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Dear Parents/Carers

The Science Department are delighted to offer Year 12 chemistry students the opportunity of a trip to visit Science Live: A Level Chemistry. We aim for the trip to be inclusive of all students, regardless of need and will try to accommodate any needs as far as is possible.

The visit will take place on **Wednesday 20th November 2024**. It will give students the opportunity to hear from five scientists who are working at the cutting edge of their specialism. The content ranges from nerve agents to atmospheric chemistry. There is also an opportunity to hear from 2 examiners during the day, giving helpful hints and tips about exam content and how best to approach examinations.

Students will be expected to make their own way to London's Emmanuel Centre and arrive there no later than 10.15 am to meet Mrs Huddleston and Mrs Bennett. The day is estimated to finish at 3.30 pm and students will be expected to make their own way home. There is no need for students to adhere to the sixth form uniform policy, but comfortable shoes would be advised due to walking around London. The highest standards of behaviour will be expected, and all students must act in accordance with and adhere to our behaviour policy. In the unlikely event that a student fails to meet these expectations, sanctions will be applied.

We are asking for a voluntary contribution of £32 per student to cover costs of entry. Whilst there is no obligation to contribute, and no student will be excluded because parents are unwilling or unable to contribute, the visit may be cancelled if there are insufficient contributions.

If your child would like to attend, please log on to WisePay to complete the MS Consent Form and to pay any voluntary contribution by Monday 8th July 2024 to confirm their place on the visit.

Whilst the trip to Science Live: A Level Chemistry is not compulsory; it offers a valuable learning experience for A Level Chemistry students and will be well worth their attendance. Students will be expected to catch up on any subject work that is missed.

Yours faithfully

Mrs V Bennett
Assistant Headteacher