



Bishop's Hatfield Girls' School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Year 7 Science Trip to the National Space Centre – Leicester, Friday 16th November 2018

As part of your daughter's Science course we are organising a day visit to The National Space Centre on Friday 16th November 2018. We shall travel by coach, leaving school at 8:30 am and returning at 4.00pm approximately. **Please note that this is one hour after the end of school.** Your daughter should wear full school uniform and should bring a packed lunch, writing equipment and a clipboard if possible.

The cost of this trip is **£24.50** and includes a unique interactive ***It IS Rocket Science*** live show in addition to the exciting exhibitions that will be visited. Payment of this amount is voluntary, but the reality is that unless sufficient voluntary contributions are made to cover costs we will be forced to cancel the trip for all pupils. Please make payment, via WisePay, by **Friday 2nd November 2018**. 50% of the cost of the trip will automatically be met by the school for pupils in receipt of free school meals.

There are only a limited number of places available for this trip. Only those pupils for whom we have received parent/carer permission by the deadline of **Friday 2nd November 2018** will be considered for a place. If pupil numbers exceed the number of places available, then a ballot will be held. Those unsuccessful in the ballot will receive a full refund and be given priority in the next school visit available to them.

If we do not receive a reply to this letter by **Friday 2nd November 2018** we will assume that you do not wish your daughter to attend. All pupils not attending will complete subject linked work in school on that day.

Normally, girls should not use mobile phones on school trips. If there are particular reasons why parents wish their daughters to be able to use them, these must be put in writing to the trip organiser in good time for him to respond. While it is not always possible to guarantee the time of return of trips, parents should arrange for their daughters to be collected at the time given.

Yours sincerely,

Mr JR Krendel
Joint Subject Leader for KS3 Science

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