



Activity:	STEAM event
Venue/Destination:	University of Northampton
Year group(s) trip open to:	Year 9
Date of trip:	Wednesday 12 th June, 9.30am – 3pm
Cost Per Student:	£5
Name of Trip Co-ordinator:	Miss Hunt

Dear parent/carer,

Re: Y9 trip to “STEAM” event at University of Northampton

We have an exciting opportunity for some of our Year 9 students to take part in the University of Northampton’s STEAM event – students who attended last year’s event gave very positive feedback. Final details of the sessions that our students will be taking part in are still to be confirmed but an overview of the event is as follows:

Join us for presentations, workshops, shows and hands-on activities that will inform, inspire, excite and encourage young people to explore the amazing world of science, technology, engineering, arts and maths (STEAM). Meet University experts, explore science with real scientists and discover what studying at university is like through discussions with our own students. Employers will provide information about careers, work experience, apprenticeships, and degrees in their area of industry and host live Q&A sessions.

We will travel to and from the event by coach. We will be leaving Guilsborough at **9.30** and are due to arrive back in Guilsborough at approximately **15.00**. In the unlikely event that the trip is delayed returning to school, you will be required to collect your child.

In order to run this trip, it is necessary to request a subsidised contribution of **£5** to cover the cost of the transport. If your child is in receipt of Pupil Premium or Free School Meals then payment has been adjusted accordingly on ParentPay. All payments are non-refundable unless a replacement student is found.

In the event of totally unacceptable behaviour prior to the trip your child may not be allowed to take part and a refund will not be given.

Where families are experiencing severe financial hardship, limited support may be available from the Governors' hardship fund for school excursions. Applications for hardship support should be made in writing, accompanied by evidence of any benefits received, to the Head teacher's PA, or email the PrincipalPA@Guilsborough.northants.sch.uk by deadline date. Each case will be considered on its individual circumstances.

Please complete this consent form: <https://forms.office.com/e/ebvDPMcs3A> **before 3pm on Friday 16th February** to request a place for your child on the trip and to confirm you agree to the terms of attendance.

If oversubscribed, places will be issued by ballot after this date. When we confirm that your child has a place, you will be asked to pay the subsidised coach fee via ParentPay.

If you have any questions, please contact me via hunt@guilsborough.northants.sch.uk.

Kind regards,

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