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Dear Parent/Carer,

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Year 10 London Technology Trip

As part of our extracurricular activities here at Farlingaye High School, we endeavour to introduce students to the world beyond school to broaden experiences. This year, for GCSE Year 10 Systems & Control, Resistant Materials and Textiles we would like to offer students the opportunity to visit two sites of excellence in the field of technology; the Science Museum and the V&A Museum in London. Both of these sites offer excellent exhibitions and displays to enhance learning and to inspire young designers and manufacturers alike. Year 10 students will shortly begin their major NEA (non exam assessment) activity which makes up 50% of the total GCSE award, and we feel this will offer a valuable opportunity to inspire them and provide them with usable research material to kick start their projects to maximum effect.

We will be running the trip on Wednesday 25th May. A coach will leave the bus park from the back of the school at 07.30 am and will return approximately 5.30 pm dependant on traffic (this may not be in time for late buses). There is food available at the Museums, however, this can be very expensive and so it is strongly advised that students bring a packed lunch which they can eat. **The trip will cost £30 per student.**

Please contact us if there is any issue with payment as we may be able to help with the cost.

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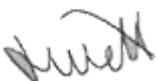
Parents should be aware that it is school policy that participation in a trip will be dependent on staff feeling confident that your son/daughter will behave appropriately. In particular, poor behaviour between now and the date of the trip is likely to result in your child being withdrawn from the trip. The decision of the Head teacher on this matter is final.

Although every care is taken to ensure the safety of your child all trips carry an element of risk with them it is vital that you impress on your son/daughter the importance of following all instructions promptly. All students are expected to wear a seatbelt at all times when on the coach until they are told. All students will be expected to stay in groups of no less than 5 and a member of staff will be available at an allocated meeting point throughout the day.

Returns

If your son/daughter would like to reserve a place on this trip then please complete and pay on the corresponding section on Parent Pay no later than **13th May 2022**. In doing so you consent to your child taking part in this activity and acknowledge that the staff will be liable in the event of any accident only if they have failed to take reasonable care of my child during the visit. I consent to my child receiving medical treatment, which in the opinion of a qualified medical practitioner, may be necessary and I confirm that the medical/contact information held by the school for my child is up to date.

Yours sincerely,



Mr A Wetherell
Second in Technology

