

5 December 2023

Dear parents and carers

We are excited to take a group of our KS3 students to the [Science Live! Ultimate Science Enrichment Day](#) at the Emmanuel Centre in London on **Thursday 14 March**. We will see and hear from five of Britain's top scientists, all working at the cutting edge of their specialism. This is a great opportunity to hear scientists who are passionate in a range of fields, talk about recent developments and what excites them.

- Professor Lord Robert Winston
- Dr Anna Ploszajski
- Douglas Acheampong
- Dr Hannah Critchlow
- Tomi Akingbade

There are only 50 places up for grabs – if your young person is a keen scientist and would like to go, [CLICK HERE to request a place](#), the first 50 respondents will be allocated a place. **The form will close at midday on Friday 8 December** and we will notify applicants by email if you have been allocated a place or not. Successful applicants will then be asked to make payment of £22 (covering ticket and travel) on ParentPay.

If you would like your young person to go on this trip BUT the cost is not affordable to you, we can allocate funds from the ACE Foundation to cover some or all of it. ACE is our charitable trust that provides opportunities to inspire our students to aim higher whatever their background or circumstances. Please contact [Mrs E Loughran](#) (ACE Trustee) about this, AS WELL AS requesting a place on the trip using the link above.

We travel by train and foot; further details of timings will follow. Students will wear school uniform and should bring a packed lunch. Free School Meals students will be provided with a packed lunch by our Catering Contractor.

Best wishes  
**Mr A Shah**  
KS3/STEM Coordinator

