

7th March 2023

Dear Parents/Carers

I am writing to you about an exciting, fully funded rewards opportunity we have organised for your child towards the end of this academic year. The Science Department has secured funding to take Year 7 on a trip to the Life Centre in Newcastle as a result the Academy will cover all costs which will include the entry fee and transport. This is a wonderful opportunity for students to link the science they have learnt about so far to real life applications, try new experiments, see exciting exhibitions, and overall to have a great day of science.

In order to qualify for this trip, your child must meet the following criteria:

- Gain all E1s and E2s on their praising stars reports
- Have no C4s in any lesson from now until the trip
- Complete their science homework each week from now until the trip. Students can access this via their google classroom and it is a straightforward recall quiz based on their prior learning. If students cannot do this at home, we offer a homework club on a Monday after school. Alternatively they can come to the science department and complete their homework here.

We hope to take all of our amazing Year 7 students as we believe all of them should be able to meet these criteria in the remaining week of the academic year.

We will send out further information and consent slips for this trip closer to the date, until then we would appreciate your support in reminding your child of the criteria to go on this trip and encouraging them to aspire to fulfil them, particularly checking on their completion of homework.

Thank you for your on-going support.

Yours faithfully

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