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Dear Parent/Carer

25<sup>th</sup> February, 2019

**Celebrating Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics (STEM)**

**Year 7 Visit to The University of Manchester Science Department on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> March, 2019**

Your son/daughter is part of a specially selected group to visit The University of Manchester on 14<sup>th</sup> March. **h**e/she has shown a particular interest and aptitude for STEM subjects and this visit will give **h**im/her an insight in to the opportunities open to them in the future.

In order to make the most of the experience, it will mean planning an extended day. Your child needs to be at Mary Webb School in time for the coach to leave at 8.00 am. They will return to school after the buses, at 4.30 pm. I hope you are able to work with us to enable your child to attend.

The day at The University of Manchester is designed to showcase how science, engineering, technology and maths impacts on our everyday lives, and shapes our daily decisions. Your son/daughter will have the opportunity to get up close with some of the cutting-edge research going on at the University, and take part in a range of activities designed to inspire them in becoming the scientists and engineers of the future. They will take part in interactive workshops led by current PhD students in a hands-on science fair. Finally, an expert lecture will be delivered by a leading academic staff member from the University.

Students will need to attend the day in school uniform and bring with them a coat, a packed lunch and a drink. If you are in receipt of Free School Meals, you are able to order a packed lunch from the school kitchen by completing the tick box below.

The University has asked permission to take photographs on the day. Please complete the consent form below and return it to the school office by Monday 4<sup>th</sup> March, 2019.

Yours sincerely

*J Hall*

Miss J Hall  
Deputy Headteacher

*G Davies*

Mr G Davies  
Assistant Headteacher

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Name of student: ..... Form: .....

- I give permission for my child to take part in the above visit.
- I confirm I am in receipt of Free School Meals and would like to order a packed lunch from the school kitchen.
- I confirm I am able to collect my son/daughter from school at 4.30 pm **OR**  I am happy for my son/daughter to walk home at 4.30 pm.
- I agree to authorise any member of staff during the course of this activity to approve such medical treatment for my son/daughter as is deemed necessary in an emergency or upon the advice of a qualified medical practitioner, in the event that I cannot be contacted.

Name of Parent/Carer: ..... Signed: .....

Dated: .....