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Dear Parent/Carer

## Big Bang Fair 2018

On Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> March we will be taking Year 7 and 8 pupils to the NEC in Birmingham to visit the BIG BANG FAIR 2018 ([www.thebigbangfair.co.uk](http://www.thebigbangfair.co.uk)) This is the UK's largest celebration of science, technology, engineering and maths for young people. This award winning event brings together leading business and industry with exciting theatre shows, interactive workshops and exhibits, and excellent careers information, resources and activities to bring science and engineering careers to life with a bang.

The event aims to inspire our future scientists and engineers through exciting hands on activities and interactive exhibits. From games to planes and from fashion to physics, **The Big Bang Fair will take your child on a journey to discover the best they can be.** We consider this opportunity to be an invaluable experience for our Year 7 and 8 pupils who hopefully will come away with a fresh, new perspective on where their school subjects can lead them.

There is no charge for entry to the event and FORM have kindly agreed to cover the transport cost to the Birmingham NEC. Although this visit is open to all Year 7 and 8 pupils, the school reserves the right to refuse participation to any pupil whose behaviour is judged unacceptable.

We will **depart at 8.30am** (as soon as the schoolbuses have arrived) and return to school in time for the end of the school day. **If your child does not catch the school bus please ensure they arrive at school in time for our 8.30am departure.** Pupils will be expected to wear normal school uniform and will require a packed lunch and snack for the day; however nuts, glass bottles and fizzy drinks are not permitted. If your child is eligible for free school meals please ask your child to inform the school kitchen if they would like the kitchen to provide them with a packed lunch.

Yours sincerely

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