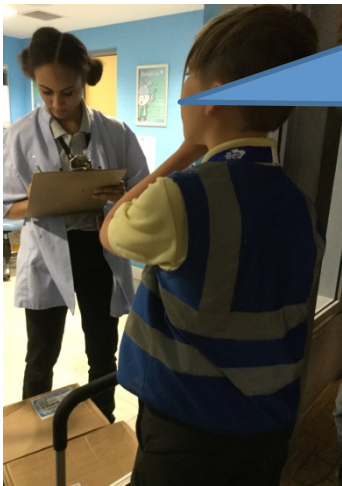
Amidst much excitement and enthusiasm, the day had finally arrived for our visit to Kidzania in London. This is the child sized city where the children have the opportunity to try from over 60 real life, role play activities. The excitement which had been building all week was palpable as we climbed on the coach.

On arrival radio armbands were issued (essential, so the adults knew where we were) and then we boldly ventured forth. Each role play experience is crafted to teach the children essential life skills, including financial literacy, team work and independence. The children enthusiastically undertook salaried jobs ranging from joining the police/fire brigade or ambulance, to working with the dentist/estate agents/ hotels/ radio station/ supermarket/ clothes firm and a range of food industry outlets to name but a few. Once 75 kidzos had been earned they were able to open bank accounts and use the ATM.



You've got to be fit to be a fire fighter and stay calm in an emergency.

Hurray, I've earned 75 kidzos, now I can open a bank account and get my ATM card.



Being a delivery courier, means you have to be very respectful to all your customers, even if they are cranky. You have to remember to make sure they sign for the package and be polite at all times.



You have to really concentrate to watch all the dials and readings to ensure that the power doesn't fail and you have to be able to adapt to circumstances.



It's important in the food industry to ensure your hair is always tied back and your hands and nails are clean. Don't lose your hair net, or you will be fined!

When I've finished here, I want to try the garage and the web design activities.

