

17th September 2018

Dear Parents/Carers

Year 5 Science Trip – National Space Centre, Leicester

To enrich our Science Curriculum 5Kestrel (BS), 5Owl (CE) and 5Falcon (MM) will be visiting the National Space Centre in Leicester on **Wednesday 10th October**. It is an amazing museum which will really bring our topic on “Space” to life.

On the day pupils will be expected to arrive at school, in full uniform, at the normal time. We expect to arrive back at school around 4.00pm. Children who normally travel on the Pattingham coach will need to be collected. Mobile phones will be taken in and given out as normal on return.

For the day, your child will need a packed lunch (no fizzy drinks or glass bottles/chewing gum) in a carrier bag that can be later disposed of. Additionally, a coat is advisable. Pupils will be responsible for, and carrying, all their belongings. They will be allowed to make purchases from the souvenir shop and should bring their own money if you wish them to do so, to the value of no more than £5.00.

The cost of the coach and entrance to the centre (including the planetarium show) is £20.50. In order to secure this price payment will need to be made to school by Friday 28th September. This is a voluntary contribution; however, the trip cannot take place unless we receive sufficient funds.

Payments are non-refundable and can be made using Parent Pay. I would be very grateful if you could do this before Friday 28th September.

If your child is entitled to Free School Meals I will speak with them before hand to arrange for the school kitchen to provide sandwiches and a drink for them unless they wish to bring these from home themselves.

Should you have any further queries regarding the trip you can either contact me directly or view the Space Centre’s website for further information.

Yours sincerely

Mr M MacRae
Teacher of Science

