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Ref: HRO/CWA

Date: 7 November 2025

Dear Parent/Carer of STUDENT FULLNAME

North Star Science

We would like to invite XXXXXX to take part in an exciting opportunity to attend a day of science workshops run by The North Star. The aim of the day is to promote innovation and opportunity to inspire the next generation to consider careers in Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM) subjects. We have identified XXXXXX to take part in this event due to their hard work in science lessons, as well as their achievement. It is a day of inspiration and wonder to celebrate the best of science.

Students will attend an opening ceremony. After we will be given the opportunity to listen to keynote speakers (including Professor Brian Cox) and participate in exciting workshops. Every workshop will be fun, interactive, and educational whilst focusing on one (or more) STEM subjects. The workshops are being delivered by a mix of employers, students, and educators with lots of exciting things planned. Workshops will last around 30 minutes each and we will get to participate in at least 4 workshops.

Tickets to this event are extremely limited and as a result we can only take 10 students. If your STUDENT FIRSTNAME does not wish to attend can you please advise us ASAP so we can offer the place to another student.

Venue	Gulliver's Valley Theme Park Resort, Mansfield Rd, Sheffield, S26 5QW		
Date of trip	19 November 2025		
Departure time	7.30 am	Return time	4.00 pm
Cost	Free	Deadline for consent	12 November 2025
School mobile number for use in an emergency	07547 213134		

Other information

Students will need to attend in uniform and provide their own lunch (lunch can be provided for any students who receive free school meals - please contact us if you would like us to arrange this for you). We will be leaving from and returning to school at the times mentioned above. If students are unable to get to or from school at the required times, please get in touch with me so we can see if there is anything we can do to help.

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There will be photographers and film crew present throughout the day and will be capturing footage of both students and staff. We will endeavour to try and keep students out of photos who do not have permission, but it will be impossible to avoid entirely. If this is likely to cause an issue, please **do not agree** for your child to attend the trip.

Behaviour

Students are expected to behave in an exemplary manner as ambassadors of the school. Should the conduct of a student in the lead up to, or during the visit, be deemed either unacceptable or likely to put the health, wellbeing, safety and/or enjoyment of other students on the trip at risk, the Principal reserves the right to withdraw that student's place from the visit, or they may be returned home prior to the end of the visit. All school Policies will be in place during the visit.

Consent

Please provide consent via Parentpay. On giving consent you are agreeing to your child taking part in the above activity and have read the information provided agreeing to his/her participation in the activities described. You are also agreeing to your child receiving any emergency medical treatment that may be deemed necessary. If there are any exceptions to this, please provide us with the necessary information in writing.

Please note it is essential you provide consent via Parentpay, if we do not receive consent. STUDENTNAME will not be able to attend the trip.

Yours sincerely

Dr Roberts
Science Teacher
Party Leader

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