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December 2024

Dear Parent/Carer,

Visit to CERN, Geneva Thursday 26 June to Sunday 29 June 2025

Your child/ward has been invited to take part in the Physics Department visit to CERN in Geneva from Thursday 26 June to Sunday 29 June 2025. The students will have overnight accommodation in Geneva for 3 nights from Thursday 26 June to Sunday 29 June.

The visit to Geneva will include a tour of the Large Hadron Collider and other experiments at CERN on Friday 27 June and a laboratory workshop at CERN on Saturday 28 June, returning to the UK the following morning. We will also have time to explore the city of Geneva, including for example, the United Nations and International Red Cross Centre.

The cost of the trip is expected to be in the region of £580 per student (this includes flights, accommodation for three nights including breakfast, and 2 evening meals, as well as visits to CERN). The final figure will be confirmed once flights are booked.

To secure a place on this trip, and to enable flights to be booked as soon as possible, please pay via scopay a deposit of £300 by Monday 16 December (if this is likely to cause any financial difficulties, please contact Mr S Clarke, Headteacher, in confidence by email to office@wkgs.net). Your online payment serves as both consent and confirmation of updated emergency contact details. Contact details can be checked/updated via your Arbor app. Please ensure you provide any appropriate additional information directly to myself (staff organising trip). The balance will be due by Monday 31 March 2025.

Please also provide me with a copy or scan of your child/ward's passport so we can confirm flight details. If you have any questions, please email Dr Hill (khill@wkgs.net).

Yours sincerely

K Hill

Dr K Hill Head of Physics

The school has a blanket School Journey Insurance policy in place to provide appropriate cancellation, curtailment, medical and personal possessions cover. This policy also carries very limited personal accident insurance cover for pupils. As the school will not be liable for any injury arising from incidents beyond our direct control, parents/carers may wish to consider purchasing their own personal accident cover to enhance the limited protection of this policy.





