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Dear Parents/ Guardians,

## Upper School Topic Visit to Science Oxford

To kick start our Science topic with a bang next term, an Upper School visit has been planned to the brand new Science Oxford Centre in Headington. The visit has been scheduled for Monday 20<sup>th</sup> January 2020.



At the centre, the children will be watching a Science Surprises show, where they will try to guess the ending to a range of tricks. Then, they will take part in a Topple, Bump and Roll workshop, which will help them to explore key Physics concepts, including investigating how Rube Goldberg machines work. They will also get to visit the Exploration Zone, which is full of hands-on interactive exhibits.

The coach will leave school at about 9.00am to ensure that we can arrive at the museum by 10:00am, so please ensure that your children arrive at school on time. Traffic permitting, we will return to school before normal collection at 3.15pm.

Children will need to **bring drinks, a snack and a packed lunch** with them on the day as these will not be provided. The children must also have clothing appropriate to the weather, including outdoor shoes and a waterproof coat. The new centre has lots of outdoor space, which we may be able to explore over the course of the day.

The cost of the visit is £8.00 per child. We would like to thank the School Association for subsidising this visit, in order to keep costs down for parents.



**Please give your consent and pay online.** This payment is a voluntary contribution and no child or family will be discriminated against for not contributing. Costs will be covered by the school for those in receipt of Income Support or Job Seekers Allowance, in which case parents should contact the office with the necessary up-to-date documentation. Unfortunately, should insufficient

voluntary contributions be made, we will have to cancel the visit.

Yours sincerely,

Miss Crockett and Miss Barrett