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Principal: Carly Welch
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Dear Parents/Carers,

Re: Year 5 Trip to the Observatory Science Centre - Herstmonceux

We are excited to announce a trip to the Observatory Science Centre on Monday 3rd December 2018. This is a fantastic opportunity for the children to reinforce many of the concepts we will have covered in our Year 5 topic of Space. The Science Centre offers a huge variety of hands-on activities both indoors and outside. We have also booked a space-themed science show for the children to watch during the visit.

Both Year 5 classes will be travelling by coach, leaving at 9.00am and returning at 3.00pm for the end of the school day. All seats will be fitted with a seatbelt and school journey insurance has been taken out for this visit.

On the day of the visit, the pupils need to wear school uniform tops (jumpers, ties, shirts) with comfortable trousers and comfortable footwear. As mentioned, much of the day will be spent outside. Please check the weather forecast and provide your child with water (in addition to their lunch), a warm coat and/or raincoat as necessary.

Children will need a packed lunch for this trip. If you would like to order a packed lunch from the school canteen, please indicate below and provide payment by **Wednesday 21st November**, if necessary.

To cover the cost of the coach travel, entry to the Science Centre and also the science show, we are asking for a contribution of **£12. This will be the only trip that has a cost implication for parents this year** (other than the Year 6 residential). Should the visit have insufficient contributions however, it will not go ahead.

Should you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to contact me.

Yours sincerely

Miss A Baker
Year 5 Class Teacher



Consent Form – Year 5 trip to the Observatory Science Centre – Monday 3rd December 2018

Child's Name _____

Child's Class _____

I give permission for my child to travel by coach to the Observatory Science Centre

Signed _____ Date _____

I have enclosed a contribution of £12 to pay for the trip.

Please indicate which option you would like for your child's lunch:

Monday 3rd December – Year 5 Trip to the Observatory Science Centre.

Child's Name _____

Child's Class _____

I will provide my child with a packed lunch.	
My child is entitled to a free school meal and would like a school packed lunch Ham Cheese (please circle your choice of filling)	
I would like to order a school packed lunch and have paid for this on Parent Pay Ham Cheese (please circle your choice of filling)	