

November 2016

Dear Parents/Carers,

Visit to GCSE Science Live! – Friday 10th March 2017

We are hoping to take all Year 10 Triple Science students to the GCSE Science Live day at the Apollo Theatre on Friday 10th March 2017. This is an exciting opportunity for the students to hear talks from a number of world renowned scientists – Professors Robert Winston, Andrea Sella and Jim Al-Khalili amongst others - on their research and areas of interest. There will also be a talk from Stewart Chenery an experienced science examiner with top tips on exam success. We hope that the day will be an inspiring and interesting day which will generate and encourage a deeper enthusiasm for science amongst our students.

Students should bring a packed lunch and drink as there will probably not be any opportunity to purchase food. They should also come with a notebook and pen to make note of any information which may be of interest or useful in preparation for their exams. The conference runs from 10.45 am to 3.00 pm. We will travel by coach from school, leaving at 8.40am and we hope to arrive back at school by 4.30 pm.

The cost of this trip will be £31 which covers the conference fee and coach travel. Unfortunately, we are unable to meet these costs from our own funds, and the visit will only be able to go ahead if parents are prepared to make a voluntary contribution of £31 to school funds. It is entirely up to you whether you wish to contribute. However, if all parents are not prepared to make this contribution then the visit may not be able to take place.

Please complete and return the attached slip together with £31 (cheques made payable to Beaumont School) **by no later than Friday 2nd December**. You should send your money or cheque in a sealed envelope with your son/daughter's name, form and title of the trip clearly written on it. This should be posted in the appropriate box outside the Finance Office. Alternatively you can make payment over the internet using our online payment system **(NB: You must still return the attached reply slip to school in order to secure a place for your child)**.

Yours sincerely

Dr H Skelton
Science teacher

To be returned to the box marked 'GCSE Science Live' outside the Finance Office by no later than **Friday 2nd December**.

Pupil's Name Form

I give permission for my son/daughter to participate in the trip to GCSE Science Live! on **Friday 10th March 2017**.

- I am/am not* prepared to make the contribution requested and enclose £31 (**Please delete as applicable*)
- I have made payment online: Ref code **(NB: You must also return this slip to school)**

I agree to his/her taking part in the activities described. I also consent to any emergency medical treatment, including the use of anaesthetics, necessary during the course of the journey. I understand that for the school's insurance policy to cover any pre-existing medical condition, my son/daughter must not be participating against their doctor's advice.

Emergency contact/medical details. Please tick either box A or B.

A I confirm that all details held by the school on the gold form concerning emergency contact telephone numbers and/or medical conditions affecting my son/daughter are correct, or that I have already notified the school of any changes.

B Please note the following change(s) to the above details, which is/are: for this visit only permanent

Signed **Father/Mother/Legal Guardian** **Date**