



3rd May 2016

Dear Parents/Carers,

To support Year 5's current topic about the Solar System, school are organising a class trip to the National Space Centre in Leicester on **Thursday 30th June**, we will leave school at **9.15am** and arriving back to school at approximately **4.15pm**.

During the day, the children will get to explore the Space Centre, where they can learn more about the planets and the universe, and see rockets, astronauts' spacesuits and meteorites. They will also have a session in the planetarium where they will be given a tour of the night sky, and take part in a Martian Challenge workshop, where they will work in teams to program a model Mars Rover and guide it around the Martian terrain.

The school is partly funding the cost of this trip, but would ask for a contribution of £7 per pupil to make the visit possible this will help with the cost of entrance and coach hire.

The children will need to bring a packed lunch in a bag with their name on it. The children who are entitled to Free School Meals, will have a packed lunch will be provided for them.

Please ensure your child is on time as we would like to leave promptly. If your child uses an inhaler please ensure there is a named one in school and if they have travel sickness please advise me asap.

Please could you fill in the slip below and the attached consent form and return to school as soon as possible with payment.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Carter
Year 5 Class Teacher

REPLY SLIP / CONSENT

Year 5 Trip to National Space Centre – Thursday 30th June 2016

Child's name

I give consent and acknowledge that my child will be transported to and from National Space Centre, Leicester via coach. I understand there is a contribution of £7.00

Parents/Carers Signature Dated.....