

21 April 2026

Dear parents and carers

We are excited to be able to offer Year 8 students the opportunity to **visit [the Gatwick STEM centre](#) for a fun-filled day of team challenges** such as building and racing electric cars, creating the strongest bridge and finding the quickest and most efficient way of clearing water off the runway.

We have two dates, 18 and 24 June. **If you are interested in your young person attending one of these trips [please complete THIS FORM](#)**. Places are limited and we will allocate on a first come, first served basis. We will let you know by the end of this week if you have been successful which trip you have been allocated and add this to your ParentPay. **The cost of the trip is £5** to cover travel. If you would like your young person to have this opportunity but the cost is a barrier, please let me know as we may be able to fund some of the cost from our Pupil Premium budget.

We will be leaving school at 9:20am and travelling to the centre by train, returning to Redhill Station at approximately 3:15pm where we will dismiss students to make their own way home unless we are told otherwise.

Students should wear full school uniform and will need to bring a packed lunch and a drink; a packed lunch will be provided for those in receipt of Free School Meals.

If you have any questions, please let me know (acameron@carringtonschool.org).

Best wishes
Dr A Cameron
Teacher of Science

