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Dear Parents / Carers,

The Year 5/6 team are incredibly excited to announce that we are going to be visiting the National Space Centre on Friday 12th November 2021! For most children, it has been over 2 years since they last went on a school trip and we cannot wait.

In Science, the children are currently learning about Earth and Space and we hope that by visiting the National Space Centre, we can add to our expanding knowledge.

The cost of this trip is: £12.00. Please note that the cost of this trip has been heavily subsidised by school as the actual cost was over £18.00 per child. Payment is by **Parent Pay ONLY**. If you have any issues with this, please visit the office who will be able to help you. No cash will be accepted. The final date for payment is **Monday 1st November**.

As with all trips, the total of £12.00 is a voluntary donation but without the funds, the trip will be unable to go ahead and would have to be cancelled.

As the Space Centre is in Leicester, you will need to bring your child to school for **7:45am at their usual classroom door**. Please note that we will be unable to wait for your child if they arrive late. A text reminder will be sent out the day before. We aim to be back at school at an estimated time of **5pm**, depending on the traffic and all children must be picked up from their classroom door. No child will be allowed to walk home. You will be updated via text if we are to arrive earlier or later than planned.

On the day, your child will need to be in school uniform and bring a packed lunch. If your child receives free school meals, and you would like school to provide one, just tick the box on the online form (link provided below).

As part of our continued commitment to paperless communication, we are asking you to complete the permission form for your child electronically via a very simple form that should take you no more than 5 minutes. Please ensure you complete all questions. The form can be accessed using the following link and we would ask that you do so by **Friday 29th October** to enable your child to participate:

<https://forms.office.com/r/TZnkVuLX6k>

We have attached an itinerary for the day and the website link should you want to know more. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact your child's class teacher.

Thank you for your continued support,

The Year 5/6 team.

Website: [Home - The National Space Centre](#)

Itinerary:

7:45	Arrive at school at usual classroom door (please be prompt)
8:00	Set off via coach on Wingfield Rd
10:00	Arrive at National Space Centre
11:00	360° Planetarium show
12:15	Lunch
12:45 onwards	Exploring the galleries
2:30/3:00	Head back to school
5:00	Pick up from school at usual door (all children to be collected)