

25TH May 2022

Dear Parent / Guardian,

Re: National Science and Media Museum 20th July 2022

Please find the details of the museum trip planned for Wednesday 20th July 2022 below. We have booked National Science and Media Museum in Bradford for an educational and fun day out. Their website is www.scienceandmediamuseum.org.uk in case you would like more information about the facilities.

The students will leave the school at 8.00am and travel by coach to the site. We will be visiting their interactive Wonderlab gallery, watching an Exploring Space Show and then watching a film called Beautiful Planet on their IMAX 45 in 3D. We aim to return to the academy by approximately 4.00pm.

The museum is open to the public and as such any students not following instructions will be removed from the rest of the day's activities and will not receive a refund.

Students will also be expected to wear their normal clothes with their PE white polo top, so we are able to distinguish our students from other trips and the general public. Students need to bring a packed lunch and drinks with them. If you consent for your son/charge to attend the trip then please make a payment of £24 through ParentPay and complete the medical information on ParentPay.

The Academy believes wholeheartedly in the value of these experiences, and subsidises the cost of all visits as much as possible in an attempt to ensure that these opportunities are accessible and affordable to all. However, the academy seldom has the financial resources to pay the full costs. Consequently, a voluntary contribution is normally requested from parents/carers to make up the shortfall. This contribution is genuinely voluntary, and neither you nor your child will be treated differently if you are unable or choose not to contribute. However, please note that without all such voluntary contributions, this visit may have to be cancelled, as the academy is not in a position to provide further financial support. Please regard this as an important investment in your child's education.

Please note that any student who exhibits poor behaviour in the academy leading up to the 20th July, may be removed from the trip, a refund in those circumstances cannot be guaranteed. Places will be awarded strictly on a first come, first served basis and are limited to 50 students. The place is not reserved until payment has been received.

Yours faithfully,

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