

5th June 2018

Dear Parents/Carers

Educational visit to Centre of the Cell at Queen Mary University of London

Centre of the Cell is a Science education centre based at the Whitechapel Campus of the Queen Mary University of London. It is the first science education centre in the world to be located within working biomedical research laboratories. During this visit the students will spend time in The Pod to learn about the amazing world of cells, the human body and the latest medical research. Students will try their hand at virtual experiments, heal extensive virtual burns, see real body parts and diagnose conditions using high power microscopes. After this, the students will attend an interactive workshop where they will find out about the huge range of careers in science and health and what they involve. Students will have the opportunity to match their skills and interests with their choice of subjects and careers and gain advice about how to build a CV or university application.

Date: Tuesday 26th June 2018

Time: 8.30am to 2.00pm

Travel arrangements: Students are required to meet St Paul's Academy Science staff at 8.30am at North Greenwich Underground Station.

Return: Students will be dismissed from North Greenwich Underground Station at approximately 2.00pm.

Your child will need to wear full school uniform. It is essential that your child also brings a packed lunch. If they are usually entitled to free school meals, we will make sure that a lunch is provided for the trip.

The cost of the trip is £8.00 and will need to be paid via ParentPay by Monday 18th June. Please contact Mrs Callow if you would like to discuss any difficulties in making this payment.

Students will need to uphold the reputation of the Academy and adhere to the Academy's Code of Conduct at all times during the trip. Please be aware that the Academy reserves the right to refuse a child a place on this trip if their behaviour is not deemed appropriate.

For your child to go out on this trip, we require your signed permission. Please make sure that the Reply Slip below is signed and returned to Mrs Callow by Friday 15th June. Finally, please do not hesitate to email Mrs Callow (joanne.callow@stpauls.greenwich.sch.uk) if you would like any further information about this trip.

Yours sincerely

Mrs J Callow
Assistant Principal: Science

Miss S Malone
Head of School

Please sign the permission slip below and return to Mrs Callow by Friday 15th June.

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I give permission/do not give permission (please circle) for my son/daughter (name : _____) to take part in the School Trip and in any included activities.

I give Permission for my child to make their own way home from North Greenwich Station after the Trip has finished.
YES / NO (Please circle)

Please ensure that your child is in possession of any medication they take i.e. Asthma Pump/Epipen.

I CONSENT TO ANY EMERGENCY MEDICAL, DENTAL TREATMENT AND ANY ANAESTHETIC NECESSARY DURING THE COURSE OF THE VISIT.

Emergency Contact No: _____

Parent/Carer Signature: _____