



Name

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Leaving Year

2011

Current Job Title

Student

Favourite Priory Memory

I have had a lot of good memories from good ole Priory. I would have to say the relationships I made with friends, staff and being able to stay in contact with them. I would also say the ski trips which I went on every year were great banter and this was the best time of the school term.

What have you done since leaving Priory?

I completed a Level 3 BTEC in Sport at Belfast Met at the Football Academy. I then continued onto the University of Jordanstown where I completed my first two years before I transferred. I moved to the United States of America to a College called Davis and Elkins College in West Virginia to finish my degree in sports management playing football full time. I am now studying International Business at masters level at Daemen College and I am located in Buffalo, New York. I am very lucky to be able to study while playing the sport I love full time.

How did your experience at Priory help you achieve success?

The help and guidance from my teachers in Priory helped shape what I wanted to set out to achieve as I got older. The school helped develop my IT, Business, communication and adaptability skills. They also helped me gain knowledge to different aspects of different sports. I learnt how to be a good team mate and leader. All of these skills and knowledge that I have gained, helped me complete my degree and push myself to be completing a masters degree.

What one piece of advice would you give to current students?

Communication and hard work. Do not be scared to speak to your teachers and others to ask for help. You will learn so much from communicating and not just listening. You will have tough days but just keep working hard and learning.

What is your next big goal?

complete my masters degree. Try to play football professionally. End goal would be to coach football at the highest level.

