



HARROGATE
GRAMMAR SCHOOL
EXCELLENCE FOR ALL

20 September 2023

Dear Parent/ Carer

Year 11 GCSE Science Live – Monday 29 January 2024

Students will see and hear five of Britain's top scientists, all working at the cutting edge of their specialisms. The scientists are carefully chosen for their ability to communicate with students of this age in a direct and exciting way. This event also includes top tips on examination success from an experienced science examiner and takes place at St George's Hall in Bradford. For more information on this event, please click [here](#).

Please note, attendees are required to stay seated in an auditorium for extended periods of time, which may not be suitable for all students.

Timings

We will be leaving HGS via coach at 9.15am and returning at approximately 4.15pm. Please ensure that alternative arrangements are made if your child usually travels home by school bus.

Expression of Interest

If your child would like to take part in this trip, please complete an expression of interest form by clicking [here](#) by **9am on Monday 2 October 2023**. In the event the trip is oversubscribed, places will be allocated on a random basis. Parents/Carers will be notified if their child has secured a place by Friday 6 October 2023. If unsuccessful at this stage, your child will be added to a reserve list.

Cost of the trip

The total cost of the trip is £39, which includes entry to the event and return coach travel.

We do understand that the cost may be prohibitive for some families and we would not wish to preclude any students from taking part on this basis. If you would like to discuss this further, please contact hgsfinance@hgs.rklt.co.uk.

Payment Schedule

Once you have been notified that your child has secured a place on the trip, please **pay via Arbor** by Thursday 30 November 2023 to secure their place. A guide on how to do this can be accessed [here](#).

Next Steps

- Please complete the expression of interest by 9am on Monday 2 October 2023 by clicking [here](#)
- If offered a place, payment is to be made by Thursday 30 November 2023 **via Arbor**
- Ensure your contact details and your child's medical details are up to date, emailing any changes to HGSgateway@hgs.rkt.co.uk

We are very much looking forward to this trip.

Yours sincerely



Dr J Curran

Trip Leader